

Children's and Young People Scrutiny and Performance Panel

Meeting to be held on 4 November 2010 at 6.00 p.m.

Your attendance is requested at the above meeting, which will be held at the Council House.

A list of the items of business to be considered at the meeting, together with any supporting papers is enclosed. Please bring the papers with you to the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP: Chair: Councillor E. Hughes

Vice-Chair: Councillor B. Cassidy

Councillors: Councillor L. Beeley

Councillor O. Bennett Councillor K. Chambers Councillor R. Martin Councillor A. Paul Councillor D. Shires Councillor R. Thomas

NON-ELECTED VOTING MEMBERS: Lichfield Diocesan Education – K. Yeates

Diocesan Schools Commission - P. Williams

Parent Governors – E. Chawira

D. Harborne-Smith

A. McDevitt

NON-ELECTED NON-VOTING MEMBERS: Primary Teacher Representative – D. Jones

Secondary Teacher Representative - R. Bragger

PORTFOLIO HOLDER: Councillor R. Andrew – Children's Services

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Some items are discussed in private because of their confidential nature, and reports on these are not available for the public. A guide to the types of information which are available to the public can also be found on our website or at the Civic Centre.

ITEMS FOR BUSINESS

	Apologies	
1.	To receive apologies for absence from Members of the Panel.	
	Substitutions	
2.	To receive notice of any substitutions from a member of the Panel for the duration of the meeting.	
3.	Declarations of interest and party whip	
	To receive declarations of interest or the party whip from Members in respect of items on the agenda.	
4.	Minutes of previous meeting	
	To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting that took place on 27 September 2010.	Enclosed
	Sneyd School	
5.	Update and discussion with Dame Brennan, Executive Head teacher of Barr Beacon Language College and Sneyd, together with Pupils from Sneyd.	<u>Enclosed</u>
	Performance of Serco Education Contract	
6.	To provide the Panel with guidance, including consideration of support provided to schools and post-16 provision.	Enclosed
	Transforming Learning in Walsall	
7.	To provide the Panel with an update.	<u>Enclosed</u>
	Annual Complaints report	
8.	To provide the Panel with guidance in relation to the report.	<u>Enclosed</u>
	Performance scorecard: Teenage Pregnancy	
9.	Activity undertaken to tackle the under 18 conception rate in Walsall.	<u>Presentation</u>
	Impact of budget reduction on services	
10.	To provide the Panel with an update.	<u>Presentation</u>
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	Specialist Services	
11.	To provide the Panel with an update on recent activity	<u>Verbal</u>
	Work Programme 2010/11 and Forward Plan	
12.	To consider the Panel's work programme and the latest version of Cabinet's Forward Plan of Key Decisions.	<u>Enclosed</u>
40	Date of next meeting	
13.	To note the time and date of the next meeting as 6.00pm on 3 December 2010.	