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NOTICE OF MEETING

CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date & Time

Tuesday, 11 November 2014 10.00 a.m.

Venue at

**Council Chamber, Watling House, High Street North,
Dunstable**

Richard Carr
Chief Executive

To: The Chairman and Members of the CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

Cllrs Mrs A Barker (Chairman), N B Costin (Vice-Chairman), D Bowater,
Mrs G Clarke, Mrs B Coleman, Mrs R J Drinkwater, P A Duckett, P Hollick,
D McVicar and R B Pepworth

[Named Substitutes:

R D Berry, K Janes, B Saunders, N J Sheppard and M A Smith]

Co-optees: Mr Chapman (Parent Governor), Mr Court (Parent Governor),
Mr Hodey (Parent Governor), Ms Image (Roman Catholic Diocese), and
Mr Reynolds (Church of England Diocese)

All other Members of the Council - on request

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AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence and notification of substitute members.

2. **Minutes**

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 16 September 2014 and to note actions taken since that meeting.

Also attached for information purposes are the Minutes of the co-convened OSC meeting on 23 September 2014 at which Members discussed the proposed fees and charges schedule.

3. **Members' Interests**

To receive from Members any declarations of interest and of any political whip in relation to any agenda item.

4. **Chairman's Announcements and Communications**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

5. **Petitions**

To receive petitions from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 2 of Part A4 of the Constitution.

6. **Questions, Statements or Deputations**

To receive any questions, statements or deputations from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 1 of part A4 of the Constitution.

7. **Call-In**

To consider any decision of the Executive referred to this Committee for review in accordance with Procedure Rule 10.10 of Part D2.

8. **Requested Items**

To consider any items referred to the Committee at the request of a Member under Procedure Rule 3.1 of Part D2 of the Constitution.

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| 9 | Executive Member Update To receive a brief verbal update from the Executive Member for Children's Services. | * Verbal |
| 10 | Annual Local Safeguarding Children's Board Report To receive the annual report of the Local Safeguarding Children's Board. | * 23 - 64 |
| 11 | Annual Schools Resilience Report To receive an annual report regarding Schools Resilience. | * 65 - 126 |
| 12 | Customer Feedback Annual Report To receive an annual report regarding customer feedback in relation to the Children's Services directorate. | * 127 - 142 |
| 13 | Council's Schools Admission Arrangements for 2016/17 To consider the Council's arrangements for 2016/17. | * 143 - 188 |
| 14 | New school places in Stotfold and Leighton Linlade and 2014/15 refresh of the Council's School Organisation Plan and New School Places Programme To receive a presentation. | * Verbal |

15 **Q1 Performance Report** * 189 - 196

To consider performance monitoring information for the first quarter of 2014/15.

16 **Work Programme 2014/15 & Executive Forward Plan** * 197 - 200

The report provides Members with details of the currently drafted Committee work programme and the latest Executive Forward Plan.

