

# Agenda – Children, Young People and Education Committee

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Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 1 – Senedd

Meeting date: 6 November 2019

Meeting time: 09.15

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## Private pre-meeting

(09.15 – 09.30)

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

(09.30)

### 2 Inquiry into Children's Rights in Wales – evidence session with the Deputy Minister for Health and Social Services

(09.30 – 10.30)

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Julie Morgan AM, Deputy Minister for Health and Social Services

Karen Cornish, Deputy Director, Children & Families Division – Welsh Government

David Pearce, Head of Children's Branch – Welsh Government

Attached Documents:

Research Brief

CYPE(5)–30–19 – Paper 1 – Welsh Government

CYPE(5)–30–19 – Paper 2 – ‘Meeting in a box’ – analysis of results

CYPE(5)–30–19 – Paper 3 – Note from Lleisiau Bach on the engagement event with children on 10 October



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## **Break**

(10.30 – 10.45)

## **3 Scrutiny of the Children's Commissioner for Wales Annual Report 2018 – 19**

(10.45 – 12.00)

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Sally Holland, Children's Commissioner for Wales

Rachel Thomas, Head of Policy and Public Affairs – Office of the Children's Commissioner for Wales

[Children's Commissioner for Wales Annual report](#)

Attached Documents:

Research Brief

## **4 Papers to note**

12.00

### **4.1 Additional information from the Minister for Education regarding curriculum reform following the evidence session on 18 September**

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Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Paper to note 1

### **4.2 Inquiry into Children's Rights in Wales – Additional information from the Equality and Human Right Commission following the meeting on 16 October**

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Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Paper to note 2

**4.3 Letter from the Minister for Education and the Minister for Health and Social Services – Update on Committee's 'Mind over Matter' report**

(Pages 82 – 88)

Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Paper to note 3

**4.4 Letter from the Deputy Minister for Health and Social Services – Amended Directions for the delivery of the National Adoption Service for Wales**

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Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Paper to note 4

**4.5 Letter from Qualifications Wales – Discontinuation of the Foundation (Post-16) and National (Post-16) Skills Challenge Certificate (SCC) qualifications**

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Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Paper to note 5

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

(12.00)

**6 Inquiry into Children's Rights in Wales – consideration of the evidence**

(12.00 – 12.10)

**7 Scrutiny of the Children's Commissioner for Wales Annual Report 2018 – 19 – consideration of the evidence**

(12.10 – 12.20)

**8 The Emotional and Mental Health of Children and Young people –  
Follow-up – consideration of the response from the Minister for  
Health and Social Services and the Minister for Education**

(12.20 –12.40)

(Pages 94 – 172)

Attached Documents:

CYPE(5)-30-19 – Private paper – Welsh Government