

## **PEAT 1 Outcomes - Professionalism**

### **Notes:**

1. Positive Indicators are not exhaustive, and are indicators of student achievement.
2. The Society reserves the right to update the Mandatory and Core Outcomes should that be necessary, and will give sufficient notice of this

## **PROFESSIONALISM**

Throughout the PEAT 1 programme the student should understand the importance of:

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#### **The interests of justice and democracy in society**

##### *Positive Indicators:*

- Displays an interest in the workings of justice in society.
- Has an ethical awareness of legal practice, and a developing sense of the regulatory framework of professional ethics.

#### **Effective and competent legal services on behalf of a client**

##### *Positive Indicators:*

- Updates and expands knowledge of the law, knowledge of legal practice, client-centred practice and management of client service.
- Pays careful attention to standard of detail in legal work.
- Evaluates own client care.
- Appraises new forms of client care and adopts improvements.
- Acts quickly to protect clients and the public from risk.

#### **Continuing professional education and personal development**

##### *Positive Indicators:*

- Is aware of own strengths and weaknesses and forms plans to develop character, values, knowledge and skills throughout the course.
- Reflects on experiences and mistakes in order to improve future performance.

**Diversity and public service***Positive Indicators:*

- Shows an awareness of the responsibilities incumbent on the Law Society of Scotland, the Scottish legal profession and the Scottish solicitor in respect of equality and diversity.
- Assists in the training of new lawyers through peer learning and training of undergraduate students or other groups in society.

**Trust, respect and personal integrity***Positive Indicators:*

- Is honest with others on the course.
- Treats colleagues, tutors, administrative staff and others with civility and respect.