

Cross-Party Group in the Scottish Parliament on Visual Impairment #CPGVI

Purpose of the group;

The Cross-Party Group on Visual Impairment draws together the blind and partially sighted sector in Scotland to identify issues competent to the Scottish Parliament and seeks, in a reasonable fashion, to influence policy, legislation and decision makers to better reflect the needs of blind and partially sighted people.

Agenda

Tuesday 28 May, 18.00 - 19.00, Committee Room 3, Scottish Parliament

1. Welcome and introductions.
2. Apologies.
3. Minutes of the meeting held on 19 February 2019.
4. Matters arising.
5. Panel discussion on the educational attainment gap for visually impaired pupils and students
 - Professor John Ravenscroft, Scottish Sensory Centre, University of Edinburgh - "The Qualifications and Competences of Teachers of Pupils with Visual Impairment";
 - Dominic Everett, Deputy Headmaster, Royal Blind School - "Making 'Getting it Right for Every Child' (GIRFEC) a reality for every pupil with vision impairment";
 - Anne Marie Fleming, Education and CYPF Lead, RNIB Scotland - "Extended Core Curriculum and Transitions".
6. Any other competent business (AOB).
7. Date of next meeting – Tuesday 17 September 2019, 13.00-14.15, Committee Room 3, Scottish Parliament. This meeting is also the AGM.