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THIS IS A MEETING WHICH THE PUBLIC ARE ENTITLED TO ATTEND

8th March 2022

Dear Sir/Madam

EDUCATION AND LEARNING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Education and Learning Scrutiny Committee will be held as a Hybrid Meeting: Via MS Teams/Abraham Derby Room at the General Offices, Ebbw Vale - if you would like to attend please contact committee.services@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk on Tuesday, 15th March, 2022 at 10.00 am.

Please note that a pre and post meeting will be held 30 minutes prior to the start and following the conclusion of the meeting for members of the committee.

Yours faithfully

Michelle Morris
Managing Director

AGENDA

Pages

1. SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION

You are welcome to use Welsh at the meeting a

We welcome correspondence in the medium of Welsh or English. / Croesawn ohebiaith trwy gyfrwng y Gymraeg neu'r Saesneg.

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minimum notice period of 3 working days is required should you wish to do so. A simultaneous translation will be provided if requested.

2. APOLOGIES

To receive.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

To consider any declarations of interests and dispensations made.

4. SPECIAL EDUCATION & LEARNING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE MINUTES 5 - 14

To receive the Minutes of the Special Education & Learning Scrutiny Committee held on the 26th January, 2022.

(Please note the Minutes are submitted for points of accuracy only).

5. ACTION SHEET - 26TH JANUARY 2022 15 - 18

To receive the Action Sheet.

6. EDUCATION & LEARNING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE MINUTES 19 - 26

To receive the Minutes of the Education & Learning Scrutiny Committee held on the 1st February, 2022.

(Please note the Minutes are submitted for points of accuracy only).

7. ACTION SHEET - 1ST FEBRUARY 2022 27 - 28

To receive the Action Sheet.

8. EDUCATION DIRECTORATE-RESPONSE TO COVID-19 29 - 84

To consider the report of the Corporate Director Education.

9. **EDUCATION ACHIEVEMENT SERVICE BUSINESS PLAN 2022-2025** 85 - 158
- To consider the report of the Corporate Director Education.
10. **INSPIRE 2 ACHIEVE AND WORK PERFORMANCE REPORT JANUARY – DECEMBER 2021** 159 - 166
- To consider the report of the Service Manager Young People and Partnerships.
11. **WELSH PUBLIC LIBRARY STANDARDS (WPLS) ANNUAL RETURN 2020/21** 167 - 172
- To consider the report of the Corporate Director Education.
12. **BLAENAU GWENT ADMISSIONS POLICY FOR NURSERY AND STATUTORY EDUCATION 2023/24** 173 - 206
- To consider the report of the Service Manager Education Transformation and Business Change.

To: Councillor H. Trollope (Chair)
Councillor J. Holt (Vice-Chair)
Councillor D. Bevan
Councillor G. Collier
Councillor M. Cook
Councillor M. Day
Councillor L. Elias
Councillor S. Healy
Councillor J. Hill
Councillor C. Meredith
Councillor J. C. Morgan
Councillor J. P. Morgan
Councillor T. Smith
Councillor B. Summers
Councillor D. Wilkshire
T. Baxter
T. Pritchard

All other Members (for information)
Manager Director

Chief Officers