

**Essex Primary Headteachers' meetings
Autumn Term 2018
AGENDA**

**SOUTH: Thursday 8th November 2018
Holiday Inn, Basildon, SS14 3DG**

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| 1. | Welcome from Nicky Barrant (South Area Chair) and Clare Kershaw (Director of Education) | 9.00 – 9.10 |
| 2. | Local Authority This session to include updates on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education Team structure, including attendance and education support services • SEND – inclusion statement, SEND capital programme and provision review • Progress of the sale of EES | 9.10 – 10.40 |
| 3. | Studybugs – Natalie Williams A brief introduction to Studybugs, a unique, free service for schools and parents. Working with the NHS and other public health organisations, it helps improve children's health and school attendance. | 10.40 – 10.45 |
| | COFFEE | 10.45 - 11.15 |
| 4. | EPHA Area Meeting – Nicky Barrant, SEPHA Chair Including EPHA updates and a discussion about the development of support for new and acting headteachers. | 11.15 – 11.30 |
| 5. | Kids Inspire – Vicky Haylock and Sue Bell Information about a counselling and therapy service for children with SEMH and trauma. | 11.30 – 11.40 |
| 6. | Recruitment and retention An update from the recruitment and retention strategy task group and a discussion about the future priorities for the group – what do headteachers want? | 11.40 – 12.00 |
| 7. | HR Update An update from HR about current and future personnel issues Question time | 12.00 – 12.30 |
| | Close of EPHA meeting LUNCH | 12.30 – 13.30 |
| | Safeguarding Forum meeting In the afternoon Jo Barclay will run the termly safeguarding forum meeting – headteachers are very welcome to stay on and attend, and other staff from schools across the area will join the meeting. If you plan to attend, please make sure you have booked a place via the Infolink https://schools-secure.essex.gov.uk/pupils/Safeguarding/Pages/Safeguarding.aspx | 13.30 – 16.30 |