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Dear Member

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD - TUESDAY, 19 FEBRUARY 2019

I am now able to enclose a copy of the presentation made at the meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Board held on Tuesday, 19 February 2019.

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Yours sincerely

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Education Outcomes and the Role of the Local Education Board Overview and Scrutiny 19th February 2019







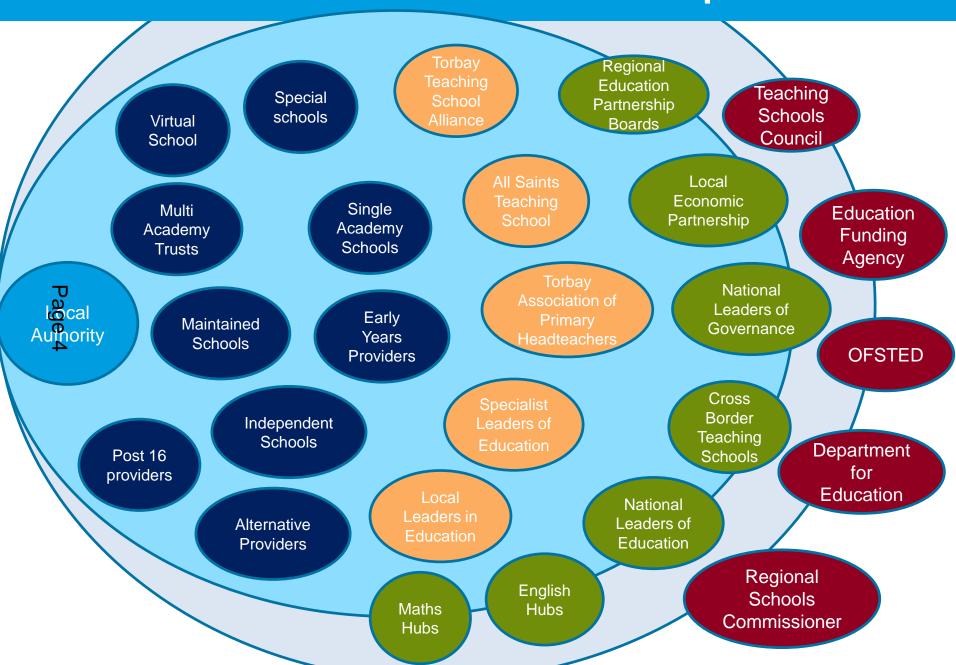


Scrutiny Questions

- What is the role of the Local Education Board in Torbay?
- What has been achieved to date?
- we what are its milestones for the coming 18 months?
 - How are we linking schools with businesses in Torbay?
 - How are we ensuring that young people are achieving the best they can?



Current Education Landscape



Purpose and Function of the Local Education Board

The purpose of the **TORBAY Education Board** is to improve educational outcomes in all schools by bringing key parts of the school improvement system together to identify good practice and address issues. The board will provide a coordinated approach to improving education outcomes within a diverse education system and be the vehicle for the delivery of the Torbay Education Strategy 2016-2020.

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- Open and professional engagement between local schools, academies and academy sponsors, and with local government and the agencies of national government
- Enabling cultures for partnerships and alliances as the building blocks of a self-improving system
- Early support, challenge and intervention for all schools and academies to address causes of underperformance minimising the risk of formal failure
- Quick turnarounds for any school or academy that does become inadequate
- A coordinated approach to ensuring high quality outcomes for our most vulnerable children and young people
- Long term stability within the education sector supporting strong, sustainable schools for the future

Purpose and Function of the Local Education Board

Specifically, the Board will:

- determine the overall strategy for school improvement and promote this to schools;
- identify good practice locally and nationally and use this to celebrate and drive forward priorities
- review the performance data and other outcomes based evidence relating to the progress of schools individually and collectively;
- set school improvement priorities for Torbay as a whole;
- commission, broker and signpost school improvement support;
- encourage and sustain robust professional challenge and support between schools/MATs;
- use intelligence to advise and guide on the future system planning
- ensure that no schools are left out; and
- evaluate the impact of support;
- provide up to date information to the Sub-Regional School Improvement Board.

What has been achieved to date?

- Ensuring that all partners recognise their own role within the system
- Ensuring that all partners recognise the interface across agencies and maximise the opportunities available.

• Agreeing the priority areas of action.

- Supporting the development and writing of the Disadvantage Strategy and associated action plan (to be reviewed at PDDG 4th March 2019).
- Ensured that Torbay's priorities are reflected in the regional and national priorities of groups.
- Reviewing the data for all schools and identifying strengths and areas for development.



What has been achieved to date?

- Brokered support for schools that have required challenge and support.
- Supported the development of the Continual Professional Development offer delivered by the Teaching Schools
- Identified schools to be part of the School
 Improvement Fund for Maths and Phonics
- Worked with All Saints Teaching School, Ilsham Academy to become an English Hub.
- Set up a sub- group to deal specifically with School Standards



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Key Deliverables of the Local Education Board

100% of Children in Good or Outstanding Schools

PRIMARY

Outstanding

4 schools

16% of our primary population attend



Good

21 schools

69.3% of our primary population attend



Requires Improvement

5 schools

13.6% of our primary population attend



Special Measures

1 school

1% of our primary population attend

SECONDARY



Outstanding

3 schools

31% of our secondary population attend



Good schools

6 schools

69% of our secondary population attend



Early Years Good Level of Development (GLD) Data 2018

LA overall GLD % 2018	National overall GLD % 2018
70.4% (√ nat 1.1%)	71.5%

Prime Learning Goals	% of children reaching the expected or exceeding level 2017	% of children reaching the expected or exceeding level 2018
Communication and Languages	80.4%	79.2% (↓ 1.2%)
Physical Development	85.9%	83.5% (V 2.4%)
ersonal, Social and Emotional Development	82.9%	82.0% (V 0.9%)
Specific Learning Goals	% of children reaching the expected or exceeding level 2017	% of children reaching the expected or exceeding level 2018
Literacy	74.7%	71.6% (√ 3.1%)
Mathematics	76.9%	76.5% (↓ 0.4%)
Understanding the World	84.2%	83.1% (V 1.1%)
Expressive Arts and Design	87.5%	86.8% (• 0.7%)

1 Phonics 2018

	% achieving expected level in phonics				
	Torbay	National			
All Pupils	86%个	82%个			
Boys	82%	79%			
Girls	90%	86%			
FSM	76%	70%			
Not-FSM	88%	84%			
FSM boys	73%	65%			
Not-FSM boys	84%	81%			
FSM Girls	80%	75%			
Not-FSM girls	92%	88%			
SEN with EHCP	16%	19%			
SEN Support	52%	48%			

- >% achieving has continued to increase and is now 4% above national
- ➤ all groups have improved from 2017 except FSM Girls
- FSM boys has improved by 9% and the gap is less than national

KS1 attainment 2018

	Reading		Writ	ing	Math	nematics	Scie	ence	RV	VM
	% achieving expected standard		% achieving expected standard		% achieving expected standard		% achieving expected standard		% achieving expected standard	
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	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	
All Pupils	73%↓	75%↓	68%=	70%个	74%↓	76%个	82%个	83%=	63%	65%
Male	67%↓	71%=	60%↓	63%↑	71%↓	75%个	78%↓	80%个	57%	60%
Female	80%个	80%=	77%个	77%个	77%个	77% ↑	85%个	85%=	71%	71%
FS	57%↓	60%↓	52%↓	53%个	55%↓	61%↑	67%	69%↑	46%	48%
No t F SM	77%=	78%=	72%个	73%个	78%=	79%个	85%=	85%=	67%	68%
SEN with										
EHCP	6%↓	13%↓	5%个	9%=	10%↓	13%↓	16%↓	15%↓	5%	8%
SEN support	31%↓	33%↓	29%个	25%个	34%↓	36%↓	49%↓	46%↓	22%	21%
EAL(other										
than eng)	71%个	73%↓	73%个	69% ↑	73%↓	75%个	76%=	79%个	62%	64%

➤ all groups except Females and EAL are lower than national % for reading expected standard

↑ indicates direction of travel from 2017

Source: SFR 2018 Provisional. RWM (NCER provisional)

KS2 attainment overall- 2018

	% achieving expected standard					
	Torbay	National				
All pupils	62%	64%				

	% achieving higher standard				
	Torbay	National			
All pupils	8%	10%			

Ø Torbay is 2% below the national benchmark for expected standard for all pupils

${\sf KS2} \atop {\sf U}$ Reading, writing, mathematics separate attainment

ge 13	READING % achieving expected standard		WRITING % achieving expected standard		MATHEMATICS % achieving expected standard		GPS % achieving expected standard	
	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	National
All Pupils	74%	75%	75%=	78%	74%	75%	73%	77%

> Torbay is 3% below national benchmark for writing, 4% below in GPS and 1% below for mathematics at expected standard Source: SFR 2018 provisional

NOTE: Attainment in all of reading, writing and maths (combined) is not directly comparable to previous years because of changes to writing TA frameworks

KS2 Attainment: 2018

	READING %achieving expected standard/Higher standard		Grammar Punctuation and Spelling %achieving expected standard/Higher standard		MATHS %achieving expected standard/Higher standard	
	Torbay National		Torbay	National	Torbay	National
All Pupils(1388)	74% / 26%	75% / 28%	73% / 28%	77% / 34%	74% / 22%	75% / 24%
Male (743)	70% / 22%	71% / 24%	67% / 23%	73% / 30%	73% / 22%	75% / 25%
Female (645)	79% / 30%	79% / 32%	80% / 35%	82% / 39%	76% / 21%	76% / 21%
Disadvantaged (472)	66% /18%	64% / 18%	64% / 15%	67% / 24%	64% / 15%	64% / 14%
Non-Disadvantaged (916)	79%/29%	80%/32%	78%/33%	82%/39%	80%/25%	81%/28%
SEN with EHCP (62)	25%/8%	17%/4%	24%/9%	16%/4%	19%/5%	16%/3%
SEN Support (222)	44%/8%	43%/9%	33%/6%	39%/8%	42%/5%	42%/6%
First Language not English (53)	77%/28%	70%/24%	83%/42%	79%/40%	83%/28%	77%/28%

- > Female attainment matches national for Reading and Maths at expected standard
- > Disadvantaged pupils matches national for Reading at Higher standard
- ➤ Source: National/NCER

KS4 Progress: 2018

	Average Attainment 8 score per pupil		% English + Maths who achieved a 9-5 pass		Progress 8 - Average Score		
	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	Torbay	National	
All Pupils(1339)	48.5	46.6	47.9%	43.4%	-0.05	-0.02	
Male (701)	46.4	43.9	45.8%	40.1%	-0.22	-0.25	
Female (638)	51.0	49.4	50.3%	46.8%	0.14	0.22	
Disadvantaged (326)	34.6 36.6		23.0%	4.6%	-0.64	-0.44	
Non-Disadvantaged (1013)	53.0	50.3	56.0%	50.2%	0.15	0.14	
FSM (315)	34.5	36.8	21.9%	24.9%	-0.65	-0.43	
Not-FSM (1024)	52.9	50.1	56.0%	49.9%	0.14	0.13	
SEN with EHCP (77)	7.9	13.5	1.3%	5.3%	-1.58	-1.08	
SEN Support (209)	40.6	32.1	34.4%	16.5%	-0.28	-0.43	
First Language not Eng (59)	56.4	48.0	57.6%	44.5%	0.88	0.49	

To Remove the Disadvantage Gap

Disadvantaged Strategy

This strategy sets out the context for our approaches to meet the needs of vulnerable learners and significantly close achievement gaps. We aim to ensure there is a high quality range of support, and opportunities, to enable vulnerable learners to become confident individuals, effective communicators, successful and responsive citizens, to remain healthy and to achieve the educational and life outcomes which they deserve.

The strategy also aims to ensure that the full range of services and partners work together more coherently with Edily Years and Childcare providers, schools, other educational settings, Public Health, CAMHS and the CCG to maximise the impact of available resources in further raising the attainment and improving the progress of the most vulnerable learners.

As there is much to do, our planned actions are ambitious and challenging. We are determined to pursue them relentlessly and we believe we have the ways to achieve them. As part of our on-going discussions and partnership with headteachers, governors and other stakeholders (Local Area Partners) there is a good level of shared ambition to achieve improvements in the period leading up to 2020.



To Remove the Disadvantage Gap

Priority One Participation

Local area partners will actively promote and communicate the local need to elected members, local education providers and external bodies.

There will be dedicated space on the Torbay Healthy Learning Website for schools.

The LA will facilitate a steering group and Wellbeing Outcomes Network that will champion the vulnerable pupil and include Local Area partners

Priority Two Ensuring the needs of vulnerable pupils are met

The LA have developed a comprehensive Special Education Needs and Disability Strategy, this will be implemented with pace and rigour.

Local area partners will undertake a needs assessment of alternative provision and ensure the generation of sufficient alternative placements.

The LA will gather intelligence on the number of children receiving part time packages, fixed term exclusions and permanent exclusions. We will both challenge and support schools to ensure that pupils are reintegrated and their school place retained.

Local area partners will develop our local policies and protocols to ensure children are safeguarded in education.

The Virtual school will enhance the outcomes of Children Looked After and hold ourselves and schools to account for the money received through pupil premium plus.

Priority Three Parental Influence and Involvement

Local area partners will create specific guidance and advice for parents to enable them to raise concerns and have their questions answered.

Local area partners will develop an Advocacy Service that will include parents, carers and families

Local area partners will develop our approach to coproduction of key strategies and decision making.

Priority FourPerformance Monitoring

The LA will implement a performance and monitoring system that is shared with schools and used by school leaders at the Local Education Board.

Local area partners will develop system leadership and collaborative capacity, engaging with regional partners, local leaders and accountable bodies to share local priorities and gaps.



To Remove the Disadvantage Gap

- Focused Leadership Programme Torbay Challenge
- Conference September/October 2019
- Identification of schools and MATS that have a proven track record

Identification and brokering of support for schools with a wide disadvantage gap

- Continual Professional Development offer for English and Maths leads
- Transition documentation for children moving within years or between phases



How are we linking schools with businesses in Torbay?

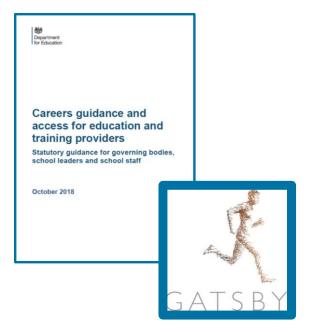
 Secondary and Post 16 Providers have received a half day training that included an input from the Local Enterprise Partnership.

This included:-

- Employment needs of the future
- Skill audit of workforce
- Curriculum information and design
- Opportunities across the LEP
- New qualifications

 GATSBY standards for Careers Information and Guidance





How are we linking schools with businesses in Torbay?

- Jobs Fair and Access to Careers Information and Guidance for Vulnerable Groups
- MADE project for engineering
- **STEM days** Page 20
 - **Focus Five**
 - Torbay's Works Programme
 - Careers Hub Devon and Somerset
 - Individual schools have relationships with businesses.







How are we ensuring children and young people can achieve the best that they can?

Principles of working for the benefit of all children

- Shared vision
- Shared ownership of issues
- Focus on all pupils
- Collective decision making
- Sector led support
- Offering quality statutory services

Challenge

Facilitating conversations regardless of governance

Holding the mirror to poor performance

Holding people to account

Asking the difficult questions

Support

Working across agencies

Acting as a champion for individual pupils

Ensuring leadership capacity is good for now and into the future

Ensuring a strong CPD offer that is focused on meeting the needs of pupils

