

Analysis and Research Bulletin

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Welcome to the Local Government Association (LGA) Analysis and Research Bulletin which also incorporates the Employment Digest.

This comprehensive monthly publication keeps you informed about key issues and developments in research impacting on local government.

The bulletin brings together the work of the LGA and also features relevant publications from the wider research community. The information in this bulletin is grouped under themed areas. This publication is produced by LGA Research and Information and we provide high quality analysis and research across all aspects of local government.

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New research and statistics

Employment, pay and workforce:

LGA Statistical Alert

The March 2018 Statistical Alert produced by LGA Research and Information shows Consumer Price Index including owner occupiers housing costs (CPIH) fell to 2.5 per cent in February 2018 from 2.7 per cent in January 2018. Retail Price Index (RPI) annual inflation decreased to 3.6 per cent in February 2018 from 4.0 per cent in January 2018.

The number of people in employment in Great Britain was 31,310,000 for the three months to January 2018; this has increased by 54,000 compared to the previous quarter to October 2017, from 31,256,000. Unemployment in Great Britain for the same periods was 1,426,000 for the quarter to January 2018, an increase of 30,000 from 1,396,000 in the previous quarter to October 2017.

Figures provided by XpertHR, an online resource for employment law HR good practice and benchmarking, showed the median whole economy pay settlement level of 2.5 per cent to the three months ending February 2018 unchanged from 2.5 per cent for the three months ending January 2018.

Results from the Labour Research Department (LRD) survey provided by XpertHR showed the median level of union-negotiated awards for the whole economy was 3.0 per cent in the three months to February 2018 an increase from 2.5 per cent for the previous three months to January 2018.

The Engineering Employers Federation mean (EEF, manufacturing) was 2.4 per cent in the three months to February 2018, unchanged from 2.4 per cent for the three months to January 2018. For more information visit: <https://www.local.gov.uk/our-support/research/statistical-alert>

NHS workforce statistics - November 2017, provisional statistics - England

These NHS Digital statistics provide monthly numbers of NHS Hospital and Community Health Service (HCHS) staff groups working in Trusts and clinical commissioning groups (CCGs) in England (excluding primary care staff). <http://digital.nhs.uk/catalogue/PUB30219>

NHS sickness absence rates October 2017 provisional statistics - England

This Monthly report provides information on NHS Sickness absence rates by regions, organisations and main staff groups during October 2017 in England. <http://digital.nhs.uk/catalogue/PUB30229>

Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills (Ofsted's) gender pay gap report 2017

This Ofsted report provides data on the difference in employee average earnings from April 2016 to March 2017.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/ofsted-gender-pay-gap-report-and-data-2017/ofsteds-gender-pay-gap-report-2017>

Graduate outcomes 2015 to 2016 - UK

These Department for Education (DfE) statistics provide information on the employment and earnings outcomes of Higher Education graduates in the UK broken down by subject studied and graduate characteristics.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/690859/SFR15_2018_Main_text.pdf

Factors affecting teacher retention: qualitative investigation - England

This DfE report provides findings from qualitative interviews with former teachers to explore their reasons for leaving the profession.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/686947/Factors_affecting_teacher_retention_-_qualitative_investigation.pdf

Teacher voice omnibus: March 2018 survey – England

This DfE report provides a summary of responses to questions asked in the teacher voice omnibus survey. In total, 1,962 practising teachers from 1,619 schools in the maintained sector in England completed the survey.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/687010/Teacher_Voice_report_Summer_2017.pdf

Improving health and employment outcomes - Wales

This report from the Wales centre for Public Policy suggests that whilst unemployment is currently low in Wales relative to past decades, economic inactivity due to ill health remains high. The report provides evidence as to how this can be addressed.

https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/f06571_a5ff3c7afb3e43cca7c9989dd7132411.pdf

Transport

Travel time measures for the Strategic Road Network (SRN) and local 'A' roads: January to December 2017 - England

These Department for Transport (DfT) statistics provide information on travel time on the Strategic Road Network and on locally managed 'A' roads in England for the year ending December 2017.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/684314/travel-time-measures-on-srn-and-local-a-roads-jan-to-dec-2017.pdf

Quarterly bus statistics: October to December 2017 - Great Britain

These DfT statistics provide information on local bus passenger journeys and fares in Great Britain for October to December 2017. <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/quarterly-bus-statistics-october-to-december-2017>

Education and young people:

The relative effectiveness of blended versus face to-face adult English and maths learning

This DfE report considers the relative effectiveness of face-to-face compared to blended learning for adult English and maths learning in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/683763/The_relative_effectiveness_of_blended_versus_face-to-face_adult_English_and_maths_learning.pdf

Family and Childcare Trust's 17th annual Childcare Survey

In its 17th annual Childcare Survey, the Family and Childcare Trust suggests that childcare prices have surged at double the rate of inflation.

<https://www.familyandchildcaretrust.org/childcare-survey-2018>

Children in need of help and protection: data and analysis - England

This DfE report provides analysis of the characteristics, experiences and outcomes of children in need in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/690999/Children_in_Need_of_help_and_protection_Data_and_analysis.pdf

Children living with parents in emotional distress: 2010 to 2016 - England

This Public Health England commentary provides information on the proportion of children living with at least one parent who is reporting symptoms of emotional distress, by family type and work status in England between 2010 and 2016. <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/children-living-with-parents-in-emotional-distress-2010-to-2016/statistical-commentary-children-living-with-at-least-one-parent-reporting-emotional-distress-2010-to-2016>

Children's homes research: the impact of standards on staff - England

This DfE report considers the qualifications, skills and training required to meet the needs of young people living in children's homes in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/689446/Children_s_Homes_Phase_3_Research.pdf

Not in Education or Training (NEET) statistics quarterly brief: October to December 2017 - England

These DfE statistics provide information on young people who were NEET between October and December 2017 in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/683881/SFR13-2018_NEET_Statistics_Quarterly_Brief_Q4-2017.pdf

Further education: indices of deprivation, England: 2015/16 academic year.

These DfE statistics provide information on the number of further education learners and apprentices in England during the 2015 to 2016 academic year by level of study and quintile of deprivation.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/further-education-indices-of-deprivation-england-2015-to-2016>

School funding pressures in England

This report from the Education Policy Institute examines the latest trends in English local authority maintained school balances, and assesses whether all schools will be able to meet cost pressures over the next two years, following recent government funding reforms.

https://epi.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Schools-funding-pressure_EPI.pdf

School capacity: academic year 2016/17 - England

These DfE and Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) statistics provide information on school places, unfilled school places, pupils over capacity, pupil number forecasts and place planning in England. For the 2016/17 academic year.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/689752/SFR07_2018_Co_mmentary.pdf

Pupil absence in schools in England: 2016 to 2017

These DfE statistics report on pupil absence in primary and secondary schools in the 2016/17 academic year in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/692406/SFR18_2018_absence_text.pdf

Environment:

Future of the sea

This Foresight project looking at the important future trends, challenges and opportunities for the UK from the sea.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/693129/future-of-the-sea-report.pdf

Health and social care:

Public health perceptions survey

In November 2017 the LGA conducted a survey of lead members of public health in England to capture the thoughts of local leaders on public health delivered by their local authority covering their perceptions of public health since transition from the NHS to local government, the priorities councils have set themselves and their ambitions for the future. <https://www.local.gov.uk/public-health-perceptions-survey>

Themed review of National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) research into support for people with severe mental illness.

This report brings together NIHR research on what can be done to identify and manage the needs of people with severe mental illnesses. https://www.dc.nihr.ac.uk/themed-reviews/severe-mental-illness-research.htm?utm_source=NIHR+Dissemination+Centre+mailing+list&utm_campaign=ada7d0022f-comprehensive-care&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_286155606c-ada7d0022f-167873737

National Institute of Health Research (NIHR) are looking for board members

The NIHR spends £10m on public health research every year and is keen to fund research that is relevant to local government and to that end are recruiting to their advisory board. They are looking for a Chief Executive of a council and a Director of Public Health. For more information visit:

<https://www.nihr.ac.uk/advisory-group-opportunities/ceodirector-local-authoritypublic-bodies-ref-phr1801/7846>

NIHR call for research on “Interventions to prevent or reduce gambling related harm”

Application dates: 16 January to 24 July 2018

The Public Health Research Programme are accepting stage 1 applications to their commissioned workstream for this topic: **18/04 Interventions to prevent or reduce gambling related harm**

To apply please review the:

- Commissioning brief
- Stage 1 guidance notes
- PHR supporting information

To apply visit: <https://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding-and-support/funding-opportunities/1804-interventions-to-prevent-or-reduce-gambling-related-harm/7750>

2017 survey of women’s experiences of maternity care - England

This Care Quality Commission (CQC) maternity survey received responses from 18,426 women who gave birth during January and February 2017. Women were asked about their experiences of care during labour and birth, as well as the quality of antenatal and postnatal support they received.

http://www.cqc.org.uk/sites/default/files/20180130_mat17_statisticalrelease.pdf?dm_i=10XE,5HF5W,LWBZQI,L9CT1,1

Policies for healthy lives: a look beyond Brexit

This collection of essays curated by the Health Foundation invited contributors with expertise in public health, employment standards, local government, consumer rights and food policy to share their insights on the potential public health risks and challenges ahead following the UK's departure from the EU. <http://www.health.org.uk/publication/policies-healthy-lives-look-beyond-brexit>

Against the odds: successfully scaling innovation in the NHS

This joint report from the Innovation Unit and The Health Foundation calls for new approaches to scaling tried and tested health care innovations. <http://www.health.org.uk/publication/against-odds-successfully-scaling-innovation-nhs>

How is the NHS performing – March 2018 quarterly monitoring report - England

The latest monitoring report from The Kings Fund analyses and comments on the changes and challenges the health and care system is facing. This is the 25th report and looks at what has happened over the past quarter. <https://www.kingsfund.org.uk/publications/how-nhs-performing-march-2018>

How to build lasting support to solve UK poverty

This Joseph Rowntree Foundation (JRF) summary explores public attitudes towards poverty in the UK. <https://www.jrf.org.uk/report/how-build-lasting-support-solve-uk-poverty>

Local Government

Metrics added to LG Inform this month include:

Statutory homelessness statistical releases – quarter 3 2017/18, England

The number of households living in temporary accommodation, in B&Bs (including shared annexes) in England was 5,710 in Q3 2017/18, a decrease from 5,990 in Q3 2016/17 - This is a simple count of those households living in temporary accommodation provided under the homelessness legislation who are living in bed and breakfast accommodation, including shared annexes.

http://lginform.local.gov.uk/reports/lgastandard?mod-metric=293&mod-area=E92000001&mod-group=AllRegions_England&mod-type=namedComparisonGroup

Pupil absence in schools in England – 2016/17

A pupil is classified as a persistent absentee if they miss 10 per cent or more of their own possible sessions. This measure relates to the school year, and is expressed as a percentage of all pupil enrolments at maintained secondary schools. In England in 2015/16 13.1 per cent of pupils were considered to be persistently absent. For 2016/17 this figure had risen to 13.5 per cent.

http://lginform.local.gov.uk/reports/lgastandard?mod-metric=9960&mod-area=E92000001&mod-group=AllMetropolitanBoroughLalnCountry_England&mod-type=namedComparisonGroup

Phonics screening check and key stage 1 assessments – 2016/17, England

The percentage of pupils with Special Educational Needs (SEN) Support meeting the expected standard of phonic decoding in England in 2016/17 was 47 per cent, which has increased from 46 per cent in 2015/16 and 42 per cent in 2014/15. The phonics screening check is a statutory assessment for all pupils in year 1 (typically aged six) and all state-funded schools with a year 1 cohort must administer the check.

http://lginform.local.gov.uk/reports/lgastandard?mod-metric=4667&mod-area=E92000001&mod-group=AllMetropolitanBoroughLainCountry_England&mod-type=namedComparisonGroup

LG Inform report - personal wellbeing in your area

This new LG Inform report provides an overview of the four key measures of self-reported personal wellbeing from the ONS Annual Population Survey. These are: Happiness, Anxiety, Life Satisfaction and Worthwhile. An outline of key wider determinants of wellbeing is also included at the end of the report.

<http://lginform.local.gov.uk/reports/view/lga-research/lga-research-summary-report-personal-wellbeing-in-your-area>

Guidance on creating and maintaining open standards

The LGA's technical partners have been working with the Open Data Institute to develop guidance to support the standardising of local data sets, based on a decade of experience of doing this. For more information visit: <https://standards.porism.com/>

Record of Processing Activity (RoPA) in LG Inform Plus

From the start of April 2018, LG Inform Plus offers enhanced data and tools to enable users to meet the General Data Processing Requirement (GDPR) to maintain a Record of Processing Activity (RoPA). You can view further information on the guidance materials by [searching File Exchange for "RoPA"](#).

LG Inform and Inform Plus training and events

Are you interested in learning more about LG Inform or LG Inform Plus? If so, why not sign up for online training sessions? They're quick, informative and easily accessible from the comfort of your own desk.

You will be sent a phone number to join a conference call and a URL to let you view LGA's computer screen, then one of our experienced data analysts will run through the site and show you how it works in practice.

[Find out about upcoming online training sessions here](#), or click on any subject name to download a PDF guide. Email lginform@local.gov.uk to sign up for any of the available sessions.

Alternatively, you can book your place on one of our popular face to face training days using the links below. You can learn what's available, how to use the tools, and ask any questions you may have.

- [6th June 2018](#), Ashfield, Nottingham: LG Inform & LG Inform Plus
- [24th July 2018](#), London: LG Inform & LG Inform Plus

LGA are always happy to visit councils to provide our training sessions. If your council would be interested in hosting an event, please contact us at lginform@local.gov.uk

Economy

UK overseas trade in goods statistics: January 2018

These HM Revenue and Customs statistics provide information on UK overseas trade statistics (OTS) at summary product and country level during January 2018.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/686864/OTS_Release_01_2018.pdf

UK overseas trade in goods statistics January 2018: import and export data

These HM Revenue and Customs statistics provide information on EU and Non-EU import and export data for January 2018. <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/uk-overseas-trade-in-goods-statistics-january-2018-import-and-export-data>

Retail sales in Great Britain: February 2018

These ONS statistics provide a first estimate of retail sales, including quantity bought, store prices, average spend and internet sales, seasonally and non-seasonally adjusted in Great Britain during February 2018.

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/businessindustryandtrade/retailindustry/bulletins/retailsales/february2018>

Responding to Brexit

The What Works Centre for Local Economic Growth undertook a major programme of work focusing in on 10 authorities with diverse local economies to help them understand the impact Brexit is likely to have, and to consider how they might prepare and respond with more effective policy. The resulting briefing highlights what was learned in the sessions with the 10 local areas, and summarises existing evidence and guidance on what is most likely to support places as they prepare for wider economic change. http://www.whatworksgrowth.org/resources/responding-to-brexit/?utm_source=What+Works+Centre+for+Local+Economic+Growth+Newsletter&utm_campaign=064cd40997-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_02_07&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_20db6f6dab-064cd40997-90328257

http://www.whatworksgrowth.org/resources/responding-to-brexit/?utm_source=What+Works+Centre+for+Local+Economic+Growth+Newsletter&utm_campaign=064cd40997-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_02_07&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_20db6f6dab-064cd40997-90328257

Housing:

Home owners and poverty

This JRF report examines the relationship between home-ownership, low incomes and poverty.

<https://www.jrf.org.uk/report/home-owners-and-poverty>

Statutory homelessness and homelessness prevention and relief, England: October to December 2017

These Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (MHCLG) statistics provide information on households found to be homeless by local authorities under homelessness legislation between October and December 2017 in England.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/692938/Statutory_Homelessness_and_Prevention_and_Relief_Statistical_Release_Oct_to_Dec_2017.pdf

Housing and health: opportunities for sustainability and transformation partnerships

This report from the King's Fund (supported by the National Housing Federation), sets out ways in which sustainability and transformation partnerships and emerging integrated care systems can make more of the contribution of the housing sector to improving health.

<https://www.housinglin.org.uk/Topics/type/Housing-a-home-for-STPs-looking-to-influence-the-wider-determinants-of-health/>

Crime

Youth justice statistics 2016/17 – England and Wales

These statistics from The Youth Justice Board (YJB) and The Ministry of Justice (MoJ) look at the Youth Justice System (YJS) in England and Wales for the year ending March 2017 in terms of the number of children and young people (those aged 10 – 17) in the system, the offences they committed, the outcomes they received, their demographics and the trends over time.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/676072/youth_justice_statistics_2016-17.pdf?dm_i=10XE,5HF5W,LWBZQI,L99FP,1

Knife and offensive weapon sentencing quarterly: October to December 2017 – England and Wales

These MoJ statistics provide information on trends in cautioning and sentencing of knife or offensive weapon offences in England and Wales during October and December 2017.

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/686493/knife-possession-sentencing-q4-2017.pdf

Regular publications and events:

LARIA annual conference 2018: call for papers and speakers

'Shaping the place – the role of local area intelligence'

LARIA have launched their 2018 annual conference which will be held on Tuesday, 22 - Wednesday, 23 May 2018 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Chester.

For full details please visit: <http://www.cvent.com/events/laria-annual-conference-2018/event-summary-da65a32ddd174f59a575b44e66501454.aspx>

British Association for the Study and Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (BASPCAN) events:

BASPCAN Congress 2018

Thinking outside the box: innovative perspectives on protecting children and young people

8-11 April 2018, University of Warwick, Coventry

A programme of keynote talks, free papers, symposia and workshops that will allow you to update your knowledge and skills, learning from new and emerging research and interacting with others who feel passionately about protecting children and supporting families.

Early-bird bookings information: <https://www.baspcan.org.uk/baspcan-congress-2018/baspcan-congress-2018-bookings/>

Social Research Association (SRA) training courses

The SRA still has a number of research training courses taking place in London, Edinburgh and Cardiff.

Full details of all SRA courses (including their Programme for 2018) can be seen at <http://the-sra.org.uk/training/>

For questions please email Lindsay.adams@the-sra.org.uk or telephone 0207 998 0304

TWRI Local Economic Change and Development Conference

Park Inn Radisson Hotel, York on Friday 29th June 2018, 10.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

The Conference will feature presentations from academics, government departments and agencies, local authorities and TWRI Policy & Research. The conference aims to look forward to the 2020s, exploring three linked themes; Economic and Labour Market Change, together with impacts from Brexit.

Further details, including the downloadable booking form, can be found on the TWRI website: www.twri.org.uk

The Royal Statistical Society's (RSS) 2018 International Conference

Cardiff 3-6 September 2018.

The RSS International Conference provides an opportunity for anyone interested in statistics and data science to share information and network.

The 2018 conference will, once again, be organised by 'streams' allowing in-depth focus on specialised topics as well as broader presentations on new developments and thinking in statistics around:

- * Applications of statistics
- * Communicating and teaching statistics
- * Data science
- * Environmental statistics
- * Industry and Finance
- * Medical statistics
- * Methods and Theory
- * Official statistics and public policy
- * Professional Development
- * Social statistics

The RSS are currently working on the 2018 streams and programme and are interested in any ideas for topics and speakers. Send your ideas to: conference@rss.org.uk.

Book your place now for roadshows on 2021 Census outputs, migration and population statistics

On 28 February 2018 the Office for National Statistics (ONS) launched a public consultation outlining the [initial proposed design of 2021 Census outputs](#) and the dissemination channels for England and Wales. ONS would like to gather your views on their initial design of 2021 Census outputs to ensure that proposals will meet your needs. They are also holding five regional roadshows to allow you to ask questions about the consultation and try out their current prototype of a flexible dissemination system. The roadshows will also provide an update on changes to population and migration statistics. You can [book your place at an event on Eventbrite](#).

You can [respond to the consultation](#) online or if you wish to contact ONS about the consultation, please email the 2021 Census Outputs and Dissemination Team at census.outputs@ons.gov.uk. The consultation is open until midnight on **23rd May 2018** ONS will publish the responses to your feedback in Autumn 2018.

SRA - Social Research Practice journal

The fourth issue of the SRA's free e-journal is now available:
<http://the-sra.org.uk/journal-social-research-practice/>

University of Bristol – policy newsletter

This policy newsletter from the University of Bristol includes the latest policy research briefings and information on how their research relates to current affairs and legislation:
<http://www.bristol.ac.uk/policybristol/communications/>

Project Oracle children and youth evidence hub

Project Oracle is a children and youth evidence hub. The latest newsletter provides a round-up of Project Oracle news, and headlines from across the sector. To receive the regular Project Oracle newsletter visit: <http://project-oracle.com/login/register/>

The Rees Centre newsletter

The Rees Centre publish a newsletter every two months giving an update on their fostering related research activities and events along with a book review and a section on young voices:
<http://reescentre.education.ox.ac.uk/about-us/2018/01/>

Local Digital Coalition newsletter

In this newsletter, find out about a series of events on the forthcoming General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), the next LocalGov Digital London Peer Group meeting, and about the first Data & Insight Authority Forum Summit. To register for the newsletter visit: <https://www.localdigitalcoalition.uk/>

House of Lords Library Current Affairs Digest (CAD)

The CAD provides a digest of articles from the Library's journal subscriptions, blogs and magazines, plus speeches and think tanks: <http://lordsdigest.digiminstster.com/>

National Foundation for Educational Research (NFER) Direct

NFER Direct and NFER Direct for Schools are monthly email newsletters, containing information about latest research and updates on NFER activities: <http://www.nfer.ac.uk/about-nfer/nferdirect/>

Team around the child (TAC) bulletin

This monthly bulletin is for everyone involved with childhood disability:

<http://www.tacinterconnections.com/index.php/allnews/tacbulletins/2854-tac-bulletin-issue-number-216-march-2018>

Child Welfare Inequalities Project (CWIP) news

The CWIP at Coventry University studies the links between deprivation and children's chances of being unable to live safely within their birth families and also aims to establish child welfare inequalities as a core concept in policy making, practice and research:

<http://www.coventry.ac.uk/research/research-directories/current-projects/2014/child-welfare-inequality-uk/latest-news/>

Centre for Evaluation newsletter

The Centre for Evaluation develops interventions, systems and strategies to improve public health using rigorous evaluation methods. Their latest newsletter is now available:

<http://evaluation.lshtm.ac.uk/newsletter-archive/>

Youth Justice E- bulletin

The Association of Panel Members (AOPM) is the professional association for up to 6,000 volunteers supporting young offenders in the community. Their latest bulletin is now available:

<http://www.aopm.co.uk/index.php?page=newsletter-access>

Weekly Nesta newsletter

This weekly newsletter from Nesta provides information on latest publications, events and funding opportunities: <http://www.nesta.org.uk/news>

Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) society now

This regular magazine, provides the latest social science research for key opinion formers in business, government and the voluntary sector: <http://www.esrc.ac.uk/news-events-and-publications/publications/magazines-and-newsletters/society-now-magazine/>

Education Endowment Foundation (EEF) news alert

EEF news alerts provide information about teaching and learning toolkits, project evaluation reports, grant funding rounds and news and events:

<https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/index.php?/news/>

Early Intervention Foundation (EiF) newsletter

This regular newsletter from the EiF brings together research, evidence and implementation guidance to champion effective early intervention for children and young people:

<http://us4.campaign-archive1.com/?u=c50045dae15bca50ed86d8908&id=79cd2f3c21&e=f2724c3bf8>

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