

## Legal Working Group – 2018 report

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### Activities 2018 :

Rather dormant for a few years the Legal Working Group has been started afresh in 2017. It had an active year.

*Its main files were:* new financial procedure for the APEEE adopted in autumn 2018. Review of the APEEE statutes to better reflect the role of the Berkendael site and its representatives, teacher absences, review of the schools drugs policy.

In addition, members of the Legal Working Group can be called upon to assist pupils who face the school's disciplinary board (and their parents). This happened a few time during the year

**Next year:** provide legal advice on issues arising -support parent/pupils in disciplinary matters.

As the Legal Working Group's role is to provide advice, its role is necessarily a reactive one. It makes therefore little sense to set out a strategy or planning.

Topics foreseeable include: Data protection (with DP Task Force), APEEE agreements, Rules of Procedure.

**Working method:** mainly by email exchange, occasional meetings.