

Recommendations

The Welsh Government should:

R1 Consider introducing national all-age schools guidance to support all-age schools, their leaders, governors and local authorities

Local authorities / regional consortia should:

R2 Ensure that consultation on establishing an all-age school is meaningful, transparent and helpful in engaging the local community to support change to improve the provision for their children

R3 Appoint leaders for new all-age schools early to provide enough planning and preparation time

R4 Provide better focused, sector-specific training and support, for example to improve classroom practice across all phases of the school

Schools should:

R5 Continue to plan and provide a rich curriculum that naturally progresses across the full age range

R6 Collaborate further with other schools to develop all-age school policies and procedures, and share good practice