

Schools Forum

Thursday 18 January 2024

14:00

Meeting to be conducted using Microsoft Teams

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John Tradewell
Deputy Chief Executive and Director for Corporate Services
10 January 2024

Agenda

1. **Apologies**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Minutes of the meeting held on 09 November 2023** (Pages 5 - 18)
4. **Matters arising**
5. **Decisions taken by the Chairman under delegated powers** (Pages 19 - 20)
Schools Forum review of numbers January 2024
6. **Notices of Concern and Licensed Deficit Agreements** (Pages 21 - 22)
7. **Update to the Staffordshire Scheme for Financing Schools & Procurement Regulations** (Pages 23 - 24)
8. **Verbal update on School Budgets 2024/2025**
9. **High Needs Block including Deficit Management Plan** (Pages 25 - 36)

10. **2 year old and under - funding consultation** (Pages 37 - 44)

11. **Work programme and dates of next meetings** (Pages 45 - 46)

- Thursday 21 March 2024 – via Teams
- Thursday 11 July 2024 – via Teams
- Thursday 17 October 2024 – in person meeting to be held at the County Buildings, Stafford.

Membership	
Stephen Drew	Abigail Rourke
William Wilson	Mark Boughey
Richard Sutton	Carolyn Trowbridge
Steve Swatton	Helen Barron
Kim Prince Anson	Jessica Roden
Philip Siddell	Sadie Jones
Richard Redgate (Chair)	Emily Verow
Kirsty Rogers	Alun Harding
Chris Wright	Craig Hodgson
Steve Barr (Vice-Chair)	Lindi Nejrup
Kevin Allbutt	Dawn Freeman
Vicki Lewis	Nicola Mason
Anne Tapp	Andrew Skelding
Steve Breeze	Paul Spreadbury

Notes for Members of the Press and Public

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