Appendix 5

Useful Acronyms

ACE	Advisory Centre for Education; an advisory service for parents (0207 3548321)
AGIT	Action for Governors Information and Training (01926 413740)
Agreed Sullabus	A non-denominational syllabus of religious education for use in county and controlled schools as required by the Education Reform Act 1998
AHT	Assistant Headteacher
A & I	Advice and Inspection
ALS	Additional Literacy Support
AMA	Association of Metropolitan Authorities
APP	Assessing Pupil Progress
AST	Advanced Skills Teacher
ATL	Association of Teachers and Lectures
AWPU	Age Weighted Pupil Unit
B & A	Behaviour and Attendance
BIP	Behaviour Improvement Plan
BME	Black or Minority Ethnic
CASE	Campaign for State Education
CEDP	Career Entry Development Profile
CEO	Chief Education Officer
CLEA	Council of Local Education Authorities
CLLD	Communication, Language and Literacy Development
COSHH	Control of Substances Hazardous to Health
DfE	Department for Education
EAL	English as an Additional Language
EBD	Educational and Behavioural Difficulties
EBP	Education Business Partnership
ECaR	Every Child a Reader
ECaT	Every Child a Talker
ECaW	Every Child a Writer
ECC	Every Child Counts

ECM	Every Child Matters
EDP	Education Development Plan
EHWB	Emotional Health and Well Being
ELG	Early Learning Goals
ELS	Early Literacy Support
EMA	Ethnic Minority Achievement
EMTAS	Ethnic Minority, Traveller and Asylum Seeker Service
EPPE	Effective Provision of Pre-School Education
ERA	Education Reform Act
ESL	English as a Second Language
EWO	Education Welfare Officer
EYFS	Early Years Foundation Stage
FAS	Funding Agency for Schools
FE	Further Education
FFT	Fischer Family Trust
FLS	Further Literacy Support
FS	Foundation Stage
FSM	Free School Meals
FSP	Foundation Stage Profiles
GEST	Grants for Education Support and Training
GCSE	General Certificate of Secondary Education
GMS	Grant Maintained Status
GNVQ	General National Vocational Qualifications
GRT	Gypsy/Roma Traveller
GSB	General Schools Budget
G & T	Gifted and Talented
GTP	Graduate Training Programme
HE	Higher Education
HLTA	Higher Level Teaching Assistant
НМІ	Her Majesty's Inspectors
H & S	Health and Safety
HSE	Health and Safety Executive

IEP	Individual Education Plan
IIP	Investors in People
ITE	Initial Teacher Education
ITT	Initial Teacher Training
ISC	Independent Schools Council
ISCTIP	Independent Schools Council Teacher Induction Panel
KS	Key Stage
LA	Local Authority
LAC	Looked After Children
LDD	Learning Difficulties & Disabilities
LSA	Learning Support Assistant
LSC	Learning Skills Council
MARRA	Monitoring, Assessment, Recording and Reporting
MEAP	Minority Ethnic Achievement Programme
MERIT	Minority Ethnic Recruitment into Teaching
MFL	Modern Foreign Languages
MLD	Moderate Learning Difficulties
NAHT	National Association of Headteachers
NALDIC	National Association for Language Development in the Curriculum
NASUWT	National Association of Schoolmasters and Union of Women Teachers
NC	National Challenge
NC	National Curriculum
NfER	National Foundation for Educational Research
NPQH	National Professional Qualification for Headship
NQT	Newly Qualified Teacher
NtG	Narrowing the Gaps
NUT	National Union of Teachers
OfSTED	Office for Standards in Education
PEP	Personal Education Plan
PIPs	Performance Indicators in Primary School
PIVATS	Performance Indicator for Value Added Target Setting
PLD	Profound Learning Difficulties
PLLA	Priority Learning Local Authority

PM	Performance Management
P & P	Personalisation & Progression
PRU	Pupil Referral Unit
PSHE	Personal, Social and Health Education
QCA	Qualification and Curriculum Authority
QTS	Qualified Teacher Status
RAISE	Reporting and Analysis for Improvement through School Self Evaluation
RoA	Record of Achievement
SALT	Speech and Language Therapist
SATs	Standard Assessment Tests
SCITT	School Centred Initial Teacher Training
SDP	School Development Plan
SEAL	Social, Emotional Aspects of Learning
SEF	Self Evaluation Plan
SEN	Special Educational Needs
SENCo	Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator
SI	School Improvement
SIP	School Improvement Plan
SIP	School Improvement Partner
SLD	Severe Learning Difficulties
TA	Teaching Assistant
TIPPs	Tracking Individual Pupil Progress