



3rd December 2024, 10am-1.30pm, Work.Life Borough, London

Baroness Nicky Morgan (NM) (Chair)

products/activity (including the parent questionnaire). The Board discussed the importance of working within the confines of the current portfolio and the importance of strong partnerships.

< 2.2.3 Education Development

NH took the Board through the key achievements in the EDT team, such as the Gatsby Next 10 Report being launched and commending CEC work, with statutory guidance being updated in Spring 2025 and school uptake from September 2025. This underlines DfE's commitment to GBMs being the foundation of the system.

The Board discussed the importance of the Primary project and the need for continued investment and resource to maintain engagement. They also noted the positive impact of early interventions on reduction of NEET figures.

< 2.2.4 Strategy and Communications (S&C)

PL updated the Board on positive engagement with political stakeholders. These included a planned school visit for Liz Kendall (to s