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1. Coming up this week in the Houses of the Oireachtas (23 May 2016 – 27 May 2016)

[Dáil and Seanad Agenda](#)

2. Last week's Oireachtas Questions and Debates (16 May 2016 – 20 May 2016)

- a. Asylum and Immigration
- b. Education (incl ECCE and Child Care)
- c. Child Protection/ Child Services/ Children in Care
- d. Family
- e. Health and Wellbeing
- f. Disability and Special Educational Needs
- g. Child Benefit / Social Welfare/ Poverty / Housing
- h. Juvenile Justice/ Human Rights/ Equality
- i. General

a. Asylum and Immigration

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Children and Youth Affairs

[Direct Provision Data](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)

Department of Justice and Equality

[Direct Provision System](#), Gino Kenny (Dublin Mid West, Fine Gael)

[Refugee Resettlement Programme](#), Clare Daly (Dublin Fingal, United Left)

[Refugee Resettlement Programme](#), Mick Wallace (Wexford, Independent)
[Direct Provision Data](#), Gerry Adams (Louth, Sinn Féin)

b. Education (incl ECCE and Child Care)

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Education and Skills

[School Transport Data](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Accommodation](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Retention Rates](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Starting Age](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Transport Eligibility](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Transport](#), Mick Barry (Cork North Central, Anti-Austerity Alliance)
[School Transport Review](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[School Patronage](#), Lisa Chambers (Mayo, Fianna Fáil)
[School Patronage](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)
[Religious Discrimination](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)
[School Transport Provision](#), Bobby Aylward (Carlow-Kilkenny, Fianna Fáil)

Department of Children and Youth Affairs

[School Completion Programme](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)
[Child Care Services Funding](#), Dara Calleary (Mayo, Fianna Fáil)
[Foster Care Supports](#), Brian Stanley (Sinn Féin)
[Early Childhood Care and Education](#), Robert Troy (Fianna Fáil)
[Early Childhood Care and Education](#), Seán Haughey (Dublin Bay North, Fianna Fáil)

Debates

- Dáil Debates, [Preschool Services](#)
- Dáil Debates, [Delivering Equality of Opportunity in Schools Scheme](#)
- Dáil Debates, [Educational Reform](#)
- Dáil Debates, [School Admissions](#)
- Dáil Debates, [Third Level Fees](#)
- Dáil Debates, Priority Questions, [School Guidance Counsellors](#)
- Dáil Debates, [School Admissions](#)

c. Child Protection/ Child Services/ Children in Care

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Children and Youth Affairs

[Children in Care](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)
[Psychological Services](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)
[Child Care Services Provision](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)
[Human Trafficking](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)

Department of Justice and Equality

[Garda Vetting of Personnel](#), Tony McLoughlin (Sligo-Leitrim, Fine Gael)
[Legislative Programme](#), Josepha Madigan, (Dublin Rathdown, Fine Gael)

d. Family

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Children and Youth Affairs

[Adoption Records Provision](#), Seán Barrett, Fine Gael)

Department of Finance

[Tax Credits](#), Dara Calleary (Mayo, Fianna Fáil)

Department of Justice and Equality

[Constitutional Amendments](#), Bríd Smith (Dublin South Central, People Before Profit Alliance)

Debates

- Dáil Debates, [Adoption \(Amendment\) Bill 2016: Second Stage \(Resumed\)](#)
- Dáil Debates, [Adoption \(Amendment\) Bill 2016: Second Stage](#)

e. Health and Wellbeing

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Health

[Hospital Waiting Lists](#), Charlie McConalogue (Donegal, Finanna Fáil)

[Commencement of Legislation](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)

[Mental Health Services Funding](#), Frank O'Rourke (Kildare North, Fianna Fáil)

[Mental Health Services Funding](#), Carol Nolan (Offaly, Sinn Féin)

[Mental Health Services Funding](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)

[Mental Health Services Funding](#), Noel Rock (Dublin North West, Fine Gael)

[Vaccination Programme](#), Mattie McGrath (Tipperary, Independent)

[Primary Care Services Provision](#), Billy Kelleher (Cork North Central, Fianna Fáil)

[HSE Expenditure](#), Louise O'Reilly (Dublin Fingal, Sinn Féin)

f. Disability and Special Educational Needs

Debates

- Dáil Debates, [Special Educational Needs Service Provision](#)
- Dáil Debates, [Special Educational Needs Service Provision](#)
- Dáil Debates, Priority Questions, [Special Educational Needs Service Provision](#)

g. Child Benefit / Social Welfare/ Poverty / Housing

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Social Protection

[Child Benefit Data](#), Seán Haughey (Dublin Bay North, Fianna Fáil)

[Domiciliary Care Allowance Eligibility](#), Willie Penrose (Longford-Westmeath, Labour)

[Social Welfare Benefits Waiting Times](#), Tommy Broughan (Dublin Bay North, Independent)

[Social Welfare Appeals Waiting Times](#), Willie O’Dea (Limerick City, Fianna Fáil)

[Family Income Supplement Data](#), Brendan Ryan (Dublin Fingal, Labour)

Department of Environment, Community and Local Government

[Social and Affordable Housing Eligibility](#), Eoin Ó Broin (Dublin Mid West, Sinn Féin)

[Rent Supplement Scheme Eligibility](#), Eoin Ó Broin (Dublin Mid West, Sinn Féin)

Debates

Presentations to the Oireachtas Joint and Select Committees, Committee on Housing and Homelessness:

- [Irish Refugee Council](#)
- [Pavee Point](#)
- [Tyrrelstown Residents](#)
- [Free Legal Advice Centres](#)
- [Tiglin Challenge](#)

h. Juvenile Justice/ Human Rights/ Equality

Parliamentary Questions- Written Answers

Department of Children and Youth Affairs

[Child Detention Centres](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)

[Child Care Services Provision](#), Bernard Durkan (Kildare North, Fine Gael)

Debates

- Dáil Debates, [Traveller Accommodation](#)

i. General

Parliamentary Questions – Written Answers

Department of Education and Skills

[Residential Institutions Redress Scheme](#), Andrew Doyle (Wicklow, Fine Gael)

Department of Health

[Mother and Baby Homes Records](#), Thomas Pringle (Donegal, Independent)

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