

## Education and Children's Services 2016/17

### Areas of Focus

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<b>Priority Areas</b>							
Children's Social Care and Safeguarding							
Early Help 0-19 locality delivery model – including youth service delivery						x	
Provision and outcomes for Children and SEND							
<b>Improving Education</b>							
Quarterly Reports from Education Challenge Board & SENDI Challenge Board			x		x		x
Five year school places strategy				x			
What is the impact of the Pupil Premium?							
Getting children school ready including the role of parents							
Outcome of the 16 – 18 review							
Teacher Supply and Recruitment							
Special Educational Needs Review – including EHCP progress					x		
Educational Attainment 2016						x	
Performance Scorecard						x	

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<b>Safeguarding</b>							
Walsall Self Assessment of Services ahead of Ofsted Inspection (to include Young Carers & Performance Data)	x	x					
Member visits to Walsall Children's Homes	x						x
Protecting Vulnerable Groups – Child Sexual Exploitation and Radicalisation				x			
Regional Adoption Agency – Options and Recommendations							
Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services <sup>1</sup>						x	
New Belongings							
Update from Corporate Parenting Board							
Independent Reviewing Officer – Annual Report							
2015/16 WSCB Annual Report							
Update on Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children				x			
Youth Employment Initiative (YEI) Impact and Apprenticeships with particular reference to Looked After Children <sup>2</sup>						x	
Fostering Recruitment <sup>3</sup>							

<sup>1</sup> Item added following discussion with Cllr Towe 13/12/16

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<sup>3</sup> Item added following discussion with Cllr Towe 26/01/17

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<b>Young People Engagement</b>							
UK Youth Parliament							
Question Time Event with Care Leavers							
New belongings							
Update from Members appointed to engage with New Belongings and Council 4 Kids							x

<b>Information (Overview)</b>							
Financial Monitoring focussing on overspends and pressures		x		x - Budget		x	
Annual Complaints Report					x		
Inter-board Protocol							
<b>Working Groups</b>							
Child Poverty Working Group							x
Child Mental Health Working Group							
<b>Petitions</b>							