

## INFORMATION ON SCHOOLS CAUSING CONCERN, AUTUMN TERM 2004

There are four categories of schools causing concern.

***Schools subject to special measures*** are those that, when inspected, were failing or likely to fail to provide an acceptable standard of education for their pupils.

***Schools with serious weaknesses*** are those that, when inspected, were providing an acceptable standard of education for their pupils but had serious weaknesses in one or more areas of their work.

***Underachieving schools*** are those that, when inspected, were providing an acceptable standard of education for their pupils but were underachieving.

***Secondary schools with inadequate sixth forms*** are those that, when inspected, were failing or likely to fail to give their pupils over compulsory school age an acceptable standard of education, and had significant weaknesses in one or more of their areas of activity for pupils over compulsory school age.

### ***Please note:***

- 1) the lists of schools show the schools in each 'causing concern' category at 31 December 2004. These lists of schools may have changed by the time of publication because inspections conducted since 31 December may have resulted in schools being placed in these categories, or removed from them;
- 2) the number, and lists, of schools causing concern will be published each term on the Ofsted website.