Implementation of the Curriculum for Excellence



1. EIS No.

Response
Count

2,627

2,627	answered question	
0	skipped question	

2. How would you describe your position within your school/college?

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Senior Manager	4.0	104
Middle Manager	22.4	588
Teacher/Lecturer	73.7	"% 1,935
	answered question	on 2,627
	skipped question	on 0

3. In preparation for the implementation of the CfE Senior Phase, how do you regard the quality of and access to information provided by:

	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Rating Count
a) Your Local Authority / Your College	8.1% (210)	40.0% (1,037)	51.9% (1,348)	2,595
b) Education Scotland	6.7% (171)	41.4% (1,059)	51.9% (1,329)	2,559
c) SQA	7.6% (197)	38.4% (989)	54.0% (1,390)	2,576
			answered question	2,612
			skipped question	15

4. In preparation for the implementation of the CfE Senior Phase, how do you regard the quality and level of support provided by:

	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Rating Count
a) Your Local Authority / Your College	6.7% (173)	33.0% (849)	60.3% (1,553)	2,575
b) Education Scotland	4.0% (100)	32.1% (813)	63.9% (1,617)	2,530
c) SQA	5.0% (127)	31.1% (791)	63.9% (1,623)	2,541
			answered question	2,592
			skipped question	35

5. Has S3 Profiling been included in your school's improvement plan / departmental action plan for the current session?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	63.0%	1,616
No	17.8%	456
Not applicable	19.3%	494
	answered question	2,566
	skipped question	61

6. When do students in your school make their substantive subject choices?

	Response Percent	Response Count
\$2	43.6%	1,061
S3	36.6%	892
Not Applicable	19.8%	483

Other (please specify)

224

answered question	2,436
skipped question	191

7. How many subjects will pupils study in S4 in 2013/2014?

	Response Percent	Response Count
5	7.7%	192
6	27.5%	687
7	18.1%	453
8	25.5%	638
Not Applicable	21.1%	528
	answered question	2,498
	skipped question	129

8. How confident are you that your department will be able to deliver the new qualifications at National 4 and National 5 from 2013-14?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Fully Confident	3.3%	84
Very Confident	7.7%	196
Confident	34.2%	867
Barely Confident	43.4%	1,099
Not Confident at All	11.4%	289
	answered question	2,535
	skipped question	92

9. In preparation for the implementation of the CfE Senior Phase, has workload increased over the last year?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	89.8%	2,301
No	10.2%	260
	answered question	2,561
	skipped question	66

10. If 'Yes', please describe the level of increase:

	Response Percent	Response Count
Very High	44.6%	1,012
High	38.6%	877
Medium	15.8%	358
Low	1.0%	23
Very Low	0.0%	1

Please identify the main cause(s) of this increase.

1,675

answered question 2,271

skipped question 356

11. To what extent has your school's working time agreement helped to limit the workload implications of CfE?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Completely	0.3%	7
A lot	4.4%	110
A little	30.4%	765
Not at all	49.5%	1,244
Not applicable	15.4%	388
	answered question	2,514
	skipped question	113

12. Did your school / department receive additional financial support, as per the Support package, related to the new National 4 and 5 qualifications?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	32.8%	744
No	37.6%	853
Not applicable	29.5%	669
	If 'Yes', please quantify if possible.	529

answered question	2,266
skipped question	361

13. Has your department identified any additional resources which will be required to support the Senior Phase in relation to CfE implementation and to reduce workload in your school/department?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	41.8%	1,006
No	37.8%	908
Not Applicable	20.4%	490

Please specify if possible

819

skipped question 2,404

14. If 'Yes', has this request been met?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	33.2%	321
No	66.8%	646
	answered question	967
	skipped question	1,660

15. If 'No', are you now in a position to identify what additional help or support you require to implement National 4 and 5 successfully?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	35.0%	306
No	65.0%	568
	Please specify	388

874	answered question	
1,753	skipped question	

16. How helpful have the published SQA materials been in preparing for the implementation of the new qualifications?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Very helpful	3.5%	80
Helpful	41.2%	951
Not very helpful	55.3%	1,277
	Please outline any concerns	1,056

2,308	answered question	
319	skipped question	

17. How satisfied are you that the National 5 examinations in your subject area promote sound learning?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Very satisfied		3.1%	66
Satisfied		38.5%	822
Not satisfied		42.1%	900
Not at all satisfied		16.3%	348
	Other Comments (p	lease specify)	732

swered question 2,136	
skipped question 491	

18. Has a subject leader from your department been able to attend subject-based INSET, or other events, organised by SQA?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	71.9%	1,625
No	28.1%	635
	answered question	2,260
	skipped question	367

19. Have you been able to access any of the course materials being published by Education Scotland? (Please add any additional comments.)

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	62.3%	1,396
No	37.7%	845
	Additional Comments	560
	answered question	2,241
	skipped question	386

20. Please rate the following additional support in terms of usefulness, with 1 being essential and 4 being the least crucial.

	1	2	3	4	Rating Count
Additional Financial Support (per capita)	57.4% (1,256)	26.4% (577)	11.6% (253)	4.7% (103)	2,189
Extra INSET days for school activity	58.4% (1,291)	24.1% (533)	10.4% (230)	7.1% (157)	2,211
Local authority led CPD	33.9% (745)	31.4% (691)	19.8% (436)	14.9% (328)	2,200
SQA inset	46.8% (1,022)	33.1% (723)	13.0% (284)	7.0% (153)	2,182
SQA exemplification	76.0% (1,684)	13.5% (299)	5.0% (111)	5.5% (122)	2,216
Course materials	76.8% (1,706)	12.6% (280)	4.9% (109)	5.6% (125)	2,220

Other (please specify)

290

answered question	2,265
skipped question	362

21. Have you any additional comments on CfE Implementation? Response Response Percent Count Yes 39.8% 855 No 60.2% 1,291 If 'Yes' (please specify) 961 answered question 2,146 481 skipped question