

Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee **Scrutiny Recommendations and Actions Tracker**

The Recommendations and Actions Tracker is a standing item, and documents the progress of formal scrutiny recommendations and suggested actions for improvement made by the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee at its public meetings. Items will remain on the tracker until a response has been provided to the Committee by the Executive, council departments, and/or external partners.

Formal Recommendations to Executive

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Formal Recommendations to External Partners

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Suggested Actions for Improvement to Council Departments/Partners

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215	26 November 2024: Early Intervention and Family Help	Timetable a future scrutiny review of wraparound care	Neil Goddard	Sep-25	Aug-25	To be considered by the CYP Scrutiny Committee when determining its future work programme.	Complete
25-1	5 June 2025: LGA Review of Children's Social Care	CYP Scrutiny Committee to be consulted on the draft Attendance Strategy.	Neil Goddard	Sep-25	Aug-25	The strategy has been shared.	Complete
25-2	5 June 2025: LGA Review of Children's Social Care	Officers to confirm qualifications gained by i-College students	Neil Goddard	Sep-25	Aug-25	These will be provided when validated outcomes are available.	In progress
25-3	5 June 2025: Ofsted and CQC Thematic Review Into Children Who Are Not in School	Officers to bring an update on the family hubs to a future meeting of the CYP Scrutiny Committee.	Dave Wraight	Mar-26	Aug-25	Families First Reforms continue to be explored and plans developed to deliver which includes family hubs. This will be an agenda item for the next meeting on 3 March 2026.	In progress
25-4	5 June 2025: Ofsted and CQC Thematic Review Into Children Who Are Not in School	Officers to provide data in relation to the Dynamic Support Register.	Dora Gouvias-Scholfield	Dec-25	Aug-25	There are no children on the DSR with an EHCP who are out of school	Complete
25-5	5 June 2025: Ofsted and CQC Thematic Review Into Children Who Are Not in School	Officers to bring a report on exclusions to a future meeting of the CYP Scrutiny Committee	Neil Goddard	Sep-25	Aug-25	This will be an agenda item for the next meeting on 3 March 2026.	In progress

25-6	5 June 2025: Ofsted and CQC Thematic Review Into Children Who Are Not in School	Officers to bring a report on attendance to a future meeting of the CYP Scrutiny Committee	Neil Goddard	Sep-25	Aug-25	This is an agenda item for 4 December	Complete
25-8	5 June 2025: Work Programme	Discuss potential Task and Finish Groups at the September meeting.	Gordon Oliver	Sep-25	Oct-25	A possible task and finish group has been proposed in relation to mobile phone use in schools. This was raised by the Children's Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Task and Finish Group report.	In progress
25-9	11 September 2025: Youth Justice Annual Plan	Include a glossary to explain acronyms used	Dave Wraight	Sep-25	Nov-25	The current plan has already been submitted to the Youth Justice Board, but it will be incorporated into next year's plan.	Complete
25-10	11 September 2025: Children's Services Complaints & Compliments Annual Report 2024/25	Amend charts in sections 5.35 and 6.7 of the report to make them easier to read.	Sue O'Brien	Sep-25	Nov-25	Final version of the report was produced on 4 November - this incorporates updates plans.	Complete
25-11	11 September 2025: Child Protection Annual Report 2024-25	Ask the Executive Portfolio Holder for Children and Family Services to look at business support resources in Children's Services to see if there is a need that is not being met.	Cllr Dominic Boeck	Sep-25			
25-12	11 September 2025: Child Protection Annual Report 2024-25	Review the headings in the table on child advocacy.	Nicky Robertson	Sep-25	Nov-25	This is being addressed for the next report, which will be produced in May/June 2026.	Complete
25-13	11 September 2025: Young Person Co-opted Members	Review whether the young people could attend in person rather than remotely.	Gordon Oliver	Sep-25	Nov-25	The intention is for the young people to join the meeting in person where possible.	Complete
25-14	11 September 2025: Young Person Co-opted Members	Check the requirement for co-optees to be 'non-political and independent' with the Monitoring Officer.	Gordon Oliver	Sep-25	Oct-25	The wording in the advert was changed to 'independent minded'.	Complete
25-15	11 September 2025: Work Programme	Update the work programme and circulate to Members for comment.	Gordon Oliver	Sep-25	Sep-25	This was circulated on 30 September	Complete

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