

Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee Work Programme						
Item		Scrutiny Theme	Purpose	Lead Officer	Portfolio Holder/ Lead Member	Pre or post decision?
03 March 2026						
	Development of Family Hubs & The Early Help Offer in West Berkshire	Corporate Effectiveness	To explain how Family Hubs and the Early Help Offer are developing in West Berkshire	Dave Wraight	Cllr Heather Codling (Children and Family Services)	CYPSC Decision
	Exclusions	Corporate Effectiveness	To present the latest data on permanent exclusions from schools in West Berkshire and the work that is being done with schools and other partners to prevent these and to get excluded pupils back into education.	Dave Wraight	Cllr Heather Codling (Children and Family Services)	CYPS Decision
	Impact of SEND Clawback Investment	Corporate Effectiveness	To consider the impact of SEND measures funded through school budget clawback, including senior temporary appointments	Neil Goddard	Cllr Heather Codling (Children and Family Services)	CYPSC Decision
	Wraparound Care	Partnership Effectiveness	To provide an update on the availability of wraparound care in West Berkshire.	TBC	Cllr Heather Codling (Children and Family Services)	CYPSC Decision

Items to be programmed:

- Attainment of Children on Free School Meals
- Smart phones, social media use and online safety for young people in West Berkshire
- Review of Future School Viability in West Berkshire
- Youth Council

Council Strategy Priorities

- Priority Area 1: Services We Are Proud Of
- Priority Area 2: A Fairer West Berkshire with Opportunities for All
- Priority Area 3: Tackling the Climate and Ecological Emergency
- Priority Area 4: A Prosperous and Resilient West Berkshire
- Priority Area 5: Thriving Communities with a Strong Local Voice

Scrutiny Themes

- Policy Effectiveness
- Corporate Effectiveness
- Partnership Effectiveness

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