

2020 September Moderation - Report



Meeting Details

Which meeting is this report for?

Science - Life Sciences Level 2

Moderation Details for Calibration - Sample 1

Sample 1 - Please identify each criterion being moderated and IF SELECTED the elements within that criterion

Criterion 8 = Overall

Sample 1 - What rating (or ratings) has the group assigned this sample?

C+

Sample 1 - What evidence supports the rating (or ratings) the group has given?

Lacking in element 2, but overall went above the 'C' standard.

Sample 1 - What evidence would you need to see in order to assign a higher rating (or ratings)?

This sample would require a greater emphasis on the historical significance of biotechnology - by comparing old and new technology.

Sample 1 - What actions would you recommend for teachers to help the student attain a higher rating (or ratings)?

Samples of student work at each standard
Linking tasks to elements for assessment
Greater emphasis on scaffolding questions to elicit more in depth responses.

Moderation Details for Calibration - Sample 2

Sample 2 - Please identify each criterion being moderated and IF SELECTED the elements within that

Criterion 8 = Overall

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Sample 2 - What rating (or ratings) has the group assigned this sample?	C+
Sample 2 - What evidence supports the rating (or ratings) the group has given?	Overall C standard, but lacking on element 4
Sample 2 - What evidence would you need to see in order to assign a higher rating (or ratings)?	This student would need to ensure they make predictions based on information provided.
Sample 2 - Summary of group consensus with comments to element level if applicable.	Some groups thought this was a weaker sample than Sample 1, while others thought it was stronger. This was due to groups emphasising different parts of the task more than others.
Sample 2 - What actions would you recommend for teachers to help the student attain a higher rating (or ratings)?	See Sample 1 comments

Planning for March Moderation 2021 - Statewide Samples

For all courses please nominate the criteria and elements (if desired) for moderation.	6
State the name of the person who will be providing the samples for moderation	Rowan Richardson

Sharing Resources

Please record any links to or details of resources that were shared, or describe any	Continued use of Teams is the preferred means for sharing resources.
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assessment strategies that were discussed.

Course Support

Please provide details of any future focus and ways forward you would like Years 9-12 Curriculum to consider in relation to this course:

None at this stage