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To: Deputy Directors-General, Chief Directors, Directors (Head Office and district offices), Heads: Curriculum Support, Circuit Managers, Heads: Management and Governance, Subject Advisers and Principals of secondary schools

Subject: Tips for Success Booklets to 2025 National Senior Certificate Candidates

1. The Western Cape Education Department (WCED) has prepared the *Tips for Success* booklet for each of the Western Cape's 2025 National Senior Certificate (NSC) candidates to assist them with their examination preparations. The booklet provides study tips, examination tips, bursary information, a course outline for all subjects, QR codes for Telematics videos and other useful information.
2. The booklet should be presented to each Grade 12 candidate during Term 1 of 2025. The digital version of the booklet can be accessed via the following link:
<https://wcedportal.co.za/tips-for-success>
3. Should the number of booklets delivered to the school be incorrect, please contact your district office. Excess booklets must be returned to the district office.
4. In order for these booklets to have the desired effect of assisting candidates with their exam preparations, **it is strongly recommended that educators mediate the content of the booklet with their Grade 12 classes** and encourage candidates to use it optimally during the course of the year.

5. Please note the following important links that can be accessed:

Past NSC examination question papers and marking memoranda:

<https://wcedportal.co.za/past-papers>

Gr 12 Subject Support:

<https://wcedportal.co.za/resources-to-support-grade-12-learning-and-teaching>

Gr 12 Revision Support:

<https://wcedportal.co.za/grade12-subject-revision>

6. Kindly bring the content of this minute to the attention of all Grade 12 educators.

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