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**National Respectful Relationships Education Expert Working Group**

Communique: Meeting 11, 20 February 2025

The National Respectful Relationships Education Expert Working Group met for the eleventh time on Thursday, 20 February 2025. The meeting was chaired by Patty Kinnersly, CEO of Our Watch, with attendance from expert members and representatives from the Australian and state and territory governments, the National Catholic Education Commission, and Independent Schools Australia.

The meeting featured an ACARA Curriculum workshop focused on Respectful Relationships Education in the Australian Curriculum Version 9.0 and the key aspects of the Curriculum connection: Respectful Relationships.

The purpose of the workshop was to support collaboration between members on approaches to professional learning and resource development and to share progress, successes and challenges and identify opportunities for collaborative problem solving.

The next meeting of the working group is scheduled for Thursday, 22 May 2025.