

**WALSALL**  
**SCHOOLS FORUM**

**FORWARD PLAN OF DECISIONS**

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## FORWARD PLAN

The forward plan sets out decisions which the Schools Forum intend to take over the following 4 months. Preparation of the forward plan helps the Schools Forum to programme its work. The purpose of the forward plan is to give plenty of notice and an opportunity for consultation on the issues to be discussed. The plan is updated in the middle of each month with the period of the plan being rolled forward by one month and republished. The plan is available for public inspection at the First Stop Shop, Civic Centre, Darwall Street, Walsall. Copies of the plan can be obtained from Glenys Ensor, Democratic Services, Walsall MBC, Council House, Lichfield Street, Walsall, WS1 1TW, 01922 654367 or e-mail [ensorg@walsall.gov.uk](mailto:ensorg@walsall.gov.uk). The forward plan can also be accessed from the Council's website at [www.walsall.gov.uk](http://www.walsall.gov.uk).

Please note that the decision dates are indicative and are subject to change. Please contact the above addressee if you wish to check the date for a particular item.

The Schools Forum Members are as follows:-

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Primary Head Teacher, Blackwood Primary School

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Academy Head Teacher, Joseph Leckie Academy

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Academy Head Teacher, Barr Beacon School

Secondary Head Teacher, Pool Hayes Arts and Community School

Special School Head Teacher, Castle Business and Enterprise College

Nursery Head Teacher, Sandbank Nursery

Academy Representative, Park Hall Infant Academy

Academy Representative, Park Hall Junior Academy

Primary Governor

Primary Governor, Blackwood Primary School

Primary Governor, Delves Infant and Nursery School

Secondary School Governor, Brownhills Technology College

Special School Governor, Jane Lane School

Academy Governor, Grace Academy



Vacancy  
Mr. S. Pritchard-Jones  
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PVI representative  
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14-19 School Forum representative

**Observers**

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Vacancy  
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Observer, C. of E. Diocese  
Observer, Catholic Diocese  
Observer, Staff side associations representative



The Schools Forum agenda and reports are available for inspection by the public 7 days prior to the meeting of the Forum. The papers can be seen at First Stop Shop at the Civic Centre, Walsall. The papers are also available on the Council's website referred to above shortly before the meeting. Background papers are listed on each report submitted to the Schools Forum and members of the public are entitled to see these documents unless they are confidential. The report also contains the name and telephone number of a contact officer. These details can also be found in the forward plan.

Meetings of the Schools Forum are open to the public and take place at Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall. Occasionally there are items included on the agenda which are confidential and for those items the public will be asked to leave the meeting.

#### **Dates, times and venues of Schools Forum meetings for 2014/2015**

<b>2014</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Time</b>
8 April	Barr Beacon School, Old Hall Lane, Aldridge, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
13 May	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
10 June	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m. (Provisional date)
8 July	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.



23 September	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
14 October	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
4 November	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m. (Provisional date)
9 December	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
<b>2015</b>		
13 January	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.
10 February	Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, Blakenall, Walsall.	4.00 p.m.



10 March

Blakenall Village Centre,  
Thames Road,  
Blakenall,  
Walsall.

4.00 p.m.



**FORWARD PLAN OF DECISIONS TO BE TAKEN  
BY SCHOOLS FORUM  
JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2014**

<b>DECISION TO BE CONSIDERED</b>	<b>BACKGROUND PAPERS AND CONTACT OFFICER</b>	<b>DATE ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED</b>
Scheme for Financing Schools DfE revisions	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Learning Consortium		Future meeting
Potential Schools Funding Formula 2014/15 work	Dan Mortiboys	23 September, 2014
National Funding Formula Consultation	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
School to School Support	Rose Collinson	Future meeting
Approval of budgets	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Annual Report	Glenys Ensor	8 July, 2014
Balance Control Mechanism Update	Dan Mortiboys	8 July, 2014
Music service budget	Dan Mortiboys/Mike Parrott	September, 2014
Principles of Future Surplus use and Proposals (principally Early Years)	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Membership Review	Glenys Ensor/Dan Mortiboys	8 July, 2014
Update on 2 year old funding	Dawn Morris	8 July, 2014



2015/16 Schools Funding Formula Update	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Surplus	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
School improvement high needs block	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Vulnerable Learners	Lynda Poole	Future meeting
Leadership Development	Lynda Poole	Future meeting
Education Services Grant (ESG) responses	Dan Mortiboys	Future meeting
Providing Information to Schools	Lynda Poole	Future meeting
Pupil Premium in respect of Looked After Children	Carol Boughton	8 July, 2014
Early Years Consultation	Dan Mortiboys	8 July, 2014