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AGENDA

Meeting:	Schools Forum
Place:	The Kennet Room - County Hall, Trowbridge BA14 8JN
Date:	Thursday 5 October 2017
Time:	1.30 pm

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PART I

Items to be considered whilst the meeting is open to the public

1 Apologies and Changes of Membership

To receive any apologies for absence.

2 Minutes of the previous Meeting

To approve and sign as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 22 June 2017 (copy attached)

3 **Declaration of Interests**

To receive any declarations of disclosable interests or dispensations granted by the Standards Committee.

4 Chairman's Announcements

5 Children and Young People's Trust Board Update

To receive a verbal update from Susan Tanner- Head of Commissioning and Joint Planning.

6 Budget Monitoring (Pages 7 - 10)

To receive budget monitoring information for the financial year 2016-17.

7 **Reports from Working Groups** (Pages 11 - 16)

To receive minutes, reports and/or verbal updates from the following working groups:

- 1. Early Years Reference Group Joint Meeting of School Funding (verbal update- J Proctor)
- 2. Working Group and SEN Working Group (report and minutes attached-Liz Williams)

8 Virtual School - Funding Overview and Proposed Pupil Premium Arrangements (Pages 17 - 20)

To receive an overview report from Christ Whitfield- Virtual School Head Teacher, of Pupil Premium and Central Schools Block DSG expenditure for Children and Young People from Virtual School.

9 Schools Revenue Balances 2016-17 (Pages 21 - 38)

To receive an update report from Grant Davis- Schools Strategic Financial Support Manager, to present the position of revenue balances of Wiltshire maintained schools, as at 31st March 2017, and identify those that are in deficit.

10 **TU Facilities Time Budgets 2018-19** (*Pages 39 - 40*)

To receive a report from Grant Davis- Schools Strategic Financial Support Manager, to provide details of the current Trade Union Facilities Time Agreement for Wiltshire Schools and set out a proposal for the funding of time for the professional associations in representing their members.

11 National Funding Formula for Schools & High Needs (Pages 41 - 46)

To receive reports from Liz Williams- Head of Finance and Grant Davis- Schools Strategic Financial Support Manager.

- 11a **Overview of National Funding Formula for Schools & High Needs** (Pages 47 - 50)
- 11b Schools Block (Pages 51 56)
- 11c High Needs Block (Pages 57 60)
- 11d **Central Schools Block** (Pages 61 62)

12 **Projecting Demand for Special School Places** (*Pages 63 - 66*)

To receive an update report from Susan Tanner- Head of Commissioning and Joint Planning to update Schools Forum on the work being undertaken to understand future demand for special school places.

13 **Confirmation of dates for future meetings**

To confirm the dates of future meetings, as follows:

- Thursday 7 December 2017
- Thursday 22 March 2018

14 Urgent Items

Any other items of business, which the Chairman agrees to consider as a matter of urgency.

PART II

Item(s) during consideration of which it is recommended that the public should be excluded because of the likelihood that exempt information would be disclosed