

## Update on SNCT Working Groups 23 November 2011

### Conditions of Service Working Group

The Conditions of Service Working Group met on 27 September and on 9 November.

The Working Group has looked at issues arising from the 2011 Pay and Conditions Agreement in relation to the hours of work and pay of teachers who are engaged in providing supply, annual leave calculations and maternity leave and pay calculations. The Joint Secretaries have issued advice on these matters following group discussions.

The Working Group has concluded consideration of the situation of Chartered Teachers who retire but who return to work. Again, this led to the Joint Secretaries drafting a letter of advice.

The Joint Secretaries' letters described above are set out for the SNCT.

The Working Group has also been looking at the question of compensatory leave and the potential impact on such leave of certain days being days of school closure rather than days of paid annual leave. Discussions are continuing on this matter.

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