

Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Thursday, 6 October 2011 at 7.00 pm Committee Rooms 1 and 2, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

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The press and public are welcome to attend this meeting

Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

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1 Declaration of personal and prejudicial interests

Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting any relevant financial or other interest in the items on the agenda.

2 Deputations (if any)

3 Minutes of the last meeting held on 12 July 2011 1 - 12

4 Brent Youth Parliament Update (Verbal Report)

5 Review of the Policy for the Provision of Early Years Full Time 13 - 26 Places

This report provides an update on the next steps to implement the council policy on the provision of full time Early Years places following consultation with the Schools Forum in June 2011. Schools will be consulted on the proposals this autumn in readiness for the start of the 2012 admissions process, with implementation from September 2012.

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6 Strategy to Provide Primary School Places in Brent up to 2014/15 27 - 64

The report describes the severe shortage of primary school places and the limited resources currently available to the Council to address the shortfall. The report sets out the options for dealing with the increased demand for places in both the short and medium term. Ward Affected: All Wards

Contact Officer: Rik Boxer, Assistant Director – Achievement and Inclusion.

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7 2011 Education Standards (Verbal Report)

- 8 **Provision of Services for Children with Disabilities (Verbal Report)**
- 9 Items on the Forward Plan in relation to Children and Young People 65 68

10 Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme 69 - 76

The Work Programme is attached.

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11 Date of next meeting

The next meeting of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny meeting is scheduled for 7 December 2011

12 Any other urgent business

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