

Decisions of the Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee on Wednesday, 22 September 2021

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Decisions

6. CHILDREN'S SERVICES IMPROVEMENT JOURNEY

Resolved –

- (1) This Committee requests that an informal and remote session be arranged with the Commissioner and members of this Committee at a date and time to be decided, to discuss the remit of the work to be undertaken and any key findings to date.
- (2) This Committee requests that the Improvement Plan be presented to the Committee, at its meeting on Wednesday 17 November 2021.
- (3) That the Annual Report for Looked After Children, be presented to this Committee, at its meeting on Wednesday 17 November 2021.

Action – Strategic Director, Children's Services

(Mark Douglas – 01274 431266)

7. OVERVIEW OF THE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT ASPECTS OF THE IMPROVEMENT JOURNEY IN CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Resolved –

This Committee requests that a more detailed report be presented in six months, which also specifically focuses on the activities being undertaken and the progress being made on increasing the number of salaried employees and reducing the number of agency workers.

Action – Strategic Director Children's Services

(Mark Douglas – 01274 431266)

8. SCHOOL ORGANISATION: SCHOOL EXPANSION PROGRAMME, EDUCATION CAPITAL FUNDING, ACADEMY CONVERSIONS

Resolved –

This Committee requests that in future, annual electronic updates be provided to the Committee, with members having the option to discuss this formally if required.

Action - Strategic Director, Children's Services

(Mariam Haque – 01274 431078)

9. **CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2021-22**

Resolved –

The Committee discussed and amended the 2021-22 work programme.

Action: Overview & Scrutiny Lead

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