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Weekly Education News and Insight

A round up of national education news and DfE insight.



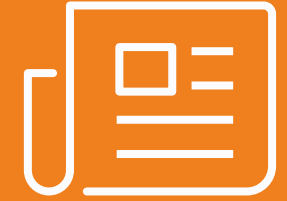
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National Education News

A round up of national education news from various sources



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NI Education: School staff strike to cause 'severe disruption'

Schools are likely to face severe disruption and some possible closures due to strike action by four big unions on Thursday 16 November.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-67362864>



Unions want £1.7bn more school funding in autumn statement

Chancellor warned that without extra cash, schools 'will begin to cut essential provision in order to survive'.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/unions-want-1-7m-more-school-funding-in-autumn-statement/>



Lee Owston to become Ofsted national director for education

Current deputy director for schools and education will replace Chris Russell in January.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/lee-owston-to-become-ofsted-national-director-for-education/>



Local agencies struggle to prioritise early help for children and families

Ofsted, the CQC and HMICFRS have published a joint report on the multi-agency response to children and families who need help.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/local-agencies-struggle-to-prioritise-early-help-for-children-and-families>

Department for Education

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



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LA and school expenditure: 2022 to 2023 financial year

How schools and local authorities spent their funding on education, children's services and social care in the financial year 2022 to 2023.

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Local authority interactive tool (LAIT)

An interactive spreadsheet for comparing data about children and young people across all local authorities in England.

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Local skills improvement plans (LSIPs): implementation and review

Information to support the implementation and review of LSIPs (stage 2).

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Connect the classroom

Find out about the programme to upgrade wifi networks in schools and who can take part.

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Education and training statistics for the UK: 2023

Data on schools, attainment, qualifications gained, education expenditure, further education and higher education in the UK.

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