

Children and Young People Scrutiny Commission 27th January 2020 New Relationship & Sex Education guidelines for schools.	Item No 4
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Context

The Department for Education is introducing compulsory Relationships Education for primary pupils and Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) for secondary pupils from September 2020. It will also be compulsory for all schools to teach Health Education from September 2020.

The aim of this item is to assess the preparedness of local schools ahead of the new SRE guidelines and to assess if further support is needed to meet these requirements ahead of September.

In attendance:

- Hackney Learning Trust: Annie Gammon (Head of Hackney Learning Trust & Director of Education) Helena Burke (Leadership & Management Adviser)
- Young Hackney: Pauline Adams (Head of Service) David Wright (Health & Wellbeing Team Leader), Peter Bachev (PSHE Education Officer)
- Haggerston Secondary School: Ciara Emmerson (Headteacher)
- Randal Cremer Primary School: Jo Riley (Headteacher)
- Public Health: Dr Sandra Husbands (Director of Public Health)

Reports

- Hackney Learning Trust
- Young Hackney
- Department of Education FAQs

Action

The Commission is asked to review attached reports and question officers present.