## Schools Forum – Forward Plan 2019-20

## Key meetings and decisions – updated September 2019 (new items highlighted yellow)

Meeting Date	Agenda Item	Purpose of Report
21 January 2020	1. Schools Budget Proposals 2020-21	To agree the final DSG budgets for 2020-21
	2. SFFG Update (Standing Item)	
	3. Appeals Funding	
	4. SEN Update- Budgetary proposals only.	
	5. Budget Monitoring	
	6. Growth Fund	
	7. Unitary Update (Standing Item- Until end of March 2020)	
24March 2020	1. Schools Forum Funding Group Update (standing item)	
	2. SEN Update (Standing Item)	
	3. Unitary Update (Standing Item- Until end of March 2020)	
<mark>30 June 2020</mark>	1. Schools Forum Funding Group Update (standing item)	
	2. SEN Update (Standing Item)	
13 October 2020	1. Schools Forum Funding Group Update (standing item)	
	2. SEN Update (Standing Item)	
8 December 2020	1. Schools Forum Funding Group Update (standing item)	
	2. SEN Update (Standing Item)	

## **Completed Meetings**

15 October 2019	<ol> <li>Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman</li> <li>Agree membership and Chairman of all sub-committees</li> <li>Schools Forum Funding Group update (standing item)</li> <li>Schools Forum Induction</li> <li>Budget Monitoring</li> <li>SEN Quarterly Update (standing item)</li> <li>Update on National Funding Formula and DSG Guidance 2020-21</li> <li>De-delegation 2020-21 – Consultation with schools</li> <li>Verbal Unitary Update- G Drawmer</li> </ol>	To review projected spend in 2019-20 and future years and identify savings proposals to reduce spend where appropriate To update on any changes to DSG Operational Guidance on the NFF, and agree any consultation that may be required with schools To agree consultation process on De- delegation of budgets (in line with operational guidance)
		To consult Schools Forum on proposals for the pay review for support staff in schools prior to consideration by SABPAC
03 December 2019	<ol> <li>Schools Forum Funding Group Update (standing item)</li> <li>Schools Budgets 2020-21         <ul> <li>a. Schools Block</li> <li>b. Central Schools Services Block</li> <li>c. High Needs Block</li> <li>d. Early Years</li> </ul> </li> <li>De-delegation 2020-21</li> <li>Review of demand and costs within the High Needs Block (including agreement of any consultation on transfer between funding blocks</li> <li>SEN Quarterly Update</li> <li>Growth Fund</li> </ol>	Set of papers to outline schools budget proposals, including outcome from any consultation with schools and impact of changes Outcome of consultation and recommendation for 2020-21