



CAERPHILLY STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – 14TH JUNE 2011

**SUBJECT: CAERPHILLY PRIMARY SCHOOL INSPECTION REPORTS (AUTUMN
2010 – SPRING 2011)**

REPORT BY: ESIS

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To provide Members with a synopsis of the Caerphilly Primary School Inspection Reports (Autumn 2010-Spring 2011).

2. SUMMARY

2.1 SACRE Synopsis: Main Findings

During Autumn 2010 and Spring 2011 eight Caerphilly schools were inspected:-

- one infant school
- one junior school
- six primary schools

No secondary or special schools were inspected during this period.

Spiritual Development

Comments in relation to spiritual development are evident in six inspection reports:

- Spiritual development is good (one school)
- Spiritual development is promoted effectively (four schools).
- There is good provision for enhancing pupils' spiritual development through daily acts of worship (one school).

Collective Worship

Meeting Statutory Requirements

The Estyn Common Inspection Framework notes that inspectors should only report on instances where the school does **not** comply with statutory requirements. We can therefore assume – as Estyn has not noted in these reports any non-compliance - that all schools inspected during Autumn 2010 and Spring 2011 meet statutory requirements in relation to collective worship.

Quality

Reference to the quality of collective worship is mentioned in four inspection reports namely Nant y Parc, Penllwyn Primary, Pontlottyn Primary and Ty Sign Primary.

3. RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 SACRE note and discuss the report.

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Appendices:
Appendix 1 Reports Autumn 2010 – Spring 2011: SACRE Synopsis