

EDUCATION (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 2006

S.I. 2006 1915

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

MAIN ELEMENTS OF THE ORDER

Part II the Curriculum

6. This Part of the Order provides for the introduction of a revised structure for the curriculum and assessment arrangements for children of compulsory school age. It also creates a new duty on Boards of Governors of all grant-aided schools to provide pupils at Key Stage 4 and those over compulsory school age with access to a number and range of courses specified by the Department and enables this access to be provided by the school or in accordance with arrangements made with another grant-aided school, FE colleges or other providers.