

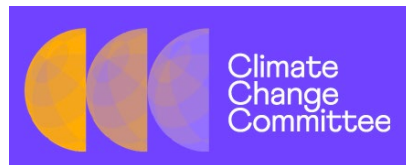
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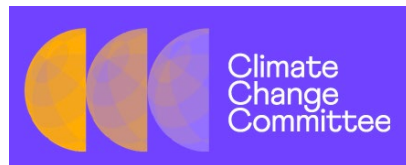
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- **In schools:** Government should provide additional support to those schools and learners **least able to engage** with Net Zero
- **In further education:** Government should urgently review Further Education sector support and provide **investment commensurate** with meeting national, local and sectoral skills needs for the Net Zero transition
- **In universities:** All universities should update their strategic plans to **address Net Zero skills** and lifelong learning provision



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- **In the wider skills & learning system:** Dedicated funding should be provided by government for **area-based** Net Zero skills assessments in every region of the UK
- **In industry:** All future ‘Contracts for Difference’ in the UK Government’s scheme for supporting low carbon electricity generation should specify how skills needs will be met, with skills also being an overt part of a **Net Zero Test** of wider policy and procurement



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- **Nationally:** The UK Climate Change Committee should embed **skills assessment into its advice to government**, with government providing central coordination of Net Zero skills reporting from, and intelligence to, every region of the UK
- **Internationally:** Talent attraction and retention schemes should be reviewed in the context of **international climate action** and updated to align with Net Zero skills needs in the UK

