

Agenda – Children, Young People, and Education Committee

Meeting Venue: Zoom

Meeting date: 19 March 2026

Meeting time: 09.30

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Public meeting

09.30

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

09.30

2 Papers to note

09.30

2.1 Forward work programme

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Attached Documents:

Letter to the Minister for Further and Higher Education and the Minister for Culture, Skills and Social Partnership from the Chair of the Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport and International Relations Committee

2.2 Routes into post-16 education and training

(Pages 4 – 5)



Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Welsh Government

2.3 General scrutiny of the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care

(Pages 6 – 10)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care

2.4 Teacher recruitment and retention

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Attached Documents:

Response from the Welsh Government to the Committee's report

2.5 Forward work programme

(Pages 29 – 32)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Cabinet Secretary for Education

2.6 Implementation of Education reforms

(Pages 33 – 40)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Cabinet Secretary for Education

2.7 School improvement and learner attainment

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Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Cabinet Secretary for Education

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Letter to the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee
from the Cabinet Secretary for Education

3 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting

09.30

Private meeting

09.30 – 10.30

4 Consideration of the Committee's Legacy report

09.30 – 10.30

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Attached Documents:

Draft Report