

Agenda – Children, Young People and Education Committee

Meeting Venue:

Hybrid – Committee room 4 Tŷ Hywel
and video conference via Zoom \

Meeting date: 5 July 2023

Meeting time: 09.15

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1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest (09.15)

2 Papers to note (09.15)

2.1 Forward work programme

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Attached Documents:

Correspondence regarding Elective Home Education – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 1

2.2 Implementation of Education reforms

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Minister for Education and Welsh Language – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 2

2.3 Pre- appointment hearing of the Chief Executive for the Commission for Tertiary Education and Research

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Attached Documents:

Response from the Minister for Education and Welsh Language to the Committee’s report – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 3



2.4 Do disabled children and young people have equal access to education and childcare?

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Attached Documents:

Joint paper from the Welsh Language Commissioner and the Children's Commissioner for Wales CYPE(6)-20-23 – Paper to note 4

2.5 Do disabled children and young people have equal access to education and childcare?

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Attached Documents:

Additional information from the Equality and Human Rights Commission – CYPE(6)-20-23 – Paper to note 5

2.6 Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022

(Pages 19 – 24)

Attached Documents:

Letter from the Minister for Education and Welsh Language – CYPE(6)-20-23 – Paper to note 6

2.7 General scrutiny of the Minister for Health and Social Services

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee to the Chair of the Public Accounts and Public Administration Committee – CYPE(6)-20-23 – Paper to note 7

2.8 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2023-24

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chair of the Finance Committee to the Minister for Finance and Local Government – CYPE(6)-20-23 – Paper to note 8

2.9 Services for care experienced children: exploring radical reform

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Deputy Minister for Social Services – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 9

2.10 Do disabled children and young people have equal access to education and childcare?

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chair of the Children, Young people and Education Committee to the Welsh Language Commissioner – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 10

2.11 Do disabled children and young people have equal access to education and childcare?

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee to the Future Generation’s Commissioner for Wales – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 11

2.12 Information from Stakeholders

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Attached Documents:

Information from Ethnic Minorities & Youth Support Team Wales – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 12

2.13 Implementation of education reforms

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chief Executive of Qualifications Wales – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 13

2.14 Services for care experienced children: exploring radical reform

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Attached Documents:

Letter to the Llywydd from the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee and the Chair of the Petitions Committee – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 14

2.15 General scrutiny of the Minister for Education and Welsh Language

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Civil Engineering Contractors Association, CECA – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Paper to note 15

3 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public from items 4 – 7, Item 9 of this meeting

(09.15)

4 Consideration of the Committee's forward work programme

(09.15 – 10.15)

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Attached Documents:

Covering Paper – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Private paper 1

Scoping paper – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Private paper 2

5 Consideration of the approach to the Committee's strategic planning session

(10.15 – 10.30)

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Attached Documents:

Strategic Planning Paper – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Private paper 3

- 6 Implementation of education reforms – consideration of the outcome of the summer 2023 check-in**
(10.30 – 10.40) (Pages 75 – 81)

Attached Documents:

Draft letter – CYPE(6)–20–23 – Private paper 4

- 7 Update on Committee activities**
(10.40 – 10.50)

Break

(10.50 – 11.00)

- 8 Joint Ministerial scrutiny session on post 16 education and skills**
(11.00 – 12.25) (Pages 82 – 93)

Jeremy Miles MS, Minister for Education and Welsh Language

Vaughan Gething MS, Minister for Economy

Jo Salway, Director for Social Partnership, Employability & Fair Work, Welsh Government

James Owen, Director, Commission for Tertiary Education & Research, Welsh Government

Abigail Philips, Head of Innovation, Welsh Government

Attached Documents:

Research Brief

- 9 Joint Ministerial scrutiny session – consideration of the evidence**
(12.25 – 12.30)