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A round up of national education news and DfE insight.





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Trans guidance is needed in schools, parents tell BBC

As pupils settle into a new academic year, BBC News has spoken to two parents whose children have questioned their gender about the impact the lack of transgender guidance for schools has had on their families.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-66709052



One in three teachers use AI to help with school work

Proportion of teachers and leaders reporting using the technology has doubled in five months.

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https://schoolsweek.co.uk/chatgpt-one-in-three-teachers-use-ai-to-help-with-school-work/



NELI catch-up scheme boosted children's language by 4 month

Evaluation also finds pupils eligible for free school meals made even more progress from national roll-out of intervention.

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https://schoolsweek.co.uk/neli-catch-up-scheme-boosted-childrens-language-by-4-months/



School suspensions rise sharply among disadvantaged children in England

Analysis shows that since the pandemic those living in poverty were 3.7 times more likely to be sent home than other pupils.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

https://www.theguardian.com/education/2023/sep/13/school-suspensions-rise-sharply-among-disadvantaged-children-in-england

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



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Sustainability leadership and climate action plans in education

The Department for Education's (DfE) sustainability leadership and climate action plans initiative.

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Induction for early career teachers (England)

Guidance for appropriate bodies, headteachers, school staff and governing bodies.

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More pupils of all ages to study languages

15 hubs selected as part of new programme to boost languages in schools across the country.

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DfE external data shares

Department for Education (DfE) approved data shares with external, third-party organisations.

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School census 2023 to 2024: technical information

Technical specification and validation rules for submitting 2023 to 2024 school census data.

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Primary school accountability

Technical guidance on primary school accountability measures.

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