



Meeting of the Children's Services Select Committee

**Thursday 16th November 2023, at 6pm
In Committee Room 2, The Council House,
Priory Road, Dudley. DY1 1HF**

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 11th September 2023 (Pages 4 to 17)
5. Public Forum
6. Children's Services Committee Progress Tracker and Future Business (Pages 18 to 21)
7. Dudley Children's Safeguarding Partnership Annual Report 2022-2023 (Pages 22 to 54)
8. Education Report (Pages 55 to 66)
9. Family Hubs and Start of Life Information and Update Report (Pages 67 to 74)



10. [Report of the Care Experienced Young Adults Accommodation \(Pages 75 to 80\)](#)
11. 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).

Distribution:

Councillor K Lewis (Chair)

Councillor D Bevan (Vice-Chair)

Councillors C Bayton, R Collins, T Crumpton, P Lee, C Reid, S Ridney, D Stanley, C Sullivan and M Webb.

Invitee: Councillor R Buttery – Cabinet Member for Children's Services and Education.

Co-opted Members with voting rights on matters concerning education: -

R May – Archdiocese of Birmingham Education Service Representative

T Reid – Worcester Diocesan Board of Education Representative



Chief Executive

Dated: 8th November 2023

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