



Hot Topics

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What governors and clerks need to know, when they need to know it.

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Today's Topics:

- Ofsted launch of new inspection framework for September 2019
- Teacher recruitment website
- Funding for Teachers' Pension increases
- Relationship & Sex Education

1. Ofsted Framework.

September 2019

- Consultation closed 5th April
- New framework launched today (14th May)
- *‘The new framework puts the real substance of education at the heart of inspection and supports leaders and teachers who act with integrity.’*

Ofsted Framework. September 2019

‘Ofsted inspectors will spend less time looking at exam results and test data, and more time considering how a nursery, school, college or other education provider has achieved their results. That is, whether they are the outcome of a broad, rich curriculum and real learning, or of teaching to the test and exam cramming.’



Ofsted Press Release 14th May 2019

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Ofsted Framework. September 2019



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Press release

Ofsted's new inspection arrangements to focus on curriculum, behaviour and development

Ofsted has published the outcome of the consultation on its new education inspection framework, which will take effect from September 2019.

Published 14 May 2019

From: [Ofsted](#)



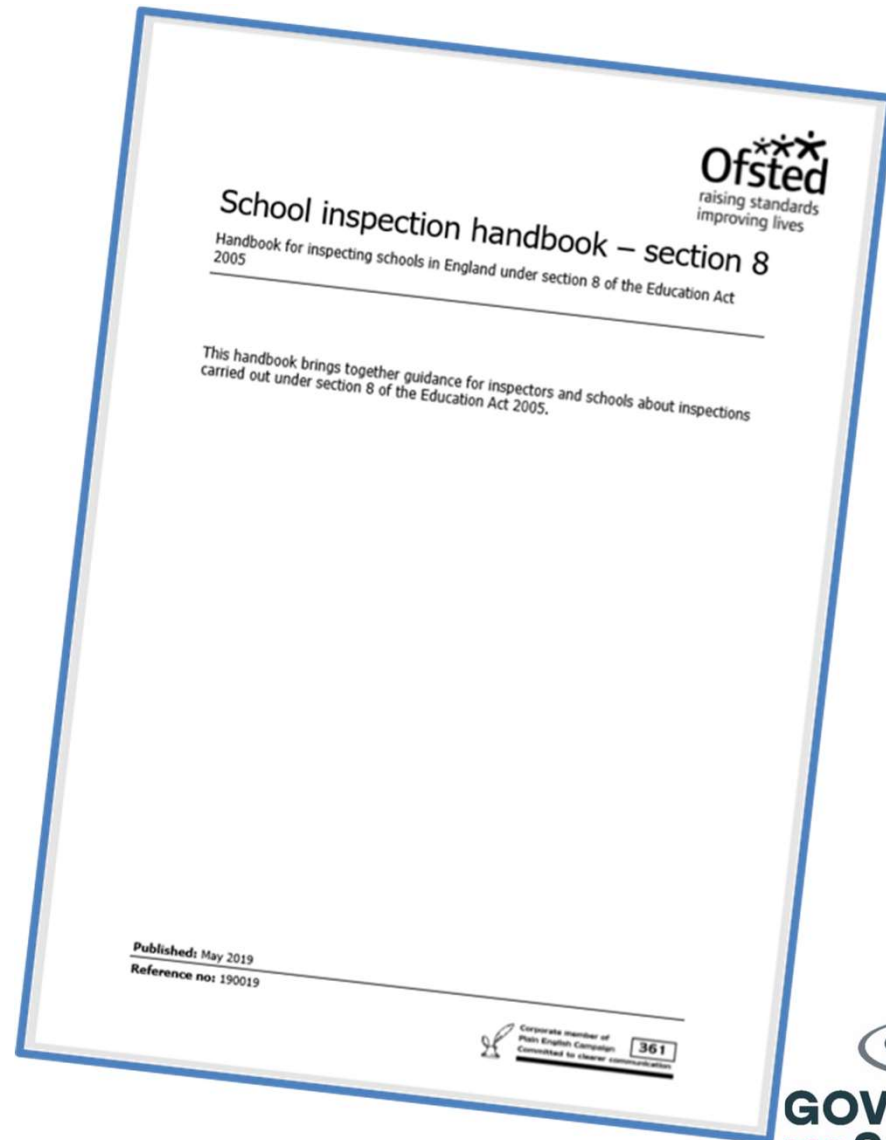
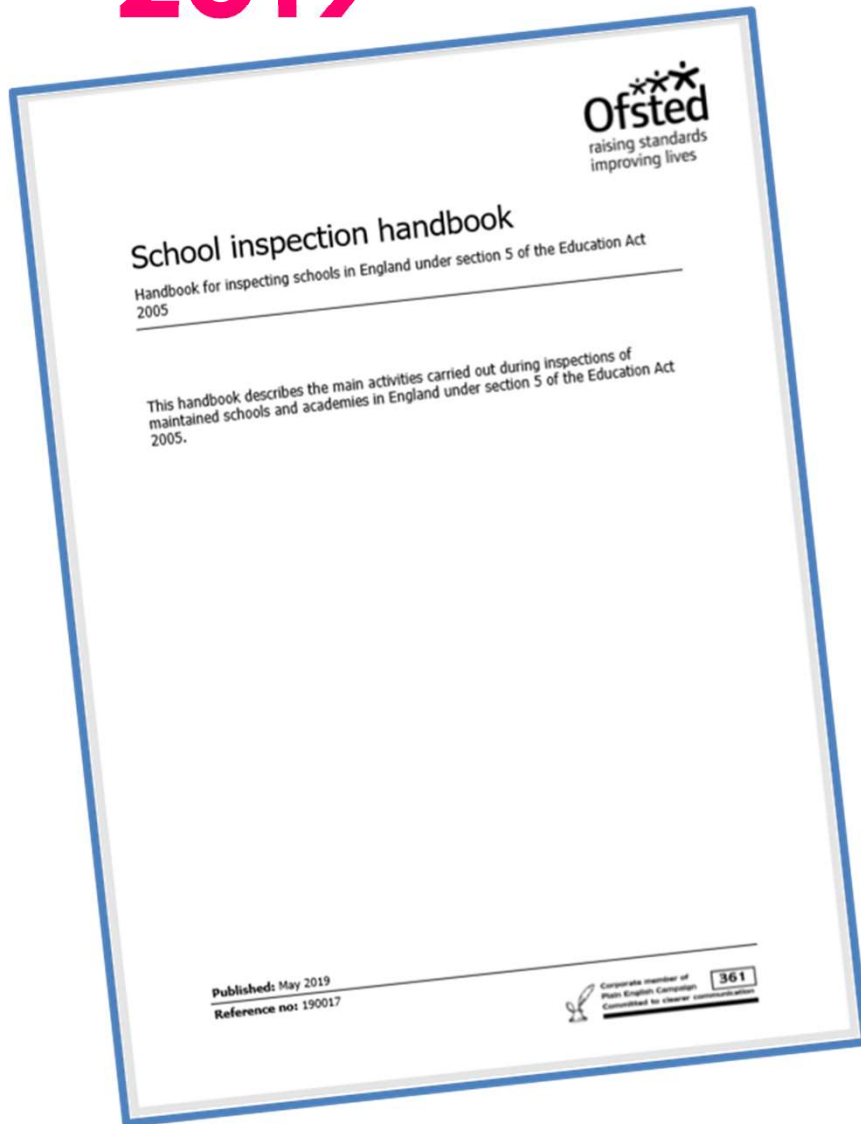
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Ofsted Framework. September 2019



Consultation outcomes:

- Four new judgements (3 new 1 very similar)
- *Good schools will normally receive a two-day section 8 inspection approximately every four years.*
- No on-site preparation; instead enhanced prep
- *Off-rolling* will be a focus
- Revised guidance on inspecting governance

The four judgements:



Ofsted new framework

Questions for Governors & Trustees

- When will we access training?
- Does our governance structure equip us with sufficient strategic oversight of curriculum intent and impact?
- Is my school still outstanding?
- Does my school 'off-roll'?

Poll #1

Do you think your current governance structure provides the board with sufficient strategic overview of the curriculum?

2. Teacher Recruitment Service

- Launched 8th April 2019
- Branded as 'Teacher Vacancies'
- Response to high and ever-increasing recruitment costs for schools
- Free to use for all state-funded schools (*maintained and academies*)
- Secretary of State advised schools to *stop* using agencies

Teacher Vacancies – landing



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Salary £24,859 to £36,157 per year

Date posted 26 April 2019

Closing date 17 May 2019

Working pattern Full time

Expected start date 1 September 2019



Teacher Vacancies

Questions for Governors & Trustees

- How much did we (our school) spend on teacher recruitment in 2018-19?
- Are we expecting any teacher resignations by May 31st?
- Have we registered yet?

3. Teachers' Pensions

- Announcement 10th April
- DfE will *fully-fund* increases in Teachers' Pensions for 2019-20
- Any future funding will be dependant on the outcome of the next government Spending Review (due later this year)

Teachers' Pensions



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News story

Teachers' Pension Scheme protected to ensure it remains among most lucrative

Government commits £940 million to protect Teachers' Pension Scheme so it will remain among most generous in the country

Published 10 April 2019

From: [Department for Education](#) and [The Rt Hon Damian Hinds MP](#)

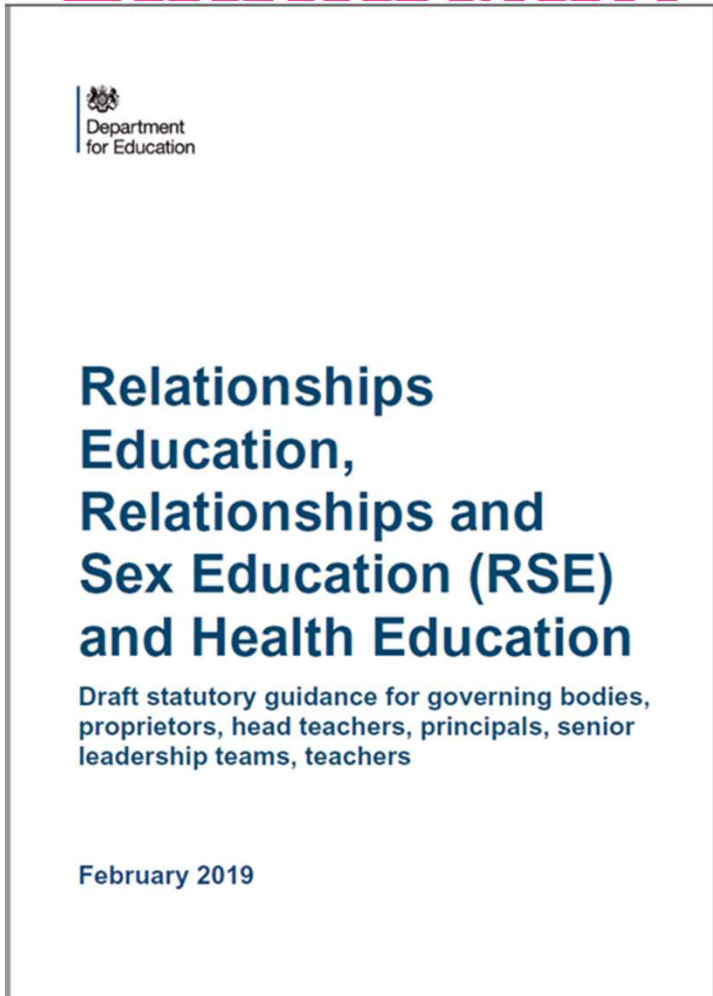


Teachers' Pensions

Questions for governors/trustees

- Did we make provision for the increase in teachers' pension costs in our draft budget?
- Do we need to review this years budget?
- What are we planning for 2020-21 budget?

4. Relationship & Sex Education



- Published 25th Feb 2019
- Response to consultation (July –Nov. 2018)
- Regulations now approved by House of Commons and Lords
- Regulations into force in Sept. 2020 (schools can commence Sept. 2019)

Relationship & Sex Education

- Parental right to *request* withdrawal from some of the sex education
- Emphasis on distinction between online and real world
- Schools may teach about faith perspectives
- *Teaching should reflect the law (e.g. Equality Act 2010) as applies to relationships.*
- *Teaching about families requires sensitive and well-judged teaching based on knowledge of pupils and their circumstances.*

Relationship & Sex Education

Questions for governors

- Is the school aware of the new (draft) regulations?
- Will compliance cause issues with parents?
- Which policies will need reviewing

Poll #2

Has your school considered the implications of the new relationships and sex education guidance?

Any questions



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