

Meeting of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee

Monday 29th June, 2020 at 6.00pm

On Microsoft Teams

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Agenda - Public Session

(Meeting open to the public and press)

1. Apologies for absence.
2. To report the appointment of any substitute members serving for this meeting of the Committee.
3. To receive any declarations of interest under the Members' Code of Conduct.
4. To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 5th March, 2020 as a correct record.
5. [Critical Services Activity during COVID-19 \(Pages 1 – 18\)](#)
6. [Children's Services Complaints, Comments and Compliments Annual Report 1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020 \(Pages 19 – 43\)](#)
7. [Annual Scrutiny Programme 2020/21 \(Pages 44 –46\)](#)
8. To consider any questions from Members to the Chair where two clear days notice has been given to the Monitoring Officer (Council Procedure Rule 11.8).



Chief Executive

Dated: 19th June, 2020



Distribution:

Members of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee:

Councillor A Millward (Chair)

Councillor P Sahota (Vice-Chair)

Councillors M Aston, J Baines, I Bevan, P Bradley, J Cooper, S Craigie, K Lewis, C Perks and S Ridney.

Cc Councillor R Buttery (Cabinet Member for Children and Young People)

Parent Governor Representatives

Ms E Wilkes – Primary Schools

Vacancy – Secondary Schools

Vacancy – Special Schools

Church Representatives

Vacancy (Archdiocese of Birmingham)

Vacancy (Worcester Diocesan Board of Education)



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