

# Agenda – Children, Young People and Education Committee

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Meeting Venue:

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

Meeting date: 14 December 2023

Meeting time: 09.15

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## Private pre-meeting

(09.00 – 09.15)

### 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(09.15)

### 2 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public from items 3, 7, 8 and 9 of this meeting

(09.15)

### 3 Implementation of education reforms – consideration of the next steps

(09.15 – 09.30)

(Pages 1 – 11)

Attached Documents:

Implementation of education reforms: 3rd check-in – Scoping Paper

### 4 Scrutiny of Qualifications Wales Annual Report 2022 – 2023

(09.30 – 10.45)

(Pages 12 – 90)

David Jones, Chair, Qualifications Wales

Philip Blaker, Chief Executive, Qualifications Wales

[Qualifications Wales Annual Report 2022 – 2023](#)

Attached Documents:

Research brief – Qualifications Wales

Qualifications Wales Annual Report



## **Break**

(10.45 – 11.00)

## **5 Residential Outdoor Education (Wales) Bill – evidence session 3**

(11.00 – 12.00)

(Pages 91 – 102)

Mark Campion, Acting Assistant Director, Estyn [via zoom]

Attached Documents:

Research brief

## **6 Papers to note**

(12.00)

### **6.1 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2024–25**

(Pages 103 – 106)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Finance Committee from Coleg Cymraeg  
Cenedlaethol

### **6.2 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2024–25**

(Pages 107 – 117)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Finance Committee from ColegauCymru

### **6.3 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2024–25**

(Pages 118 – 123)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Finance Committee to Cardiff Metropolitan  
University

### **6.4 Services for care experienced children: exploring radical reform**

(Page 124)

Attached Documents:

Additional information from National Youth Advocacy Services NYAS Cymru

**7 Scrutiny of Qualifications Wales Annual Report 2022 – 2023 –  
consideration of the evidence**

(12.00 – 12.10)

**8 Residential Outdoor Education (Wales) Bill – consideration of the  
evidence**

(12.10 – 12.15)

**9 Welsh Government White Paper on Ending Homelessness in Wales  
– consideration of the Committee's response**

(12.15 – 12.30)

(Pages 125 – 135)

Attached Documents:

Draft response to the Welsh Government's White Paper on ending  
homelessness