

## **Decisions of the Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee on Wednesday, 12 October 2016**

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### **Decisions**

**6. SCHOOLS FORUM UPDATE**

**Resolved -**

**That the information provided in Document “N” be noted.**

No Action

(Andrew Redding – 0174 432678)

**7. EDUCATION STANDARDS 2016 - EARLY YEARS TO KEY STAGE 5**

**Resolved –**

- (1) That the report on the improved performance of Bradford’s children be welcomed.**
- (2) That a further report be presented to the Committee in March 2017 which will contain the validated data and include the additional information as requested by the Committee.**
- (3) That the Committee requests a report on the work of the Education Improvement Board.**

Action: Strategic Director of Children’s Services

(Judith Kirk -01274 431078)

**8. ELECTIVE HOME EDUCATION**

**Recommended -**

- (1) That the limited powers of the Authority to identify cases whereby parents elect to home educate their child(ren) be brought to the attention of the Regional Schools Commissioner and the Secretary of State for Education.**



- (2) That it be noted that the interventions of the Education Safeguarding Team are a key vehicle in ensuring and promoting the wellbeing of children.
- (3) That closer working between partners, especially DWP and HMRC sharing data, be strongly promoted within the parameters of children missing education.

Action: Strategic Director of Children's Services

(Judith Kirk – 01274 431078)

9. **UNREGISTERED SCHOOLS**

**Resolved -**

**That the Local authority works with partner organisations to effectively respond to and support (where necessary) any education organisation that may be operating illegally, either knowingly or unknowingly.**

Action: Strategic Director of Children's Services

(Judith Kirk – 01274 431078)

10. **CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME**

**Resolved –**

**That the Work Programme 2016-17 continues to be regularly reviewed during the year.**

Action: Scrutiny Lead

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