

CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME

DATE OF MEETING	ITEM	PURPOSE OF REPORT	REASON FOR CONSIDERATION	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER / CONTACT OFFICER
18 Sept 2013	Narrowing the Gap	To begin to look in greater depth into the issue identified in the report of Ofsted's inspection of arrangements for the protection of children	Recommendation in the Ofsted report	Children's Services
	Annual report of the Wokingham Safeguarding Children Board	To consider the Wokingham Safeguarding Children's Board (WSCB) Annual Report	To monitor the work of the WSCB	Children's Services/WSCB
	Prevention of Grooming of Young People	Joint Investigation into the prevention of grooming of young people with Community Partnerships O & S Committee Initial approach is to review systems reported by WSCB	Suggested review from Overview & Scrutiny Management Committee	Children's Services/WSCB
	Report from Corporate Parenting Board	Update on progress of implementation of recommendations in the Review of Services for Looked After Children	To monitor implementation of the Review recommendations	Judith Ramsden/ Corporate Parenting Board
	Listening to the Children's Voice	Update on progress of the Children a & Young People's Engagement and Participation Strategy	To monitor the progress of the implementation of the strategy	Children's Services

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	Update on SEN Review	To receive an update on the proposed changes to the provision for Special Education Needs		Children's Services
	National and Local Performance Indicators	To receive an update and monitor Children's Services performance measured by local and national indicators	Standing Item To enable the Panel to assess performance and identify areas of concern	Children's Services Performance & Information Team
	School Performance Indicators and Ofsted reports, School Improvement	To receive information on schools' performance, and to review recent Ofsted Reports	Standing item to enable the Panel to assess performance and identify areas of concern	Martin Baker
	Children's Services O and S Panel Forward Programme	To consider the forward programme of the Panel	Standing Item	Democratic Services
4 Nov 2013	Narrowing the Gap	To look in greater depth into the issue identified in the report of Ofsted's inspection of arrangements for the protection of children	Recommendation in the Ofsted report	Children's Services

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	Review of the Effectiveness of Governing Bodies - Monitoring	To receive a monitoring report on the implementation of the approved recommendations the Report on the review of the Effectiveness of Governing Bodies - twelve months from its approval in Nov 2012.	To monitor implementation of the Review recommendations	Martin Baker
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15 Jan 2014	National and Local Performance Indicators	To receive an update and monitor Children's Services performance measured by local and national indicators	Standing Item To enable the Panel to assess performance and identify areas of concern	Children's Services Performance & Information Team
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3 March 2014	Progress on Special Education Needs			Children's Services
	Children & Young People's Plan	Update on the implementation of the Children and Young People's Plan -	To monitor the implementation of the Plan	Children's Services

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