

PUBLIC LIBRARY STANDARDS REPORT 2004 ASSESSMENT FORM

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OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF THE 2004 PUBLIC LIBRARY STANDARDS REPORT

Assessors are asked to consider the authority's response to the public library standards at March 31st 2004. Assessors should take into account the number of national standards met at March 31st 2004, the progress in meeting the national standards since March 2001, the distance from the standards measure for any standards not met at March 31st 2004, and the progress in setting and meeting local standards at March 31st 2004. They should base their judgement on the published assessment framework, using the weighting for the individual section scores in coming to this overall score.

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| The public library standards report demonstrated a weak response to the Public Library Standards, (national and local) | The public library standards report demonstrated a fair response to the Public Library Standards, (national and local) | The public library standards report demonstrated a good response to the Public Library Standards, (national and local) | The public library standards report demonstrated an excellent response to the Public Library Standards, (national and local) |
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I recommend the following score for the evidence of this authority's response to the public library standards as at March 31st 2004, including local targets and progress since national standards were introduced in January 2001.

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COMMENTS ON PUBLIC LIBRARY STANDARDS

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| <p><u>FOR ALL AUTHORITIES</u></p> <p><u>Response to public library standards at March 31st 2004 (PLS 1 to 18 less PLS 10 and PLS 16, plus local targets)</u></p> | |
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**ADDITIONAL COMMENTARY
RELATING TO THOSE
AUTHORITIES THAT CHOSE
TO SUPPLY A STANDARDS
REPORT**

**Context for the public
library service within the
authority**

End of sections for publication