

**Dudley Schools Forum - 24<sup>th</sup> March 2015**

**Report of the Interim Director of Children's Services**

**Report on Standards Report – Performance Data**

**Purpose of Report**

1. To provide Schools Forum with School standards data, as reported to Children Services Scrutiny Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> March.

**Discussed at HTCF – BWG**

2. Not directly but the data has already been presented to Chairs of Governors and Primary and Secondary Headteacher meetings.

**Schools Forum Role and Responsibilities**

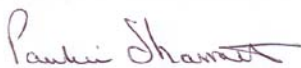
3. From 1 April 2006, the Schools Budget has been funded by a direct Department for Education (DfE) grant: the Dedicated School Grant (DSG).
4. The Forum is the 'guardian' of the local Schools Budget, and its distribution among schools and other bodies, and therefore must be closely involved throughout the development process.
5. The authority may consult the forum on such other matters concerning the funding of schools as they see fit.

**Action and Recommendation for Schools Forum**

6. For Schools Forum to note the information contained within the report presented to Children Services Scrutiny Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2015.

**Attachments to Report**

7. Appendix A – Children Services Scrutiny Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2015 Agenda item 6 Standards Report – Performance Data



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