

Children's Scrutiny Panel

Agenda Plan 2024/25

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| <p>24th July 2024</p> <p>Workshop - Informal Meeting</p> | <p>(with Panel, Officers and Cabinet Members)</p> <p>To consider potential areas of focus for the Panel during 2024/25 municipal year which will include the Council's key priorities for the children's service.</p> | <p>Helen Kilroy</p> |
| <p>30th August 2024</p> <p>Informal meeting 9.30am-10.30am</p> <p>Public meeting 10.30am</p> <p>Hybrid meeting</p> <p>Council Chamber HTH</p> <p>Report deadline: 16.8.24</p> <p>(Apols: V Metheringham)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Informal items:-</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ambition Board Minutes – 18.3.24 and 24.6.24</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Public Items:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Minutes of meeting on 26.3.24</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance Highlights (verbal)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">W Harris to provide</p> <p style="text-align: center;">J Sanders/A Gledhill/J Hanna to present</p> <p style="text-align: center;">H Kilroy</p> <p style="text-align: center;">J Sanders/A Gledhill/J Hanna to present</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Members</p> <p style="text-align: center;">H Kilroy</p> |

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| <p>11th October 2024</p> <p>Informal meeting 9.30am-10.30am</p> <p>Public meeting 10.30am</p> <p>Hybrid meeting Council Chamber HTH</p> <p>Report deadline: 27.9.24</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Informal items:-</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ambition Board Minutes – 16.9.24</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2023-24 Kirklees Annual Education Quality and Standards Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Public Items:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Quality Assurance Annual Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ofsted Inspection of Children’s Services – outcome and recommendations</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance Highlights (verbal)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">W Harris to provide</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Service Directors to present</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jo-Anne Sanders/Emma Brayford</p> <p style="text-align: center;">V Metheringham/R Fordyce</p> <p style="text-align: center;">V Metheringham</p> <p style="text-align: center;">J Sanders/V Metheringham to present</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Members</p> <p style="text-align: center;">H Kilroy</p> |
| <p>22nd November 2024</p> <p>Informal meeting 9.30am-10.30am</p> <p>Public meeting 10.30am</p> <p>Hybrid meeting Council Chamber HTH</p> <p>Report deadline:</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Informal items:-</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Public Items:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SEND – Oversight of the Government Safety Valve Agreement and current profile of spend across High Needs Block</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">J Sanders/V Metheringham to present</p> <p style="text-align: center;">J Sanders</p> |

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| 8.11.24 | <p>Performance Highlights (verbal)</p> <p>Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> <p>Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board</p> <p>Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25</p> | <p>J Sanders/V Metheringham</p> <p>Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> <p>Panel Members</p> <p>H Kilroy</p> |
| <p>17th January 2025</p> <p>Informal meeting 9.30am-10.30am</p> <p>Public meeting 10.30am</p> <p>Hybrid meeting Council Chamber HTH</p> <p>Report deadline: 3.1.25</p> | <p>Informal items:-</p> <p>Ambition Board Minutes – 19.12.24</p> <p>Performance Report</p> <p>Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP) Overview of volume process – quality and compliance</p> <p>Public Items:</p> <p>Standing Advisory Council for Religious Education (SACRE) Annual Report</p> <p>Review of Children’s Residential Homes and Foster Care Placements <i>(to be confirmed)</i></p> <p>Performance Highlights (verbal)</p> <p>Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> <p>Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board</p> <p>Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25</p> | <p>W Harris to provide</p> <p>J Sanders/V Metheringham</p> <p>J Sanders/Michelle Lister/Paul Calendine</p> <p>J Sanders/E Brayford/Pennine Learning</p> <p>V Metheringham/A Gledhill</p> <p>J Sanders/V Metheringham</p> <p>Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> <p>Panel Members</p> <p>H Kilroy</p> |

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| <p>14th March 2025</p> <p>10am-11am Informal meeting 11am-12.30pm Public meeting</p> <p>Hybrid Meeting Council Chamber, HTH</p> <p>Report deadline: 28.2.25</p> | <p>Informal items:-</p> <p>Performance Report</p> <p>Public Items:</p> <p>Multi-Agency Safeguarding Arrangements (MASA) Action Plan</p> <p>New initiatives of schools working in clusters</p> <p>Performance Highlights (verbal)</p> <p>Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> <p>Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board</p> <p>Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25</p> | <p>J Sanders/V Metheringham to present</p> <p>V Metheringham/I Mottershaw/ S Miles/Julie Sykes</p> <p>J Sanders/M Lister/Jayne Whitton/A Wisniewski</p> <p>J Sanders/V Metheringham to present</p> <p>Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> <p>Panel Members</p> <p>H Kilroy</p> |
| <p>28th April 2025</p> <p>10.30 am – 11 am Pre-meeting 11am – 1pm Public Meeting</p> <p>Hybrid Meeting Council Chamber, HTH</p> <p>Report deadline: 16.4.25</p> | <p>Pre-meeting items:-</p> <p>Panel Preparation for Public Meeting</p> <p>Public items:</p> <p>Special Schools – overview of provision and 2 new school rebuilds – Joseph Norton and Woodley</p> <p>Decline of the cohort of children in primary schools in Kirklees</p> <p>Pre-decision Scrutiny – Cabinet decisions on the horizon</p> | <p>Panel Members</p> <p>M Wilby/S Horn/J Sanders</p> <p>M Wilby/J Sanders</p> <p>Senior Officers/Cabinet Members</p> |

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| | Feedback from Panel Members on issues considered by Kirklees Parenting Board Work Programme and Agenda Plan for 24/25 (progress and items to roll forward to 25/26) | Panel Members H Kilroy |