

CURRENT FWP

Date of meeting	Subject	Purpose of Report	Scrutiny Focus	Responsible / Contact Officer
<p>Thursday 21st March, 2024</p> <p>2.00pm</p>	<p>Anti-Racist Wales Action Plan</p>	<p>To update on how the Council is meeting the requirements of the Welsh Government Anti-racist Wales Action Plan in line with the development of the new Curriculum for Wales.</p>	<p>Assurance Monitoring</p>	<p>Senior Manager for School Improvement</p>
	<p>Tackling the Impact of Inequality on Education Outcomes</p>	<p>To provide an update on how the Education & Youth Portfolio support schools to tackle the impact of inequality. To also provide an update on the 'Ask Ceri' resource and what impact this was having following its re-launch.</p>	<p>Assurance Monitoring</p>	<p>Senior Manager for School Improvement</p>
	<p>Emergency Planning</p>	<p>To provide information around emergency planning and response, local EMRT arrangements, and the response to possible bus service withdrawal.</p>	<p>Assurance Monitoring</p>	<p>Emergency Planning Officer</p>
<p>Thursday 30th May, 2024</p> <p>2.00pm</p>	<p>Attendance and Exclusions</p>	<p>To provide Members with an overview of school attendance and exclusions and the role of the Portfolio's support services in this area. The Home-Schooling Officer to also be invited to the meeting to outline the work and support being provided.</p>	<p>Assurance Monitoring</p>	<p>Chief Officer (Education & Youth), and Senior Manager Inclusion Services</p>

	Estyn Inspection Framework	To provide information on the new Inspection Framework for Schools from Estyn.	Information Sharing	Chief Officer (Education & Youth),
	Revised Local Government Inspection Framework	To provide information on the revised Local Government Inspection Framework.	Information Sharing	Chief Officer (Education & Youth),
Thursday 27th June, 2024 Joint meeting with S&HC OSC - 2.00pm	Safeguarding in Education including Internet Safety and Social Media	To provide an update on the discharge of statutory safeguarding duties in schools and the Education portfolio. To include information on Relationship and Sexual Education and how this was contributing to reducing harm.	Assurance Monitoring	Chief Officer (Education & Youth) and Healthy Schools Practitioner
	Additional Learning Needs and Education Tribunal (Wales) Act 2018	To outline the approach to the identification and commissioning of education for Flintshire young people.	Assurance Monitoring	Senior Manager – Inclusion & Progression
	Children Looked After in Flintshire	To provide an update on the provision for Looked After Children. And to provide an update on the challenges, positive working and how young people were supported through the pilot to provide funding directly to looked after children leaving care.	Assurance Monitoring	Senior Manager – Inclusion & Progression

	Social Media and Internet Safety	To provide Members with an update on the Portfolio's Social Media and Internet Safety policy and provision.	Assurance Monitoring	Learning Adviser - Health, Well-being and Safeguarding
Thursday 11th July, 2024 2.0pm	Council Plan 2023-24 Year-End Performance	To review the levels of progress in the achievement of activities and performance levels identified in the Council Plan.	Assurance Monitoring	Chief Officer (Education & Youth)
September/ October 2024 Date to be confirmed	School Reserves Year Ending 31 March 2023 and Demographics	To provide the Committee with details of the closing balances held by Flintshire schools at the end of the financial year and information on changes in demographics.	Assurance Monitoring	Strategic Finance Manager (Schools)

INFORMATION REPORTS/BRIEFING PAPERS TO BE CIRCULATED TO THE COMMITTEE

Item	Purpose of information report	Month
Health & Safety in Schools	Information report on accidents during the academic year and the actions taken to support schools in achieving healthy and safe environment.	December
Parking Outside Schools	To provide information from the Highways Team on legislation around parking outside schools and the mechanism in place for joint working with the Police and Schools.	-
Policies for dealing with bullying in schools	To provide information on School Policies for dealing with instances of bullying.	-

Items to be scheduled

- Recycling School Uniforms – **Referred to the Committee from the Environment & Economy OSC.**
- Healthy Schools Scheme and Healthy & Sustainable Pre-School Scheme (HSPSS) – That the Committee be advised / consulted on the aims & objectives when the scheme is relaunched – **suggested at July 2023 meeting**
- Consultation on Member Role Descriptions - To consult Members on the draft role descriptions as provided in the revised draft Model Constitution – **moved from October, 2023 to be allocated to a new meeting date**
- Leeswood Transition Club – To receive a fuller report on the success of the scheme – **suggested at October meeting**

REGULAR ITEMS

Month	Item	Purpose of Report	Responsible / Contact Officer
February/ March	School Modernisation	To update Members on the progress made with School Modernisation.	Senior Manager School Planning & Provision
May	Attendance & Exclusions	To provide Members with an overview of school attendance and exclusions and the role of the Portfolio's support services in this area.	Chief Officer (Education & Youth)
September	Self-evaluation on education services & learner outcomes	To update Members on overall service performance including Learner Outcomes.	Chief Officer (Education & Youth)
June	Additional Learning Needs	To update members on the implementation of national ALN reforms in schools and the role of the Portfolio's support services in this area.	Senior Manager – Inclusion & Progression

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September	Regional School Effectiveness and Improvement Service (GwE)	To receive an update on progress with the development of the regional school effectiveness and improvement service, to include a presentation from the Chief Officer of GwE.	Chief Officer (Education & Youth) & GwE Senior Officers
September	School Balances	To provide the Committee with details of the closing balances held by Flintshire schools at the end of the financial year.	Finance Manager
Annually	Learning from the School Performance Monitoring Group (SPMG)	To receive the annual report on progress and learning from the SPMG.	Senior Manager – School Improvement;
Annually	Social Media & Internet Safety - now part of Safeguarding Report to the Joint Scrutiny Committee	To receive an annual report assurance/monitoring.	Healthy Schools Practitioner