

Activity: Developing online courses

Aims

This activity will help you:

- examine approaches to successful online course development
- identify resources and tools that could be developed and used to enhance online delivery

Introduction

A key aim of the DeLTTUE project is to enhance the learner experience by developing online course content that utilises Web 2.0 tools and new media.

As with all trade union education online course material should emphasise the importance of cooperation and information sharing. Course content should encourage effective collaboration and group work whilst promoting learner socialisation.

Tasks

In your groups:

1. Identify a course that would be appropriate for online delivery. It maybe helpful to think of a course with cross-European relevance.
2. For the chosen programme develop a broad course outline.
3. Consider the possible activities that would achieve the course learning outcomes.
4. Examining the activities, carefully consider how Web 2.0 tools and techniques and video content could be utilised to enhance the delivery of the activities you have outlined.

Record your ideas on the flipchart or memory stick

Resources

Flipchart
Laptop and memory stick

Feedback

Elect a spokesperson to report back

Timing

2 hours