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Welcome

In this issue of Update, our weekly round-up of business-critical and useful information to Skills Funding Agency (SFA) colleges, other training organisations and direct grant employers:

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Individualised Learner Record R11 2015 to 2016: Opens Thursday 23, June

Action

The individualised learner record R11 data collection for the 2015 to 2016 funding year will open at **9.00am** on **Thursday 23**, **June**.

If you are due to make a return for R11, you must submit your data to the Hub.

We publish a <u>maintenance schedule</u>, which lists collection dates and proposed system maintenance.

For further information, please refer to the **Payments and Data** page on **GOV.UK**.

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2. Adult Education Budget: Payments to Grant-funded Providers

Information

From 1 August 2016, we will change the standard profile of Adult Education Budget (AEB) payments to grant-funded providers. The change follows the introduction of AEB block grants for 2016 to 2017 funding year.

We have based the new standard profile on the proportions of the AEB made up by adult skills, former community learning and discretionary learner support.

We will include the standard national profile in an updated version of the Adult Education Budget funding and performance-management rules, which we will publish shortly.

For related queries, please contact your Central Delivery Service adviser.

3. Funding of Legacy IGCSEs in English, English language and Mathematics in 2016 to 2017

Information

We have published updated **guidance** to include information about the funding of IGCSEs in English and maths in the academic year 2016 to 2017.

For 2016 to 2017, IGCSEs in English and maths that count towards the English Baccalaureate will be part of the English and maths legal entitlements.

For further information or related queries, please email the **Qualifications** team.

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