Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 29 May 2013
for answer on 5 June 2013

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(Self identifying Question no. shown in brackets)

To ask the Minister for Education and Skills

1. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire): Will the Minister outline Welsh Government support for young people seeking work in Brecon and Radnorshire? OAQ(4)0287(ESK)

2. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the Minister provide an update on the implementation of the Literacy and Numeracy Framework? OAQ(4)0274(ESK)

3. Darren Millar (Clwyd West): Will the Minister make a statement on Welsh Government guidance issued to local education authorities regarding the funding of schools? OAQ(4)0269(ESK)

4. William Graham (South Wales East): Will the Minister make a statement on the timetable for the return of pupils to study at Cwmcarn High School? OAQ(4)0285(ESK)

5. Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire): Will the Minister make a statement on what the Welsh Government is doing to support children with autism in Wales? OAQ(4)0270(ESK)

6. Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): What are the Minister’s priorities for promoting STEM subjects in North Wales? OAQ(4)0276(ESK)

7. Vaughan Gething (Cardiff South and Penarth): Will the Minister detail any involvement he has had in the recognition of good practice in the
teaching profession recognised by the Pearson teaching awards? OAQ(4)0286(EDS)

8. Lindsay Whittle (South Wales East): What measures is the Minister taking to assess how well schools in Wales are contributing to the social and emotional development of pupils, particularly those who are in care? OAQ(4)0282(ESK)

9. Ken Skates (Clwyd South): Will the Minister outline what support the Welsh Government is providing schools in North Wales to raise standards in the classroom? OAQ(4)0278(ESK)

10. Suzy Davies (South Wales West): What plans does the Minister have to review his Welsh for adults policies? OAQ(4)0273(ESK)

11. Julie James (Swansea West): What assessment has the Minister made of the importance of the Outreach agenda for community relations in the University sector? OAQ(4)0272(ESK)

12. Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East): Will the Minister make a statement on Welsh medium nursery provision in South Wales East? OAQ(4)0283(ESK)

13. Rhodri Glyn Thomas (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): What recent discussions has the Minister had with the Welsh Language Commissioner? OAQ(4)0275(ESK)

14. Elin Jones (Ceredigion): Will the Minister make a statement concerning progress towards achieving the Welsh Government’s targets in the field of post–16 education? OAQ(4)0284(ESK)

15. Keith Davies (Llanelli): Will the Minister provide an update on the Welsh in Education Strategic Plans? OAQ(4)0279(ESK)

To ask the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport
1. Peter Black (South Wales West): Will the Minister make a statement as to how she is using her transport budget to support business? OAQ(4)0277(EST)

2. Ieuan Wyn Jones (Ynys Môn): Will the Minister make a statement on plans to build a new crossing over the Menai Strait, close to the Britannia Bridge? OAQ(4)0265(EST)

3. Joyce Watson (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister make a statement on the value of the energy industry to the Mid and West Wales economy? OAQ(4)0281(EST)

4. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire): What steps is the Welsh Government taking to help create jobs in Brecon and Radnorshire? OAQ(4)0282(EST)

5. Eluned Parrott (South Wales Central): Will the Minister make a statement on the progress made by the Welsh Government regarding job creation through its enterprise zone programme? OAQ(4)0271(EST)

6. Christine Chapman (Cynon Valley): Will the Minister provide an update on progress towards achieving the aims set out in Science for Wales? OAQ(4)0270(EST)

7. Gwyn Price (Islwyn): Will the Minister make a statement on access to broadband for businesses in Islwyn? OAQ(4)0274(EST)

8. Darren Millar (Clwyd West): Will the Minister make a statement on her assessment of the potential economic benefits to Wales of .cymru and .wales top level domain names? OAQ(4)0264(EST)
9. Andrew RT Davies (South Wales Central): Will the Minister provide an update on enterprise zones in South Wales Central? OAQ(4)0272(EST)

10. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the Minister provide an update on the regulation of bus services in Wales? OAQ(4)0268(EST)

11. Alun Ffred Jones (Arfon): Will the Minister make a statement on the plans for the Bontnewydd–Caernarfon bypass? OAQ(4)0266(EST)

12. Julie James (Swansea West): What policies does the Minister have in place to nurture emergent technologies in order to assist their proper utilisation in Wales? OAQ(4)0267(EST)

13. Janet Finch–Saunders (Aberconwy): Will the Minister make a statement on the tourism sector in North Wales? OAQ(4)0276(EST)

14. Nick Ramsay (Monmouth): Will the Minister outline what proportion of her department budget is allocated to the science aspect of her portfolio? OAQ(4)0278(EST)

15. Lynne Neagle (Torfaen): Will the Minister make a statement on how the Welsh Government intends to improve broadband provision in Wales? OAQ(4)0280(EST)