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Pupils in unsafe schools need exam help - report

Students at schools in England that have had to close because of dangerous concrete should get a boost of up to 10% in their exams, says a report on the impact of Raac.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/articles/cw0d7l4x930o>



New research reveals key drivers behind absence

More focus needed on 'second transition' for pupils leaving year 7 and sanctions deemed 'insufficient'.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://schoolsworld.co.uk/new-research-reveals-key-drivers-behind-absence/>



New Ofsted inspection pauses: how they would work

Inspections could be paused for up to five days over leader wellbeing concerns, new policy states.

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://schoolsworld.co.uk/new-ofsted-inspection-pauses-how-they-would-work/>



A groundbreaking study shows kids learn better on paper, not screens.

For 'deeper reading' among children aged 10-12, paper trumps screens. What does it mean when schools are going digital?

READ THE FULL ARTICLE HERE

<https://www.theguardian.com/lifeandstyle/2024/jan/17/kids-reading-better-paper-vs-screen>

Department for Education

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



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Government responds to recommendations from Ruth Perry's inquest

The department for education has sent its response to the coroner's Regulation 28 report to prevent further tragedies.

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Buying for schools

Resources to help you buy goods and services for your school, get better value and be compliant with procurement regulations.

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Changes for 2023 to 2024

Any changes to the information we ask for or how it should be provided since the 2022 to 2023 academic year.

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Digital leadership and governance standards

Find out what standards your school or college should meet on digital leadership and governance.

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Primary school accountability

Technical guidance on primary school accountability measures.

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