# Weekly Education News and Insight

A round up of national education news and DfE insight.





### **National** Education News

A round up of national education news from various sources

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### Nurseries warn of closure risk without new funding

Nurseries could be forced to close if funding does not keep up with costs, a childcare association has warned.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-62508948



### Another tutoring review delayed as Ofsted blames 'capacity issues'

Watchdog's probe into tutoring was supposed to be published in the summer term, but is the second study to be delayed.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://schoolsweek.co.uk/another-tutoring-review-delayed-as-ofsted-blames-capacity-issues/



### New Schools Network launches 'innovation fund' to spend £650k reserves

Closing charity seeks applications from schools and trusts that aim to end educational inequality.

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https://schoolsweek.co.uk/new-schools-network-launches-innovation-fund-to-spend-650k-reserves/



### Ofsted: Concerns over damaging impact of staff shortages on children's social care

A new report looks at the ongoing impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on children's social care.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ofsted-concerns-over-damaging-impact-of-staff-shortages-on-childrens-social-care

### **DfE** Insight

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



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#### **High needs funding**

Information for local authorities and institutions about high needs funding arrangements.

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## Admissions appeals for maintained primary and secondary schools in England: academic year 2021 to 2022

Information on appeals submitted by parents against non-admission of their children to a preferred school for the start of academic year 2021 to 2022.

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#### Teachers' pension scheme payments: 2022 to 2023

Teachers' pension scheme payments made on behalf of the Department for Education (DfE) in the 2022 to 2023 financial year.

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#### Local skills dashboard

Dashboard showing statistics on local employment and skills in England to support local skills planning and delivery (including Local Skills Improvement Plans).

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### Family hubs and start for life programme: local authority guide

Guidance and sign up form for local authorities pre-selected to take part in the family hubs and start for life programme.

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