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Weekly Education News and Insight

A round up of national education news and DfE insight.



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Instagram launches new parental controls in UK

Instagram owner Meta is launching new parental controls across the platform in the UK on 14 June.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-61796149>



Pupils missing school need more help

Children need more support to get them into school full-time, as mental-health problems surge, a report says.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-61786325>



Ofqual chief admits exam board mistakes caused 'distress'

Chief regulator Jo Saxton also told school leaders handwriting is 'here to stay', and warn they face worse results than 2021.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/ofqual-aqa-exam-mistakes-cst-speech-generous-results/>



Amanda Spielman's speech to the Confederation of School Trusts'

A speech by Ofsted's Chief Inspector at the Confederation of School Trusts' annual conference.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/amanda-spielman-s-speech-to-the-confederation-of-school-trusts>



Schools Bill: policy statements

Information explaining measures in the Schools Bill, which was introduced to Parliament in May 2022.

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Period products in schools and colleges

Guidance for schools and post-16 education organisations in England on providing free period products for all learners.

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Boost in activities and food pledged to support children

New funding announced for infant school meals, as supermarkets and sport organisations pledge to support children through Holiday Activities and Food programme.

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Changes to the school admission appeals code

We're seeking views on a revised version of the statutory school admission appeals code.

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Induction for newly qualified teachers during the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic

Guidance about additional funding for those currently undertaking induction.

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Education Secretary addresses Confederation of School Trusts Annual Conference

The Secretary of State sets out his ambitions for the school system, drawing on the Schools White Paper and Schools Bill currently passing through parliament.

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