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Weekly Education News and Insight

A round up of national education news and DfE insight.



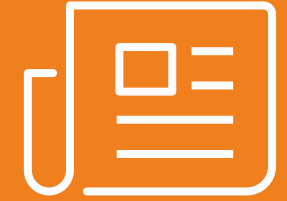
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National Education News

A round up of national education news from various sources



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Sir Martyn Oliver's first big Ofsted speech: in full

Ofsted chief inspector promises to 'do more to recognise the challenging circumstances heads face'.

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<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/sir-martyn-olivers-first-big-ofsted-speech-in-full/>



Trauma, expense and delays: Symptoms of a SEND system in 'complete crisis'

Complaints to the SEND watchdog have nearly tripled over the past five years.

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<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/trauma-expense-and-delays-symptoms-of-a-send-system-in-complete-crisis/>



Budget 2024: £105m for 15 special free schools, and nothing else

Plus no news on tutoring cash extension suggests 'curtain has crashed down' on scheme.

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<https://schoolsweek.co.uk/budget-2024-105m-for-15-special-free-schools-and-nothing-else/>



World Book Day: cost of living pushes schools to ditch dress-up plans

Some schools report that the annual call for children to wear book-themed costumes has been dropped to avoid further stretching family budgets.

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<https://www.theguardian.com/books/2024/mar/05/world-book-day-cost-of-living-dress-up-plans>

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



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Education Secretary addresses the ASCL Annual Conference

Gillian Keegan addressed school and college leaders at the ASCL Annual Conference in Liverpool.

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Maintained schools governance guide

Guidance on the strategic leadership and governance of local-authority-maintained schools.

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Statistics at DfE

The Department for Education publishes official statistics on education and children.

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Academy trust governance guide

Guidance on strategic leadership and the governance of academy trusts.

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Minister Halfon Speech for Landex Conference

Minister Halfon delivered a speech about land-based colleges, and the difference they make at a local and national level across the country.

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