

## **New School Enhancement Projects announced**

Education Minister Peter Weir has announced 18 schools which will advance in planning under the second call to the School Enhancement Programme (SEP).

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## **Don't miss out – Business Development Groups Scheme Closing to Applications**

Time is running out to apply for the Business Development Groups (BDG) Scheme before it closes at 4pm on 24 January 2020.

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## **Minister Welcomes Confirmation of Date for Public Inquiry on A1 Road Improvement Scheme**

A Public Inquiry on the A1 Junctions Phase 2 Strategic Road Improvement Scheme will begin on 11 March 2020 at 10.00 am in the Belmont House Hotel, Banbridge.

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## **Publication of Northern Ireland Care Leavers 2018/19**

The Department of Health today published a statistical bulletin summarising information on care leavers aged 16-18 in Northern Ireland and care leavers whose 19th birthday occurred during the year ending 31 March 2019.

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## **New Executive can rebuild confidence in politics**

A new five party power-sharing Executive, based on mutual respect and trust, can help rebuild public confidence in devolved institutions, First Minister Rt Hon Arlene Foster and deputy First Minister Michelle O'Neill have stated.