

NAME OF COMMITTEE:	STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
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SUBJECT:	Summary of OFSTED Inspections of Lincolnshire Schools with reference to pupils' spiritual, moral, social and cultural development.
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IS THE REPORT EXEMPT?	No
IS THE REPORT CONFIDENTIAL?	No

SUMMARY

The report summarises the judgements made about pupils' SMSC development in those schools inspected by OFSTED since January 2012.

DISCUSSION

In January 2012 Ofsted introduced a new, slimmed down framework for inspection. There are now only four key judgements:

1. The achievement of pupils at the school.
2. The quality of teaching in the school.
3. The behaviour and safety of pupils at the school.
4. The quality of the leadership and management of the school.

Judgements about SMSC are now linked to the provision the school makes to promote pupils' development. There is no longer any explicit reference made to community cohesion.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the report be noted and any comments made as necessary.

APPENDICES

Appendix A – Summary of Ofsted Inspections of Lincolnshire Schools

BACKGROUND PAPERS: The following background papers, as defined in the Local Government Act 1972, were relied upon in writing this report: -

PAPER TYPE	TITLE	DATE	ACCESSIBILITY
OFSTED Inspection Reports		Various	School Improvement Service County Offices