

SEND & Ofsted Framework brief update - What you need to know this Spring

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## **AGENDA**

#### 12.30 - Registration & Networking

Registration starts at 12.30pm. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be available upon arrival.

#### 13.00 - Welcome and Introduction

Integrated Treatment Services, Director of Services: Sarah Davis

#### 13.10 - Assessment and baselining tools to support EHC assessment and planning

Integrated Treatment Services, Service Delivery Manager: Helen Dunn

#### 13.55 - SEND & Ofsted Framework brief update - What you need to know this Spring

Integrated Treatment Services, Director of Services: Sarah Davis

#### 14.15 - Refreshment Break & Networking

#### 14.30 - Speech Link - digital assessment and baselining resources

Speech Link Multimedia LTD. Derry Patterson – SLT

#### 15.50 - *Plenary*

Integrated Treatment Services, Director of Services: Sarah Davis

#### 16.00 - Conference Ends



## Relevant Documents

- The common inspection framework: education, skills and early years from September 2015
- School inspection handbook from September 2015
- School inspection handbook for inspections under Section 8 of the Education Act 2005 from September 2015
- Further education and skills inspection handbook from September 2015
- Early years inspection handbook from September 2015
- Non-association independent school inspection handbook from September 2015
- Inspecting safeguarding in early years, education and skills from September 2015



## School Inspection Update

- Early days for the new inspection arrangements
- New short inspections being well received
- Main focus on the progress of current pupils but historic data still has a role to play in identifying areas for enquiry
- Do not expect to see any specific frequency, type or volume of marking. School decision through assessment policy.
- Evaluation of PE and Sport premium as well as Pupil Premium (statement on website on how spent and impact)



# Inspection arrangements in new schools

- New schools, academy converters, schools which have undergone change (amalgamation, adding a key stage)
- First inspection of a new school will normally be in its third year of operation
- Academy converter, predecessor was judged good will receive short one day inspection
- School judged good in last inspection but undergone significant change will have a section 5 (two-day) inspection



## Governance

- Updated Governance Handbook published by DfE in November 2015
- Section 6.4 outlines Children with SEND and Governing Body responsibilities
- Ofsted will refer to guidance when judging governance in school
- Ensure your SEN Information Report has been reviewed and easily accessible on your school website

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/governancehandbook



# Don't forget...

- Ofsted and CQC will commence LA inspections on the implementation of SEN reforms starting in May this year
- They will visit early years settings, schools and post 16 providers as part of the inspection process
- Need to ensure that you have the evidence and paperwork for transfers from statements to EHCPs and new EHC Needs assessment referrals.



## Watchstead

- New website that allows you to search for Ofsted reports
- Search by latest 100, local authority or postcode
- Search by establishment types
- Each school colour coded on map to depict outstanding, good, requires improvement or inadequate



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