

## **EE24. TRANSPORT ENTITLEMENT UNDER CONTINUED ATTENDANCE**

The Education Executive considered a Report by the joint Acting Director of Education which sought agreement to revise the wording of the Transport Policy with respect to Continued Attendance to reflect the current Curriculum for Excellence policy on studying for national qualifications.

The introduction of the Curriculum for Excellence has meant that studies towards national qualifications begin in year stage S4 in all secondary schools from 2013/14. Previously this could take place at year stage S3, and at S2 in schools that offered 'early presentation'.

### **Decision**

**The Education Executive agreed:-**

- (1) the change to the Continued Attendance Policy;**
- (2) the recommended change to the Transport Policy with respect to continued Attendance (as detailed in Appendix 1 to the report), and**
- (3) that these changes take place with immediate effect and apply to all new transport requests.**