FORTHCOMING ITEMS – TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE EDUCATION, YOUNG PEOPLE AND THE WELSH LANGUAGE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE TO BE HELD ON 03 APRIL 2024

In order to ensure effective Scrutiny, Members need to be clear as to the purpose of requesting specific information and the outcome they are hoping to achieve as a consequence of examining a report. Limiting the number of agenda items may help to keep meetings focused and easier to manage.

Agenda Item	Background	Reason for report
Progress Update on the Roll- out of Free School Meals Across Carmarthenshire	The report will detail the progress made by the Council on the roll-out of Free School Meals across Carmarthenshire against Welsh Government timescales. An overview of the challenges in terms of capacity issues, including kitchen facilities and staffing resources will also be included.	To enable Committee to keep abreast of the roll out of provision and review the challenges faced by the Catering Service.
Additional Learning Needs Update	The report will provide information pertaining to the progress made regarding the implementation of the Additional Learning Needs and Education Tribunal (Wales) Act and the areas of best practice with pupils with Additional Learning Needs.	To enable Committee to keep abreast of the progress made in implementing the Act and review current practice.
Update on the Strategic Focus Groups within the Education and Children's Services division.	Estyn Recommendations	To enable Committee to keep abreast of and review the work of the Education and Children's Services division.
Update on Estyn's Review of the Welsh for Adults Provision – tbc after	Estyn completed an inspection of Welsh for Adults provision within the County. To provide information including Census information, the current provision of	To review the council's current position and be assured that arrangements are in place to address any identified recommendations / areas for improvement.

presentation at 8 th February session.	courses in the county and an update on Actions emanating from the inspection.	
Revenue & Capital Budget Monitoring Report 2023/24	To provide the Committee with an update on the latest budgetary position as at 31 December 2023, in respect of 2023/24. The report will be circulated to the Committee for consideration outside the meeting process by email.	To allow members to exercise their scrutiny role in relation to the report.
Update on Estyn Report Publications	To ensure that the Committee are kept abreast of the latest Estyn report publications. The report will be circulated to the Committee for consideration outside the meeting process by email.	To enable Committee to kept abreast of the latest Estyn report publications and raise items to be added to the Committee's Forward Work Plan.
Performance Management Report Quarter 3	The report provides an update in respect of the Actions and Measures relevant to the Education, Young People and Welsh Language Scrutiny Committee's linked to the Corporate Strategy and Well-being Objectives. The report will be circulated to the Committee for consideration outside the meeting process by email.	To allow members to exercise their scrutiny role in relation to the report.