

11-19 Headteachers' & Principals' County Strategic Meeting

Notes of the meeting

Date	Thursday 28 th March 2019
Venue	Wellshurst Golf & Country Club
Chair	Caroline Barlow
Present	Peter Marchant, Bob Ellis, Hugh Hennebry, Doreen Cronin, Sarah Pringle, Heidi Brown, Helen Key, Huxley Knox-Macaulay, Tony Smith, Emily Beer, Paul Swatton, Liza Leung, Vikki Stevens, Sol Berhane, Rachael Joseph, Barry Blakelock, Dom Downes, Stuart Reeves, Matt Hillier, Hilary Morawska, Susie Cowser, Phil Matthews, Zak Vice, Vicky Norris-Wright, Anna Robinson, Debbie Coslett, Lesley Young, Lynton Golds, Fionnuala Rodgers, Fiona Wright, Elizabeth Funge, Kerry Bennett,
Apologies	Yvonne Powell, Stephanie Newman, Rebecca Conroy, Frank Stanford, Stuart Gallimore, Justine Mountford, Neil Moir,

Item	Title	Action
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good wishes to Emily Beer as this is her last meeting before she goes on maternity leave • Updates were shared in advance with time given on tables to discuss and raise any questions • EALs – heads asked to discuss in area groups this afternoon whether any academies are interested in exploring the proposed model and pass to Phil to take forward If schools opted not to go into EALs schools keep the obligation and money in their budget. • Teaching schools – there is a shortage of SEN and RE SLEs. Heads urged to nominate any staff with the skills and capacity in this area. It would be good if an RS specialist could undertake the monitoring so it is done through school to school visits to support the SACRE. • EEF next round (disadvantaged pupils) – submit through local teaching school alliance lead. Discuss at SIB on 25th April • Centralised list of SLEs is being updated and will be shared on CZone by the end of academic year. • SACRE – there is a legal requirement for maintained schools to teach RE at KS4 but it is not a legal requirement to run an accredited course or take a qualification. Tony would like heads to propose revised wording and go back to SACRE to clarify the syllabus. Barry sits on SACRE committee and will take forward with Caroline. 	<p>Heads</p> <p>Heads</p> <p>KB</p> <p>TS</p> <p>CB/BB</p>
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Browne Jacobson – Dai Durbridge – complaints presentation Ofsted complaints - LA are keen to act swiftly and provide a timely response to protect the school. LA will look at the communication procedure between LA and school when an Ofsted complaint is received. Schools have previously been advised of the updated DfE policy and the LA will be providing a model policy after Easter. Cavendish to share template of a letter for response Agenda planning group will look at how we revisit this topic and look at how we can work together/learn from each other. • East Sussex Information Governance – Peter Questier – GDPR presentation 	<p>FW</p> <p>PM</p> <p>APG</p>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deputies joined the Ofsted part of the meeting • Ofsted framework – Anna Robinson gave feedback on her recent pilot inspection • Gary Holden presentation on consultation of the draft framework which heads are encouraged to respond and make any points before 5th April. https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/education-inspection-framework-2019-inspecting-the-substance-of-education 	
	<p align="center">Dates of future meetings Thursday 27th June Thursday 24th October Thursday 30th January 2020 Tuesday 31st March Thursday 18th June</p> <p align="center">Area meetings follow - All at Wellshurst Golf Club</p>	

