

A rough guide for the perplexed

There's the PSED –
it's underpinned, says HMG,
by two SDs,
and covers nine PCs.

The PSED has three aims –
ED, AE of O and FGR are their names.

The SDs, you must know,
are to do with a) I and b) O.

The PCs are A, D, E, GI and G,
and M & CP, P & M, SI, and R & B.

There must be DR for each of these
and, underlying it, six BPs.

And in education, as sure as sure can be,
we must think about SEC and the PP
and, for ourselves as well as for the young,
SMSC.

Dramatis personae (in order of appearance)

Public sector equality duty
Her Majesty's Government
Specific duties
Protected characteristics
Eliminating discrimination
Advancing equality of opportunity
Fostering good relations
Information
Objectives
Age
Disability
Ethnicity
Gender identity
Gender
Marriage and civil partnership
Pregnancy and maternity
Sexual identity
Religion and belief
Due regard
Brown principles
Socio-economic circumstances
Pupil premium
Spiritual, moral, social and cultural development
