

Kent PSHE Member Advisory Group (MAG)

Revised terms of reference

- To promote the role of PSHE to school staff, KCC officers and the Government as a key driver for ensuring the wellbeing of young people.
- To analyse and monitor KCC's health and wellbeing indicators and to question appropriate staff if deterioration in performance is detected.
- To monitor the implementation of the action plan, which is based on the PSHE Select Committee and PSHE MAG recommendations.
- To identify opportunities to improve the quality of PSHE in Kent and consequently make recommendations to the Senior Management Team of CFE.

Membership

The group will consist of KCC elected members, with membership proportionate to the size of the political groups represented on Kent County Council. Kent Youth County Council representatives, KCC officers and multi-agency experts will be invited to attend in an advisory capacity.

Timescales

The group will not be time-limited, as specified in the original terms of reference written in September 2007. There will be a review of the terms of reference once schools have a statutory duty to teach PSHE to ensure the group's objectives are still appropriate, however, it is expected that the group will continue past this point.

The group will meet at least three times per year.

The way forward

It is proposed that officers will supply elected members with the relevant statistics and information showing progress against the action plan at each meeting. It is expected that the professionals will act within the direction set by the elected members.