Consultation on Welsh Assembly Government Key Stages 2-3 Transition Grant

Consultation Response Form

NAME:
ORGANISATION:
ADDRESS:
TELEPHONE NUMBER:

Please select one of the following boxes that best describes you as a respondent:

School Governing Body	
Headteacher	
School Staff	
Teacher Union	
LEA	
Diocesan Body	
Other	Please specify:

Responses to the consultation will be made public. Normally, the name and address (or part of the address) of the author are published along with the response unless you indicate otherwise. Would you prefer that your response is kept confidential?

Yes		No	
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Please comment as fully as possible to help us with the guidance. Responses should be submitted by **28 April 2006**.

PROJECTS ELIGIBLE FOR KEY STAGES 2-3 TRANSITION GRANT

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Q1. Do you agree that projects should be targeted at the areas of work identified in para 2.2? If not, what areas would you wish to see removed or added?

Yes	No	

Q2. Do you agree that funding may be applied to both work undertaken in specific clusters and authority wide initiatives? If not, how would you wish to see funding targeted?

Yes	No	

Q3. Do you agree that LEAs be allowed to use grant to disseminate project outcomes?

Yes		No				

GRANT ARRANGEMENTS

GRANT FUNDING

Q4. Do you agree that the grant should be allocated by reference to the Better Schools Fund formula used for Activity Area 1 – Curriculum Development? If not, what approach would you propose?

Yes	No	

ADMINISTRATION OF THE GRANT

Q5. Do you agree that LEAs should be able to retain centrally 5% of their formula allocation to meet management and administration costs? If not, what percentage do you suggest?

Yes	No	

Q6. Would it be helpful to have an application form with the final guidance which LEAs can customize for their own use? If so, please provide any comments on the specimen form at Annex B.

Yes	No	

UNUSED GRANT

Q7. Do you foresee any problems in LEAs being able to utilise appropriately all of their allocations in 2006-07 or subsequent years?

Yes	No	

AUDIT ARRANGEMENTS

Q8. Are the proposals for internal audit review adequate?

Yes	No	