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Part A – Items considered in public

A2	Declarations of Interest (Including Whipping Declarations)	None were received.
А3	Minutes	That the minutes be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.
A4	Forward Work Programme	 (a) That the Forward Work Programme be noted; (b) That the Facilitator, in consultation with the Chair of the Committee, be authorised to vary the Forward Work Programme between meetings, as the need arises; and (c) That the progress made in completing the outstanding actions be noted.
A5	Terms of Reference	That the Committee supported the proposed amendments to its terms of reference as set out in Appendix 2.
A6	School Attendance & Exclusions	 (a) Members accepted the attendance and exclusion data for Flintshire schools and the actions undertaken by officers to support increased engagement and the safety and wellbeing of our children and young people. (b) Members recognised that the data provided has been impacted by COVID19 lockdown and school closures.
A7	Social Media and Internet Safety	 (a) Members confirmed they had received an appropriate level of assurance regarding the support and monitoring of schools with regard to social media and internet safety. (b) Members agreed that future reporting that Online Safety was incorporated within the annual Safeguarding in Education report and presented to the Joint Education, Youth & Culture and Social & Health Care OSCs.
A8	End of Year Performance Monitoring Report	(a) That the committee supported the levels of progress and had confidence in the

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		achievement of priorities within 2021/22 Council Plan.
		(b) That the committee supported the overall performance against 2021/22 Council Plan performance indicators.
		(c) That the committee was assured by explanations given for those areas of underperformance.