

Education, Young People and the Welsh Language Scrutiny Committee

26/06/2024

Subject: Additional Learning Needs (ALN) Transformation Update

Purpose: 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 within Carmarthenshire

The Scrutiny Committee Is Asked To:-

Review and assess the information contained in Report and provide any recommendations, comments, or advice to the Cabinet Member, Director and Head of Service.

Reason(s):

To enable Committee to keep abreast of the progress made in implementing the Act and review current practice.

Cabinet Member Portfolio Holder:- Cllr Glynog Davies - Cabinet Member for Education and Welsh Language

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Education and Children's Services

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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1. BRIEF SUMMARY OF PURPOSE OF REPORT.

Scrutiny have requested an update on 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 within Carmarthenshire.

LA officers will present on the LA position. The following schools will present on their experiences to date, what's working well and what support they need to deliver on Welsh Governments ALN Act and Code.

Please see attached report for more detailed analysis of the current county wide progress to date.

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED ?

YES

IMPLICATIONS

ALL IMPLICATIONS REQUIRE SIGN OFF BY THE DIRECTOR OR HEAD OF SERVICE

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: **Aneirin Thomas** Head of **Education and Inclusion**

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets	Bio-diversity & Climate Change
NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE

CABINET MEMBER PORTFOLIO HOLDER(S) AWARE/CONSULTED

YES

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

THERE ARE NONE