

What is a vision statement?

The vision statement should be a clear and inspiring description of what the subject aims to achieve in the future. It's like a guiding star—defining aspirations and setting a long-term direction. Think of it as answering the question: "Where do we want to go?" It's meant to be ambitious, motivating, and forward-thinking.

Guiding criteria:

- Makes clear what is unique to the subject
- Reflects the key drivers in the context of that subject
- Is focussed on the essence of the subject
- Future focussed

Vision statement

Language and Culture prepares students to become intercultural communicators who understand how language shapes identity, values, and worldviews. By connecting with the language speaking communities they are a part of, students explore how meaning is made and shared across cultures and contexts.

Through inquiries that matter to them, students engage in real-world interactions that foster reflection and intercultural understanding. They view language as a dynamic system, shaped by development, regional variations, and global influences. In doing so, they also learn to reflect on their own growth as language learners, deepening their understanding of themselves and others.

Language and Culture equips students to navigate diverse settings with empathy and purpose, while building transferable skills for future learning, work, and life.

NB: as Subject Renewal Groups (SRGs) progress through the Subject Renewal process, plans and documents will be further refined and updated.