

## Meeting of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee

[Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 at 6.00pm](#)

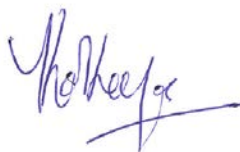
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### Agenda - Public Session

(Meeting open to the public and press)

1. Apologies for absence.
2. To report the appointment of any substitute members serving for this meeting of the Committee.
3. To receive any declarations of interest under the Members' Code of Conduct.
4. To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 29th June, 2020 as a correct record.
5. Children's Services Update – Acting Director of Children's Services.
6. Children's Services Complaints: Response Times Action Plan (Pages 1 – 7)
7. Early Years Transformation Academy (Pages 8 – 25)
8. Elective Home Education (Pages 26 – 37)
9. Summer Provision and September School Update (Pages 38 – 81)
10. To consider any questions from Members to the Chair where two clear days notice has been given to the Monitoring Officer (Council Procedure Rule 11.8).



**Chief Executive**



**Dated: 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2020**

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Councillor P Sahota (Vice-Chair)

Councillors M Aston, J Baines, I Bevan, P Bradley, J Cooper, S Craigie, K Lewis, C Perks and S Ridney.

Cc Councillor R Buttery (Cabinet Member for Children and Young People)

Parent Governor Representatives

Ms E Wilkes – Primary Schools

Vacancy – Secondary Schools

Vacancy – Special Schools

Church Representatives

Vacancy (Archdiocese of Birmingham)

Mr T Reid (Worcester Diocesan Board of Education)



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