

# EDUCATION AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

8<sup>th</sup> July, 2021

## Education & Children's Services Scrutiny Committee Annual Report 2020/21

### To consider and comment on the following issues:

- That members consider and approve the Education & Children's Services Scrutiny Committee annual report for the 2020/21 municipal year.

### Reasons:

- The Council's Constitution requires Scrutiny Committees to report annually on their work.

To be referred to the Executive Board / Council for decision:    **NO**

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER PORTFOLIO HOLDER:

**Cllr. Glynog Davies**

#### Directorate

Chief Executive's

#### Name of Head of Service:

Linda Rees-Jones

#### Designations:

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**Executive Summary**  
**EDUCATION AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**  
**8<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**

**Education & Children's Services Scrutiny Committee**  
**Annual Report 2020/21**

The attached report has been prepared in order to comply with Article 6.2 of the County Council's Constitution which states that a scrutiny committee must:

*"Prepare an annual report giving an account of the Committee's activities over the previous year."*

The report provides an overview of the workings of the Education & Children's Scrutiny Committee during the 2020/21 municipal year and includes information on the following topics:

- Overview of the Forward Work Programme
- Key issues considered
- Issues referred to or from Executive Board / Other Scrutiny Committees
- Task & Finish Review
- Schools
- Member attendance at meetings

**DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED ?**

**YES**

## IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report :

Signed: Linda Rees-Jones                      Head of Administration & Law

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets
<b>YES</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>

**1. Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities** – In line with requirements of the County Council's Constitution.

**2. Legal** - In line with requirements of the County Council's Constitution.

## CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Linda Rees-Jones

Head of Administration & Law

**1. Local Member(s)** - N/A

**2. Community / Town Council** - N/A

**3. Relevant Partners** - N/A

**4. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations** - N/A

**EXECUTIVE BOARD PORTFOLIO HOLDER(S) AWARE/CONSULTED**

NO

**Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information**  
**List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:**

**THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW**

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection
Education & Children's Services Scrutiny Committee Reports and Minutes		<b>Meetings from September 2015 onwards:</b> <a href="https://democracy.carmarthenshire.gov.wales/ieListMeetings.aspx?Committeeld=153">https://democracy.carmarthenshire.gov.wales/ieListMeetings.aspx?Committeeld=153</a>