

Select Committee Work Programmes 2023/24

Children's and Education Select Committee (Chairman: Cllr Julie Ward, Scrutiny officer: Katie Dover)

Date	Topic	Description & Purpose	Lead Officer	Contributors
15 th June	Children's Services 6 month Update	An Update report with specific focus on Children's Social Care reforms, SEND and Alternate Provision	John Macilwraith Richard Nash Simon James	
	Children's Services Transformation	Overview and Case for change	John Macilwraith Errol Albert	
	Review Group report on Pathways for Children with SEND and Disabilities	To receive the report of the review group and hear the Officers' response.	Katie Dover	Cllr Diana Blamires & Review Group
	Children's & Education Select Committee Work Programme	To receive the draft work programme for the forthcoming year	Katie Dover	Cllr Julie Ward
7 th September	Placement Sufficiency Strategy	This strategy sets out a summary of the action we will be taking over to make sure that we can provide placements for all children who need care.	Richard Nash Sandra Carnall	
	Principal Social Worker Annual Report	To provide a progress report on the work during 2022/23 of the Principal Social Worker to promote and improve the quality of social work practice, highlight the achievements for this year and identify priorities for the coming year.	Richard Nash	
	Update on Ofsted Work	Update on the outcome following the Ofsted Annual Engagement Meeting	John Macilwraith	
2 nd November	Bucks Safeguarding Partnership Annual Report	This edition of the Safeguarding Children Partnership's Annual Report covers the period from 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023. It highlights the progress made during the last year against the	Walter Mcculloch Joanne Stephenson	

		BSCP's priorities as well as setting out future plans		
	SEND Improvement Programme follow up paper	To update the Committee on progress made	Simon Jones Caroline Marriott	
	Children's Services Transformation	To update the Committee on progress made	John Macilwraith Errol Albert	
25 th January	Education Standards Paper	To share with the committee the latest educational outcomes achieved by the children and young people of Buckinghamshire.	Simon James Gareth Drawmer	
	Youth Offending Team	Progress update one year on from YOS inspection	Richard Nash Aman Sekhon-Gill	
	New attendance duties	To provide the committee with an update on the new attendance duties and the implications for Buckinghamshire.	Simon Jones Gareth Drawmer	
7 th March	TBC			
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