Weekly Education News and Insight

A round up of national education news and DfE insight.





National Education News

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GCSE and A-level changes give pupils advance warning of exam content

Teenagers in England will be given advance warning of some exam content next year because of disruption caused by Covid, the government says.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-59251962



One in four autistic children wait over three years for school support, poll finds

National Autistic Society says long waits for educational help is leaving families 'on the edge of crisis'.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.theguardian.com/society/2021/nov/09/one-infour-autistic-children-wait-over-three-years-for-support-in-

four-autistic-children-wait-over-three-years-for-support-in-school-survey



Ofsted: Lack of foster carers mean children missing out on support

A continued lack of capacity in the foster care sector is leading to vulnerable children missing out on the care and support they need, Ofsted says.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ofsted-lack-of-foster-carers-mean-children-missing-out-on-support



Ofsted launches consultation for children's homes and residential holiday schemes

The consultation contains proposals on new inspection arrangements for children's homes and residential holiday schemes.

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https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ofsted-launchesconsultation-for-childrens-homes-and-residential-holidayschemes

DfE Insight

A round up of DfE insight, guidance, research and key educational information.



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School resource management self-assessment checklist

This self-assessment checklist helps academy trusts check they are managing resources effectively and identify any adjustments they need to make.

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Children's Minister address to National Centre for Family Hubs

Minister Will Quince speaks to family hubs conference to launch £12 million Transformation Fund.

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Introduction of T Levels

Find out what T Levels courses include and how they work with other qualifications including grading and UCAS points.

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CO2 monitors: cumulative delivery statistics up to 29 October 2021

A summary of CO2 monitor delivery to state-funded education settings, including early years, schools and further education providers up to 29 October 2021.

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School governance update

Important news and communications from the Department for Education (DfE) relating to governance in maintained schools and academy trusts in England.

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Education Secretary puts climate change at the heart of education

Young people will be empowered to take action on the environment as part of new measures designed to put climate change at the heart of education.

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