

## Warwickshire Education (WE) Strategy 2018-2023 single page VISION

Councillor Colin Hayfield, County Council Portfolio Holder for Education and Learning, says; 'We have given a lot of thought to providing this document as a 'starter for ten' but we want the end product to look far less bureaucratic. We are truly serious about co-producing this Education Strategy; the Council is a partner round the table with headteachers and education leaders. It is your voice that we want to hear, so that you will join with us in writing the final version'.

Warwickshire County Council will work effectively with colleagues in schools, and settings, with partners and professionals, so that simple, consistent services allow all Warwickshire's learners to achieve their potential in a safe, enabling environment.

We will:

- Champion
- Challenge
- Empower.

Our four priorities for Education, in chronological order (not ranked) are:

**WE1:** Promoting the best possible start in life through early education

**WE2:** Unlocking talent, building resilience, and fulfilling the potential of our vulnerable learners:

- (i) Children out of school
- (ii) Children at risk of under-achieving
- (iii) Children who are Looked After, through the Virtual School
- (iv) Children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)
- (v) People with social, emotional and mental health needs

**WE3:** Supporting successful system leadership, empowering education communities, so that Warwickshire's Family of Schools can thrive, there are sufficient good/outstanding school places, and outcomes for Warwickshire's children exceed national levels.

**WE4:** Promoting employability; offering the best possible opportunities for all learners so that the local economy can grow, young people can take on the responsibilities of adult life and adult learners contribute to a growing local economy.

We will also sell high quality services to schools, to enhance the quality of education in the county through [Warwickshire Education Services](#).

We are committed to empowering education professionals and partners to help us to achieve these priorities. We will champion vulnerable learners, and will challenge, constructively, where this will make a positive difference to learner outcomes.

This Vision is derived from the following: Locally: Warwickshire's Education Strategy, 2018 – 2023, Nationally: [Unlocking Talent, Fulfilling Potential](#), DfE, December 2017.