

GBA News - February 2019



GBA Annual General Meeting

SAVE THE DATE - The GBA's AGM will take place on Wednesday, **20th March 2019**. The meeting will be held in Conference Room 1, Riddel Hall, Queen's University Belfast.

We are delighted to be joined by our special guest **Francis Campbell**, Vice-Chancellor of St Mary's University, Twickenham.

Francis Campbell was a Policy Adviser and Private Secretary to Tony Blair when he served as Prime Minister. He also served as First Secretary at the British Embassy in Rome and Ambassador to the Holy See before becoming Vice-Chancellor of St Mary's University. Mr Campbell will reflect on leadership and transformation in challenging times.

Preparations are currently underway for a finance session in the morning which will explore the budget outlook for 2019-20 and the challenges faced by our member schools. Further details on the morning session will be release when confirmed.

Indicative timings for the day;

10.30am: Tea & Coffee, Registration

11.00am: Finance session followed by Q & A

1.00pm: Lunch

2.00pm: AGM

4.00pm: Meeting ends

NI Affairs Committee

The Northern Ireland Affairs Committee met stakeholders at Holy Cross College in Strabane on Monday, 28th January 2019. Representatives from the Bursars' Association and Principals from GBA member schools attended the event to discuss education funding in Northern Ireland. The GBA will continue to advocate for increased funding for the education sector in Northern Ireland. To follow the work of the Committee's Education Funding in Northern Ireland Enquiry, please [click here](#).

Teaching and Non-Teaching Vacancies

We would like to remind you that the GBA can host teaching and non-teaching vacancies. The vacancies will appear on the GBA [website](#) and shared on social media through our [@gbani_jobs](#) twitter account.

If you would like the GBA to host a vacancy please send details of the job title,

job description and a link to the vacancy on your website to terence@gbani.org.

Shared Education

CASE, Collaboration and Sharing in Education, has recently launched a new [website](#). The site provides information on how to form a partnership.

CASE is a cross-border Peace IV Programme funded by the European Union. The CASE project, managed by the Education Authority (EA) in partnership with Léargas in the Republic of Ireland, targets primary and post-primary schools across Northern Ireland and the border counties.

If your school is not already involved in a shared education partnership but is interested in participating in a programme, can you please let us know by email at administrator@gbani.org.

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