

Legal Intervention Update

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Agenda

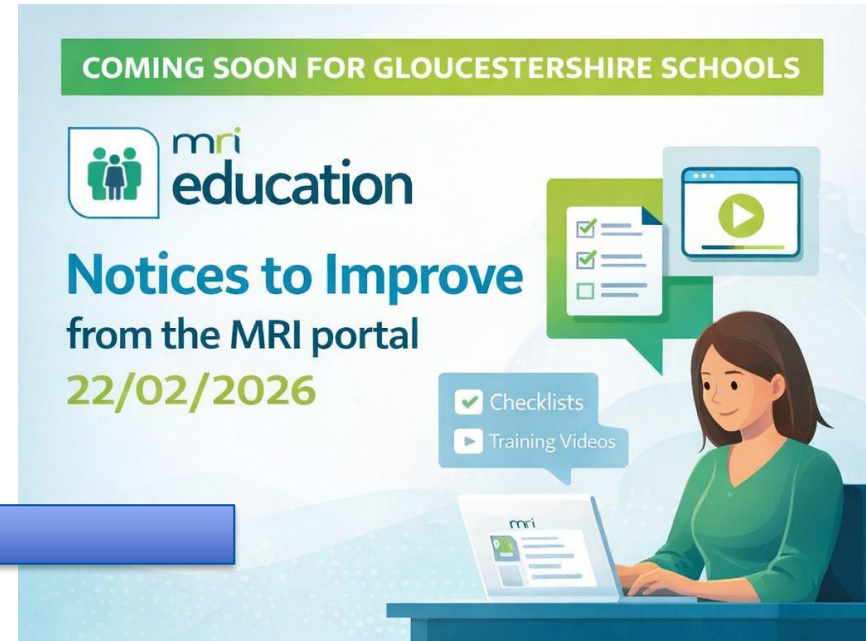
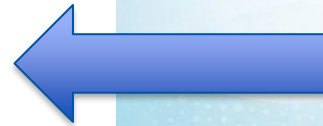
- Notices to Improve and Penalty Notices
- Modular training
- Summer Preparation (then your deserved break) before the Autumn Term



Notices to Improve

The video on how to request a Notice to Improve on the MRI portal is available on Schoolsnet

N.B. Additional Information on the request will appear on the Notice to Improve



What This Means for Schools

- One streamlined system for **Penalty Notices and NTIs**
- Faster, clearer submission routes
- Consistent paperwork and processes
- Online support available to help schools get it 'legal ready' first time

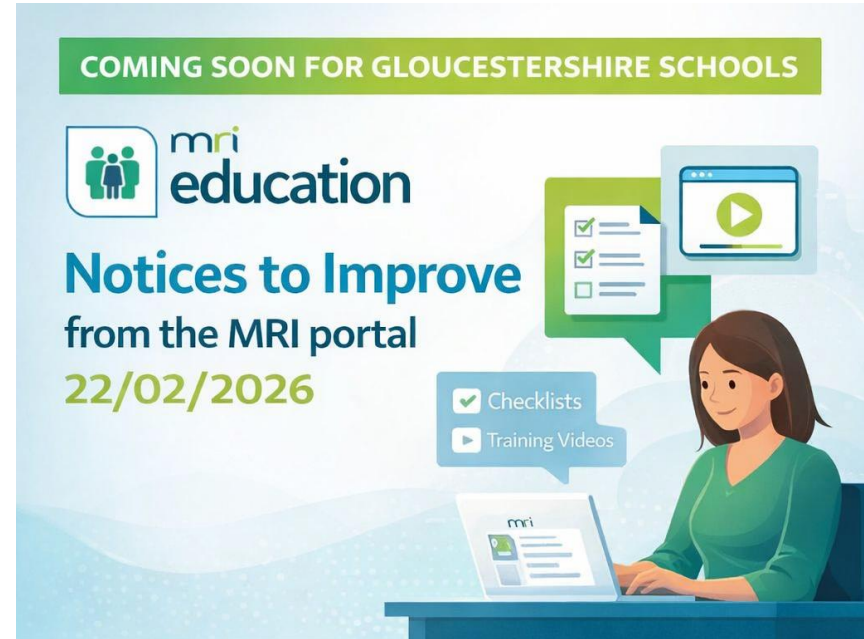
Support Available

- ✓ **Checklists** to guide each step
- ▶ **Training videos** showing how to complete and submit NTIs

All hosted on **Schoolsnet** for easy access

What to Do Now

1. Visit **Schoolsnet** to prepare
2. Share the launch date with relevant staff
3. Plan time to watch the training videos once released



Penalty Notices

This academic year so far...

Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours

14/80 needed evidential adjustments

83% of cases were submitted to us as legal-ready

Thank you!

3212

requested

227

declined

129

awaiting a response

2856

issued

182

2nd PNs

278

Unpaid; to
proceed to
court

80

Proceeded
to court

198

'No further action'
- no response from
the school

Training is available
to support you and
your staff

Modular Training for Attendance

- Vision and the path of least resistance
- In this together
- Turn it off and back on again?
- Who else is offering this?
- Ch-ch-ch-changes
- Questions – the:
 - Why?
 - How?
 - Who?
 - What?



Summer Preparation

- Sundowning – your input to your IMS for the date of transitioning children (including Y2 and Y6) being removed from roll affects requesting penalty notices
- Consider preparing prosecution paperwork for penalty notices requested **for July** absences **in July** rather than in September.
- Late payments for pre-summer term-time absences will be given an extension for late payments up until 11 September 2026.



Thank you

Any questions?

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