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Children and Young People's Services Scrutiny Committee

A meeting of the Committee will be held at **10.30 am** on **Wednesday, 1 March 2023** at **County Hall, Chichester, PO19 1RQ**.

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Agenda

10.31 am 1. **Declarations of Interests**

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10.33 am 2. Urgent Matters

Items not on the agenda which the Chairman of the meeting is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency by reason of special circumstances, including cases where the Committee needs to be informed of budgetary or performance issues affecting matters within its terms of reference, which have emerged since the publication of the agenda.

10.38 am3.Minutes of the last meeting of the Committee (Pages 5 -
12)

The Committee is asked to agree the minutes of the meeting held on 18 January 2023 (cream paper).

10.43 am 4. **Responses to Recommendations** (Pages 13 - 20)

The Committee is asked to note the responses to recommendations made at the previous meetings of the Committee.

10.48 am 5. **Review of primary age pupil provision across Worthing** and Durrington Areas: Publication of Statutory Notices (Pages 21 - 48)

Report by Assistant Director Education and Skills

The Committee is asked to carry out pre-decision scrutiny of the proposals to reduce surplus primary school places in the Worthing and Durrington area.

12.03 pm 6. **Support for Young Carers** (Pages 49 - 60)

Report by Assistant Director Education and Skills.

The Committee are asked to assess the County Council's responsibilities for young carers, the impact being a young carer has on young people and how these are being addressed.

1.03 pm7.Performance and Resources Report 2022-23 - Quarter 3 -
October-December 2022 (To Follow)

Report by Director of Finance and Support Services.

The Committee is asked to examine the Council's corporate performance, finance, savings delivery and business performance for the services within the remit of this Committee for the period October to December 2022.

1.33 pm8.Work Programme Planning and Possible Items for Future
Scrutiny (Pages 61 - 86)

The Committee is asked to agree its draft work programme (Appendix A) in accordance with the scrutiny checklist attached (Appendix B) and highlight any further possible items for future scrutiny.

The Committee is also asked to review the Forward Plan entries relevant to its remit (Appendix C) and consider whether it wishes to enquire about any of the forthcoming decisions within its portfolio.

1.38 pm 9. Requests for Call-In

There have been no requests for call-in to the Scrutiny Committee within its constitutional remit since the date of the last meeting. The Director of Law and Assurance will report any requests since the publication of the agenda papers.

1.40 pm 10. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be held on 7 June 2023 at 10.30 am at County Hall, Chichester. Probable agenda items include:

- Early Help Service review of new model
- Performance and Resources Report 2022-23 Quarter 4

Any member wishing to place an item on the agenda for the meeting must notify the Director of Law and Assurance by 24 May 2023.

To all members of the Children and Young People's Services Scrutiny Committee

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