

EXAMINATION RESULTS IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES 1999 TO 2004

Report By:

Purpose

1. To inform SACRE of Herefordshire's examination results in Religious Studies for the period 1999 to 2004 when compared to the national trend.

Report

2. Following on from the reporting of examination statistics in the SACRE Annual report, further research has been undertaken to try to ascertain how Herefordshire is performing in Religious Education against the national trend. Unfortunately data is unavailable for Religious Education. However, the attached chart has been produced using information available for Religious Studies.
3. While this is by no means a comprehensive analysis of the situation, the information provided would indicate a satisfactory position, particularly following the introduction of the revised syllabus in September 2001.
4. It is suggested that, to assist SACRE in undertaking its monitoring role, as and when further data becomes available it be added to this database as a basis for future reports.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the position indicated in the report be noted and further reports be presented as data becomes available.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

- None identified.