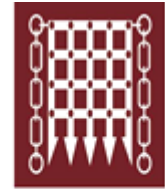


**Westminster Education Forum conference:
Next steps for alternative provision and tackling school exclusions in England**

Timing: Morning, Tuesday 1st November 2022

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 **Implementing effective behaviour management practice in schools - managing conduct and disruption, training and supporting staff, and addressing the implications of attainment**
Senior commentator
- 9.15 **Addressing the root causes of exclusions from school and learning from best practice in behaviour management**
Senior speaker from **The Difference**
- 9.25 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.40 Break
- 9.45 **Issues in and outside the classroom and reducing exclusions - persistent absences, understanding external factors, providing early and targeted support, and minimising the impact of disruptive behaviour on others at school**
Clr Jasmine Ali, Cabinet Member for Children, Young People, and Education, Southwark Council
Jahnine Davis, Co-Founder and Director, Listen Up; and, Doctoral Researcher, Kingston University
Karen Bruce, Assistant Principal and Child Protection Lead, Ark All Saints Academy, London
Laura Donnelly, Assistant Headteacher, Mangotsfield School, Bristol
Senior representative, social services
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.40 Break
- 10.45 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.50 **Embedding quality and standards in AP settings**
Sarah Johnson, President, PRUsAP; and, Founder, Phoenix Education Consultancy
- 11.00 **Improving the AP system - funding priorities, coordination, links with local SEND systems, quality and standards in unregistered provision, and improving accessibility of AP and travel options for students**
Jacob Vart, Headteacher, Hopespring Newcastle
Clr Jonathan Price, Cabinet Member for Education (and SEND), Stafford Borough Council
Professor Bev Peartree, Associate Professor in Special Educational Needs and Mental Health in Professional Practice, Leeds Trinity University
Senior representative, school
Senior representative, parent group
- 11.25 Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.45 **Optimising outcomes for students in AP - strategies for boosting educational attainment, easing integration in and out of mainstream education, and supporting the transition to post-16 and pathways to employment**
Gavin Cowan, Managing Director, Crossbar Coaching - Education in Sport
Neil Miller, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, London South East Academies Trust
Senior representative, employer
Senior representative, FE
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.25 Break
- 12.30 **Policy priorities for alternative provision, and implementing the recommendations of the SEND Review**
Senior representative, policy
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum