

Policy and Scrutiny Committee for Childrens Services, Education and Skills - Workplan 2022/25

DATE	AGENDA ITEMS	DESCRIPTION & BACKGROUND	LEAD OFFICER/ CABINET MEMBER
1 September 2022	Schools White Paper	To consider the implications of the Schools White Paper, Opportunity for All, which sets out plans to make sure every child can reach the full height of their potential.	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	Annual complaints report – Children's Social Work	To consider the annual report in accordance with best practice advice from the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman to ensure that lessons learnt are being implemented.	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	Green Paper - SEND review: right support, right place, right time	To consider the Government's green paper about the changes to make to the special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and alternative provision (AP) system in England.	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	School Place Planning	To consider the latest projections	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
1 December 2022	Performance and budget	Current performance trends and budget 2022/23	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	IW Safeguarding Children's Board annual report	To consider the annual report	Chairman of the Board
	Youth Offending	To consider a report on the work of the youth offending team	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills

	Social Care Review	To consider the implications of the Independent Review of Childrens' Social Care.	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
2 March 2023	School attainment	To consider the annual report on attainment	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	Pathway into further education and training	To look at how young people can access further education and training	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	School Exclusions	.To consider the latest position regarding school exclusions following consideration of a report in March 2022.	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
June 2023	Performance and budget	Current performance trends and budget 2023/24	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
	Children's health and wellbeing	To discuss key issues in relation to the health and wellbeing of children	Director of Public Health Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health
	Fostering and Adoption Annual Reports	To consider the annual reports	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills
September 2023	Annual complaints report – Children's Social Work	To consider the annual report in accordance with best practice advice from the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman to ensure that lessons learnt are being implemented	Director of Children's Services Cabinet Member for Children's Services, Education and Skills

	Early years – sufficiency of places	To consider the availability of early year places on the Island and the outcomes.	Director of Children’s Services Cabinet Member for Children’s Services, Education and Skills
December 2023	Performance and budget	Current performance trends and budget 2023/24	Director of Children’s Services Cabinet Member for Children’s Services, Education and Skills
	IW Safeguarding Children’s Board annual report	To consider the annual report	Chairman of the Board
March 2024	School attainment	To consider the annual report on attainment	Director of Children’s Services Cabinet Member for Children’s Services, Education and Skills
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Items identified but no date set yet by the Committee :-

1. Draft Isle of Wight Carers Strategy following a review before formal approval is given by the Cabinet
2. Social worker recruitment and retention
3. Autism