

Education and Children's Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Work Programme 2021-2022



Please note that the work programme is a 'live' document and subject to change at short notice. The information in this work programme is intended to be of strategic relevance.

For general enquiries relating to the Council's Scrutiny function, including this Committee's work programme, please contact Jake Metcalfe, Democratic Advisor on 01752 398444.

Date of meeting	Agenda item	Prioritisation Score	Reason for consideration	Responsible Cabinet Member / Officer
7 July 2021	Children's Services Overview; CYPFS & Education			Jean Kelly and Ming Zhang
	OFSTED Overview			Jean Kelly
	Youth Justice Update			Jean Kelly
	Everyone's Invited Schools and safeguarding issues			Jean Kelly and Ming Zhang
08 September 2021	Our Skills			
	Finance Monitoring			
	Schools Catch up			
	COVID Legacy			
	Foster for Plymouth			
17 November 2021	Home Education – Children missing education			
	Innovate – Workforce			
	Out of Hours Reshaping			

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	Young Cares – Barnardos			
	Inclusion Strategy Board			
16 February 2022	Home to School Transport			
	CSE Update / Missing and Child Exploitation action plan			
	School Attainment			
	Children’s Mental Health Select Committee			
Items to be scheduled				
Review report – adopt south west				
Foster Care Numbers				
Select Committee Reviews				
Regional Schools Commissioner				
Children’s Mental Health Select Committee				
To be scheduled				
Joint Select Committee Reviews				

Annex I – Scrutiny Prioritisation Tool

		Yes (=1)	Evidence
P ublic Interest	Is it an issue of concern to partners, stakeholders and/or the community?		
A bility	Could Scrutiny have an influence?		
P erformance	Is this an area of underperformance?		
E xtent	Does the topic affect people living, working or studying in more than one electoral ward of Plymouth?		
R eplication	Will this be the only opportunity for public scrutiny?		
	Is the topic due planned to be the subject of an Executive Decision?		
	Total:		High/Medium/Low

Priority	Score
High	5-6
Medium	3-4
Low	1-2