

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 26 February 2014 for answer on 5 March 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. Lynne Neagle (Torfaen): Will the Minister outline what progress is being made in delivering high quality post 16 provision for young people in Torfaen? OAQ(4)0388(ESK)

2. Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire): What is the Welsh Government doing to support children with special educational needs? OAQ(4)0383(ESK)

3. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the Minister provide an update on a national contract for further education? OAQ(4)0398(ESK)

4. Sandy Mewies (Delyn): What is the Welsh Government doing to support youth work in Wales? OAQ(4)0391(ESK)

5. Keith Davies (Llanelli): Will the Minister provide an update on special education provision in south Wales? OAQ(4)0395(ESK)W

6. Alun Ffred Jones (Arfon): Will the Minister make a statement on the progress across Wales in developing Welsh in Education Strategic Plans? OAQ(4)0392(ESK)W

7. Suzy Davies (South Wales West): Will the Minister provide an update on the provision of free education for three year olds? OAQ(4)0396(ESK)

8. Mick Antoniwi (Pontypridd): Will the Minister make a statement on the requirements placed upon local authorities in respect of public consultation when school catchment area changes are proposed? OAQ(4)0389(ESK)

9. Rhun ap Iorwerth (Ynys Môn): What is the Welsh Government doing to promote entrepreneurial training in schools? OAQ(4)0393(ESK)W

10. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire): Will the Minister make a statement on the provision of services for children with additional learning needs in Brecon and Radnorshire? OAQ(4)0386(ESK)

11. Gwyn Price (Islwyn): Will the Minister make a statement on the importance of citizenship to children's education? OAQ(4)0385(ESK)

12. Ann Jones (Vale of Clwyd): Will the Minister make a statement on secondary education standards in the Vale of Clwyd? OAQ(4)0390(ESK)

13. Janet Finch Saunders (Aberconwy): Will the Minister make a statement on secondary educational standards in Wales? OAQ(4)0397(ESK)

14. Rhun ap Iorwerth (Ynys Môn): Will the Minister make a statement on the importance of consistency in education funding across Wales? OAQ(4)0394(ESK)W

15. Simon Thomas (Mid and West Wales): What discussions has the Minister had with Powys County Council regarding provision for pupils with additional learning needs? OAQ(4)0387(ESK)W

To ask the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport

1. Gwyn Price (Islwyn): Will the Minister make a statement on the development of co-operatives and mutuals in Wales? OAQ(4)0372(EST)

2. Keith Davies (Llanelli): Will the Minister provide an update on the report of the task and finish group that was established to consider the relationship between the Welsh language and economic development? OAQ(4)0389(EST)W

3. Mick Antoniw (Pontypridd): Will the Minister provide an update on work to upgrade Pontypridd railway station? OAQ(4)0379(EST)

4. Peter Black (South Wales West): Will the Minister make a statement on recent closures of the Briton Ferry M4 bridge due to incidents relating to high winds? OAQ(4)0375(EST)

5. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the Minister provide an update on the Welsh Government's strategy for integrated transport? OAQ(4)0390(EST)

6. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire): Will the Minister make a statement on road safety on the A40 through Brecon and Radnorshire? OAQ(4)0373(EST)

7. Nick Ramsay (Monmouth): Will the Minister make a statement on the maintenance of trunk roads in Wales? OAQ(4)0382(EST)

8. Byron Davies (South Wales West): Will the Minister make a statement on the future of bus services in Wales? OAQ(4)0387(EST)

9. Simon Thomas (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister make a statement on the Haven Waterway Enterprise Zone? OAQ(4)0377(EST)W

10. Russell George (Montgomeryshire): Will the Minister make a statement on the future of the crossing over the River Dyfi? OAQ(4)0385(EST)

11. Mark Isherwood (North Wales): Will the Minister outline her proposals for economic regeneration in North Wales? OAQ(4)0384(EST)

12. Mike Hedges (Swansea East): Will the Minister outline what criteria are used to judge the success of commercial development schemes, like the SA1 development in Swansea? OAQ(4)0388(EST)

13. Eluned Parrott (South Wales Central): Will the Minister update the Assembly on the first phase of the South Wales Metro project? OAQ(4)0383(EST)

14. Joyce Watson (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide an update on the progress of the Enterprise Zones in Mid and West Wales? OAQ(4)0381(EST)

15. William Powell (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide an update on the progress of the Powys Local Growth Zones initiative? OAQ(4)0374(EST)