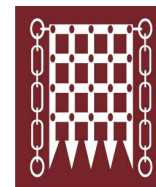


Westminster Education Forum Keynote Seminar
Priorities for independent schools: partnerships, impact of Brexit and inspection

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 5th December 2018

Venue: Central London



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 - 9.20 **Independent schools - next steps for policy**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 9.20 - 9.55 **Key sector priorities and opportunities**
Barnaby Lenon, Chairman, Independent Schools Council
Questions and comments from the floor with senior speaker to be confirmed
- 9.55 - 10.40 **The development of effective partnerships between the state and independent sector**
Deborah Leek-Bailey, Director, DLB Leadership Associates and former Chair, Independent/State School Partnership Forum
Senior representative, state school
Senior representative, independent school
Academic
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.40 - 10.45 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.45 - 11.10 Coffee
- 11.10 - 11.15 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.15 - 12.10 **Maintaining the competitive position of independent schools: the impact of Brexit, student recruitment from overseas and developing an international presence**
Vanessa Milner, Managing Director, Gabbitas Education
Colin Bell, Chief Executive Officer, COBIS
Senior representative, boarding school
Senior representative, lawyer
Commentator
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.10 - 12.55 **The inspection of independent schools: ensuring high standards and holding schools to account**
Senior speaker to be announced

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Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum