

## **Headteacher standards review – note from meeting 26 June 2014**

### **Progress**

1. The third meeting of the headteacher standards review group took place on Thursday 26 June.
2. Two guest speakers discussed their views on headteacher standards:
  - a. Minister of State for Schools, Rt Hon David Laws
  - b. Director General for Education Standards Directorate, Shona Dunn
3. Some key points of interest from the day are:
  - a. The secretariat presented an update on the final report for the call for evidence. A full report on the response will be published in the autumn.
  - b. The group discussed the recommendations and additional observations they will want to make to Ministers when they submit the revised standards.
  - c. The group also discussed feedback received from meetings to test the draft standards.
  - d. The group had a drafting session to incorporate feedback from the call for evidence and testing.

### **Next steps**

4. The group will continue to test their draft standards with interested parties, including parents and headteachers.
5. The report to Ministers will be drafted ready for submission with the recommended new standards over the summer.
6. The next meeting will be held on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July.