

## **EDUCATION STRATEGIC TARGETS 2002 – 2006**

In order to make a difference in Harrow and in support of our Education Service strategic priorities, we will ensure that:

1. EDP2 targets for raising achievement and increasing inclusion in the following areas are fully met:
  - Raising standards at Key Stages 2, 3 and 4
  - Pupil guarantees providing a breadth of curricular and extra-curricular experience
  - Teaching and learning
  - Leadership and management
  - Attainment of identified under-achieving groups
  - Reduction in the number of recurring exclusions from school
  - Improvement in school attendance
2. Education targets in Harrow's Local Public Service Agreement are fully achieved.
3. The Education Service meets at least Level 3 of the national Equalities Standards.
4. All Education Service targets set out in Harrow's Drug Action Team and Healthy Schools Strategic Plans are fully achieved.
5. Early Years Development and Childcare targets for increasing childcare, with particular emphasis on areas of the Borough that are more disadvantaged, are fully achieved.
6. The outcomes for young people as set out in the Special Educational Needs Strategy are fully achieved.
7. The rate of Harrow young people staying on in post-16 education and training increases and there is a rising trend of those choosing to remain in Harrow.
8. All targets set out in the Youth Service Plan are fully achieved.
9. The Adult Learning Plan targets for widening participation and increasing basic skills among those communities hardest to reach are fully achieved.
10. The Library Plan target to increase the number of visits per 1000 population is achieved, with an emphasis on libraries in those areas of the Borough that are more disadvantaged.
11. There is increased participation in arts, sports and leisure, particularly by those groups currently under-represented.
12. There are an increasing number of those engaged in family learning activities, with an emphasis on those areas of the Borough which are more disadvantaged.
13. All priority activities and associated targets identified in the School Organisation Plan and the Asset management Plan are fully addressed.

14. The London Grid for Learning is fully implemented in order to contribute to targets set out in the EDP2, the Adult Learning Plan and the Annual Library Plan.
15. All financial targets set by the DfES for Harrow are fully achieved.
16. There will be reducing numbers of staff vacancies in all school and departmental establishments.
17. Investors in People status for the Education Service is re-affirmed.