Criteria for selection of resources for inclusion in SPHE online toolkits

The development of a portal site where teachers can access SPHE/RSE teaching and learning resources arose as a recommendation in the Report on the *Review of RSE in primary and post-primary schools*.

The resources listed are not intended as exhaustive or prescriptive as each teacher/school and class will decide what resources are best suited to their needs.

The **criteria that guide the selection** of resources included in these online toolkits are as follows:

The resource…

- can support planning for quality teaching and learning in SPHE/RSE linked to the current curriculum
- is relevant to the Irish curriculum and context
- is up-to-date, engaging, creative and relevant to students' interests and needs
- can be used across the diversity of school settings that exist in primary and post-primary education
- has been developed by a state agency or an agency/organisation with a proven educational track record
- has not originated from a commercial source/seeking commercial benefit
- is freely available online.

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