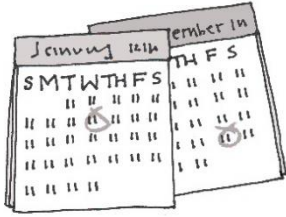
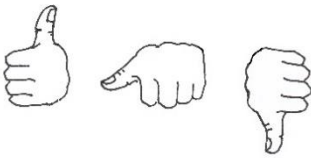




Inspection of HMP/YOI Hatfield



Inspectors visited this prison in July 2024.



We wanted to find out if things were better, the same or worse for prisoners since we last visited in 2019.



We did this by:

- looking around the prison
- asking prisoners and staff to fill in a questionnaire
- speaking to prisoners
- speaking to staff and helpers
- reading documents.

What did we find?



Prisoners felt safe.

We gave the prison 4 out of 4 for this.



Prisoners said staff treated them well.

We gave the prison 4 out of 4 for this.



All prisoners had jobs. Prisoners could go to the gym and library often.

We gave the prison 4 out of 4 for this.



Prisoners had good help to get ready to leave HMP/YOI Hatfield.

We gave the prison 4 out of 4 for this.

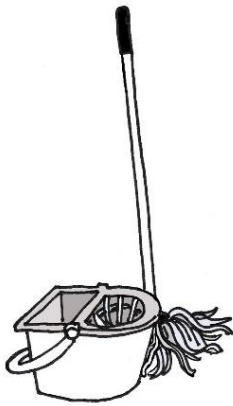
What should the prison do?



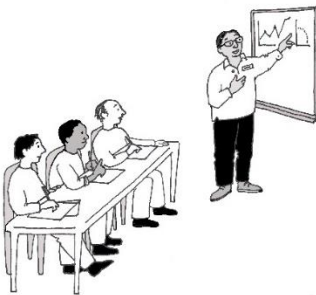
We want the governor to read our inspection report. You can find the report in the prison library.

We want the governor to make a plan. The plan should tell us how they will fix the problems at HMP/YOI Hatfield and make things better for prisoners.

What do we want to happen?



We want prisoners to have clean toilets and showers. We want the prison to get rid of stains and dirt.

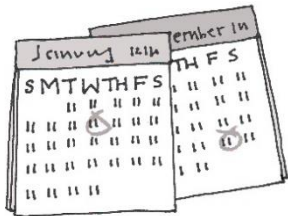


We want staff in education and workshops to teach prisoners how to get on well with other people when they leave prison.



We want prisoners to know how to avoid people who might hurt their neighbours or communities.

What will we do?



We will come back in a few years to check how well the prison is doing. We will write a report to tell people what we find.



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