

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 Steve Brooke, Constitutional Services, Walsall MBC, Civic Centre, Darwall Street, Walsall, WS1 1TP, 01922 652014 or e-mail brookes@walsall.gov.uk. The forward plan can also be accessed from the Council's website at www.walsall.gov.uk and the Education Walsall website at 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.

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Meetings of the Schools Forum are open to the public and take place at the Small Hall at the Education Development Centre (EDC), Pelsall Lane, Rushall. 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 2007/2008

2007	Venue	Time
12 June	EDC	4.00 p.m.
11 September	EDC	6.00 p.m. (Provisional date)
9 October	EDC	6.00 p.m.
13 November	EDC	6.00 p.m. (Provisional date)
4 December	EDC	4.00 p.m.
2008		
22 January	EDC	6.00 p.m.
11 March	EDC	4.00 p.m.

FORWARD PLAN OF DECISIONS TO BE TAKEN BY SCHOOLS FORUM SEPTEMBER TO OCTOBER 2007

DECISION TO BE CONSIDERED	BACKGROUND PAPERS AND CONTACT OFFICER	DATE ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED
Deprivation Review	George McQueen, 01922 686436	Standing Item
Delegation of Funds for School Meals	Chris Holliday, 01922 650339	October, 2007
Extended Schools Funding	Dawn Morris, 01922 686342	When information is available from DfES
Potential Delegation of Maternity Pay	George McQueen, 01922 686436	When information is available
Budget 2007/08	Dawn Morris, 01922 686342	When information from PLASC returns is available
Personalised Learning	George McQueen, 01922 6886436	When information is available
Extension of role of Schools Forum - training	George McQueen, 01922 686436	When information is available
Further Delegations to Schools: Additionally Resourced Unit for pupils with Sensory Impairments	George McQueen, 01922 686436 Dawn Morris, 01922 686342	When information is available
Distribution of Funds for Practical Learning	George McQueen, 01922 686436	October, 2007