CREATING OPPORTUNITIES AND TACKLING INEQUALITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2011/12

Meeting Date	Item	Progress
13 June 2011	Introduction to Children's Services	
Draft report 26 May Final report 2 June	To receive a report on aspirations and challenges within Children's Services. Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
	Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process (Children act 1989) Annual Report 2010	Update report to come back to Committee in six months time.
	To scrutinise the Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process (Children act 1989) Annual Report 2010 and make any necessary recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Lynn Chesterton	
	Review of 2010/11 and Future Work Programme	Items identified for scrutiny to be programmed into the work programme.
	To review the work undertaken during 2010/11 and to consider the future work programme of the Committee.	
	Contact Officer: Paulina Ford	
26 July 2011	Single Delivery Plan	
Draft report 8 July Final report 15 July	To scrutinise the Single Delivery Plan and identify areas for scrutiny which fall within the remit of the Committee.	
	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
	Single Equality Scheme	
	To scrutinise and comment on the Single Equality Scheme as part of the consultation process and make any recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Denise Radley	

		Last updated. 31 August 2011
Meeting Date	Item	Progress
	Safeguarding and Children in Care – Progress report on the Children's Service Development Plan	
	To scrutinise and monitor the actions being taken in the Children's Service Development Plan and its impact.	
	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
12 September 2011	Young Carers in Peterborough	
Draft report 25 Aug	To receive a progress report on Young Carers in Peterborough.	
Final report 1 Sept	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
	Presentation of 2011 Unvalidated Examination Results, EYFS – Key Stage 4 – A Level	
	To scrutinise the 2011 examination results, assess the impact of the action plan to improve educational results and make any necessary recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis	
	Portfolio Progress report from Cabinet Members relevant to the committee:	
	Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University	
	To Scrutinise and comment on the progress of the portfolio of the Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University	
	School Developments across Peterborough	
	To scrutinise School Developments across Peterborough	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis	
	Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report 2010-2011	
	To Scrutinise the Peterborough Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report	

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	2010-2011 and make any recommendations	
	Contact Officer: Andrew Brunt / Felicity Schofield	
15 November 2011	Academies	
Draft report 27 Oct	To scrutinise the development and impact of Academies across the City.	
Final report 3 Nov	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis	
	Educational Attainment of Minority Groups and New Arrivals	
	To scrutinise the educational attainment of minority groups and new arrivals across the City.	
	Contact Officer: Jonathan Lewis	
	Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process Annual Report 2010/11 – Mid year Progress Report	Requested at the meeting on 13 June 2011.
	To receive and scrutinise an update report on statistical data and category of complaints received since the Annual Report.	
	Contact Officer: Belinda Evans / Lynn Chesterton	
	Blue Badge Reforms	
	Contact Officer; Louise Tyers, Compliance Manager	
5 January 2012	Budget 2012/13 and Medium Term Financial Plan	
(Joint Meeting of the Scrutiny	To scrutinise the Executive's proposals for the Budget 2011/12 and Medium Term Financial Plan.	
Committees and Commissions)	Contact Officer: John Harrison/Steven Pilsworth	
16 January 2012	Educational Attainment of Children in Care	

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Draft report 29 Dec Final report 5 Jan	To Scrutinise the educational attainment of Children in Care and make any recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Andrew Brunt / Damian Elcock	
	Single Equality Scheme – Action Plan	Requested at the July meeting.
	To scrutinise and receive a progress report on the outcomes of the implementation of the Single Equality Scheme and make any recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Denise Radley	
	Presentation of 2011 Validated Examination Results, EYFS – Key Stage 4 – A Level To scrutinise the 2011 examination results, assess the impact of the action plan to improve educational results and make any necessary recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
	Child Poverty – Action Plan	Requested at the July meeting.
	To scrutinise and receive a progress report on the outcomes of the implementation of the Child Poverty Strategy and make any recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	
12 March 2012	Family Recovery Project	
Draft report 23 Feb		
Final report 1March		
	Single Delivery Plan - Programme 2: Supporting the most vulnerable families and tackling the causes of poverty - Progress Report	Requested at the July meeting
	To scrutinise the progress of Programme 2 of the Single Delivery Plan and make any recommendations.	
	Contact Officer: Executive Director of Children's Services	

To be programmed in:

- How Children's Services were responding to those children with diverse needs.
- Portfolio Progress report from Cabinet Members relevant to the committee:
 - o Cabinet Member for Children's Services

2012/2013 Work Programme

June 2012

- Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process (Children act 1989) Annual Report 2011
 - o To scrutinise the Children's (Social Care) Services Statutory Complaints Process (Children act 1989) Annual Report 2011 and make any necessary recommendations.
- Provision of School Places for EYF and Secondary Schools

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