

## **Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 22 January 2014 for answer on 29 January 2014**

**R – Signifies the Member has declared an interest.**

**W – Signifies that the question was tabled in Welsh.**

**(Self identifying Question no. shown in brackets)**

### **To ask the Minister for Education and Skills**

- 1. Jenny Rathbone (Cardiff Central):** What is the Minister's assessment to date of the Appetite for Life campaign? OAQ(4)0376(ESK)
- 2. Julie James (Swansea West):** What plans does the Minister have for special educational needs provision in Swansea? OAQ(4)0368(ESK)
- 3. Janet Finch–Saunders (Aberconwy):** Will the Minister make a statement on special educational needs provision? OAQ(4)0382(ESK)
- 4. Byron Davies (South Wales West):** Will the Minister make a statement on his priorities for improving educational attainment for the remainder of this Assembly? OAQ(4)0374(ESK)
- 5. Dafydd Elis–Thomas (Dwyfor Meirionnydd):** What progress does the Minister foresee in the teaching of adults in the community, following the merger of the Workers' Educational Association in South Wales and North Wales? OAQ(4)0371(ESK)W
- 6. Suzy Davies (South Wales West):** What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the impact the Williams Commission recommendations will have on education consortia? OAQ(4)0372(ESK)
- 7. Alun Ffred Jones (Arfon):** Will the Minister report on progress towards making his response to the 'Review of the Cwricwlwm Cymrieg, history and the story of Wales'? OAQ(4)367(ESK)W

**8. Lynne Neagle (Torfaen):** Will the Minister provide an update on discussions between Coleg Gwent and Torfaen County Borough Council regarding post-16 provision? OAQ(4)0381(ESK)

**9. Suzy Davies (South Wales West):** Will the Minister provide an update on the teaching of Welsh as a second language? OAQ(4)0373(ESK)

**10. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire):** Will the Minister make a statement on the provision of services for children with additional educational needs in Brecon and Radnorshire? OAQ(4)0378(ESK)

**11. Russell George (Montgomeryshire):** Will the Minister make a statement on teacher recruitment and retention in Wales? OAQ(4)0380(ESK)

**12. Rebecca Evans (Mid and West Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on the role of schools in safeguarding children? OAQ(4)0377(ESK)

**13. David Rees (Aberavon):** Will the Minister make a statement on continuing professional development for science teachers in Wales? OAQ(4)0375(ESK)

**14. Leighton Andrews (Rhondda):** Will the Minister make a statement on the money set aside for schools to research the First World War? OAQ(4)0365(ESK)

**15. Mike Hedges (Swansea East):** Will the Minister make a statement on the level of absenteeism in primary schools in Wales? OAQ(4)0364(ESK)

## **To ask the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport**

**1. William Powell (Mid and West Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on Welsh Government plans to develop the Welsh economy? OAQ(4)0362(EST)

**2. Lynne Neagle (Torfaen):** Will the Minister make a statement on rail services in Torfaen? OAQ(4)0367(EST)

**3. David Rees (Aberavon):** Will the Minister make a statement on the progress of the Welsh Government's Science Strategy? OAQ(4)0365(EST)

**4. Rhodri Glyn Thomas (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr):** Will the Minister make a statement on the consultation process for Carmarthenshire residents concerning bus services following the cancellation of the Arriva service? OAQ(4)0357(EST)W

**5. Rhun ap Iorwerth (Ynys Môn):** Will the Minister make a statement on the latest economic forecasts for Wales? OAQ(4)0370(EST)W

**6. William Graham (South Wales East):** Will the Minister make a statement on the transport network in South Wales East? OAQ(4)0363(EST)

**7. Keith Davies (Llanelli):** Will the Minister give an update on her work to support small businesses in Wales? OAQ(4)0369(EST)W

**8. Julie James (Swansea West):** What plans does the Minister have to boost economic activity in Swansea in 2014? OAQ(4)0356(EST)

**9. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West):** Will the Minister provide a progress update on the SA1 development? OAQ(4)0358(EST)

**10. Gwyn Price (Islwyn):** Will the Minister make a statement on how improved transport infrastructure can encourage economic development? OAQ(4)0361(EST)

**11. Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on the promotion in Wales of CERN, the European Organisation for Nuclear Research? OAQ(4)0354(EST)

**12. Mark Isherwood (North Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on the provision of rail services in North Wales? OAQ(4)0366(EST)

**13. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire):** Will the Minister make a statement on the trunk road network in Powys? OAQ(4)0368(EST)

**14. Llyr Gruffydd (North Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on the performance of the Deeside Enterprise Zone? OAQ(4)360(EST)

**15. Rebecca Evans (Mid and West Wales):** Will the Minister make a statement on the transport infrastructure in Mid and West Wales? OAQ(4)0364(EST)