Appendix 2. – Knowledge, skills and attitudes (KSA) statements

Table 2: valuing sustainability.

		Embodying sustainability values
1.1 Valuing sustainability		To reflect on personal values; identify and explain how values vary among people and over time, while critically evaluating how they align with sustainability values.
KSA		Statements
Knowledge	1	Knows the main views on sustainability: anthropocentrism (human-centric), technocentrism (technological solutions to ecological problems) and ecocentrism (nature-centred), and how they influence assumptions and arguments.
	2	Knows the main values and principles underpinning socio-economic models and their relation to sustainability.
	3	Knows that values and principles influence action that can damage, does not harm, restores or regenerates the environment.
	4	Knows that various cultures and generations may attach more or less importance to sustainability depending on their value systems.
	5	Knows that when human demand for resources is driven by greed, indifference and unfettered individualism, this has negative consequences for the environment.
	6	Knows how one's position in society influences personal values.
Skills	1	Can critically assess and compare underlying sustainability values and principles in arguments, action, policies and political claims.
	2	Can evaluate issues and action based on sustainability values and principles.
	3	Can bring personal choices and action in line with sustainability values and principles.
	4	Can articulate and negotiate sustainability values, principles and objectives while recognising different viewpoints.
	5	Can identify and include values of communities, including minorities, in problem framing and decision making on sustainability.
Attitudes	1	Is prone to acting in line with values and principles for sustainability.
	2	Is willing to share and clarify views on sustainability values.
	3	Is open-minded to others and their world-views.
	4	Is ready to critique and value various cultural contexts depending on their impact on sustainability.