

Education and Skills Commission - Key Activities & Timelines

Key dates	Key activities
	5 FEBRUARY – 10 MARCH 2016 SET UP & INDUCTION PHASE
5/02/16	Commission set up & Press Announcement
18/02/16	1st Meeting of Commission by teleconference to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • agree way of working and determine work plan • discuss lines of enquiry for issuing to consultees • agree research approach and key documents to be read to identify international and UK best practice
18/02/16 to 10/03/16	Commissioners begin research work, developing and pursuing lines of enquiry, and where feasible, making contact with stakeholders
	10 MARCH – 11 MAY 2016 PHASE 1
10/03/16	2nd Meeting of Commission in Doncaster to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • meet key stakeholders in person • confirm and agree lines of enquiry • clarify evidence gathering processes and timescales
10/03/16 to 10/05/16	Commission undertakes stakeholder evidence gathering and expert witness sessions and produces emerging findings, state of play of local landscape and possible options and opportunities
11/05/16	3rd Meeting of Commission in Doncaster to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • brief Team Doncaster and stakeholders on emerging findings Phase 1 • initiate phase 2 consultations on system design and testing
	11 MAY – 13 JULY 2016 PHASE 2
11/05/16 to 12/07/16	Commission continues stakeholder engagement activities testing out Phase 1 report design principles, ideas and possible options and opportunities; Commission works with Stakeholder Reference Group on ways in which propositions for improvements to the education and skills system will be implemented and over what timescales
13/07/16	4th Meeting of Commission in Doncaster to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • share outline approach to final report and key findings and proposals
	13 JULY – 14 SEPTEMBER 2016
13/07/16 to 14/09/16	Commission collates all written evidence and compiles final report
14/09/19	5th Meeting of Commission in Doncaster to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • deliver final report to Team Doncaster & LA ES Steering Group