## CREATING OPPORTUNITIES AND TACKLING INEQUALITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2015/16

Meeting Date	Item	Indicative Timings	Progress
15 June 2015	Appointment of a Co-Opted Member		
Draft Report 27 May Final Report 3 June	Contact Officer: Paulina Ford		
	Childrens Services and Safeguarding: Introduction, Overview and Work Programme		
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		
	Review of 2014/15 and Future Work Programme		
	To review the work undertaken during 2014/15 and to consider the future work programme of the Committee for 2015/16		
	Contact Officer: Paulina Ford		
<b>20 July 2015</b> Draft Report 1 July Final Report 8 July	Service Directors Report for Education		
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
	Service Directors Report for Children and Safeguarding		
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		

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	Supporting The Mental Health Needs Of Care Leavers		
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		
	Progress on SEND Reforms		
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
14 September 2015  Draft Report 26 Aug Final Report 2 Sept	Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process (Children act 1989) Annual Report 2014/2015  Contact Officer: Belinda Evans	15 minutes	
	Presentation of 2015 KS 4 & KS2 Unvalidated Examination Results	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
	Ofsted Inspection Report  Contact Officer: Wendi Ogle-Welbourn	45 minutes	
	Recruitment and Retention of Social Workers (report to include assessment of the impact of capping agency fees, website)	20 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		

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	Schools Organisation Plan		
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
15 October 2015	Joint Meeting of Scrutiny Committee and Commissions		
Draft Report 28 Sept Final Report 5 Oct	To discuss and comment on the proposals for the Alternative Governance arrangements.		
	Contact Officer: Kim Sawyer		
16 November 2015 Draft Report 28 Oct Final Report 4 Nov	Review of Outcomes of Peterborough Self Improvement School Network	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
	Vulnerable Children In Education including Closing the Gap Strategy / EAL Strategy and Virtual School	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis		
	Impact of Early Help (including Connecting Families)	15 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Karen Moody		
	Service Director And Portfolio Overview Report: Children & Safeguarding	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams and Councillor Andy Coles, Cabinet Member for Children's Services		

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	Proposal To Develop A Permanency Service In Peterborough		
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		
26 November 2015 (Joint Meeting of the Scrutiny Committees and Commissions)	Budget 2016/17 and Medium Term Financial Strategy to 2025/26 Phase One  To scrutinise the Executive's proposals for the Budget 2016/17 and Medium Term Financial Plan 2025/26.		
	Contact Officer: John Harrison/Steven Pilsworth		
18 January 2016  Draft Report 30 Dec  Final Report 6 Jan	Service Directors Report for Education including Portfolio Progress Report for Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University  Contact Officer: Terry Reynolds/Councillor Holdich OBE	15 minutes	
	City College Peterborough (including Apprenticeships and NEET)  To scrutinise the role the City College has to play in delivering improved educational and other outcomes for the city.  Contact Officer: Pat Carrington, Principal/Head of Service	45 minutes	
	Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report (PSCB) 2014/15		
	Contact Officer: Russell Waite / Jo Procter		

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	Placement Strategy for Children Looked After and the Implementation of the Fostering Action Plan	20 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams / Cabinet Adviser for Children's Safeguarding		
	Corporate Parenting Annual Report	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Simon Green / Chair of Corporate Parenting Panel		
10 February 2016	Budget 2016/17 and Medium Term Financial Plan – Phase Two		
(Joint Meeting of the Scrutiny Committees and Commissions)	To scrutinise the Executive's proposals for the Budget 2016/17 and Medium Term Financial Plan.		
	Contact Officer: John Harrison/Steven Pilsworth		
14 March 2016 Draft Report 24 Feb	Presentation of 2015 KS 4 & KS2 Validated Examination Results	30 minutes	
Final Report 2 Mar	Contact Officer: Terry Reynolds		
	Early Years Provision	30 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Karen Hingston		

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	Children and Families Joint Commissioning Achievement Report and Plan including Child Poverty	20 minutes	
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		
	Service Directors Report for Children and Safeguarding	30 minutes	6
	Contact Officer: Lou Williams		
	SHEU (Schools and Students Health Education Unit) Survey		
	Contact Officer: Gary Perkins		