



Children, Young People & Education Committee

Date:	Wednesday, 18 October 2023
Time:	6.00 p.m.
Venue:	Committee Room One, Birkenhead Town Hall

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AGENDA

1. **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**
2. **APOLOGIES**
3. **MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT - DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**

Members are asked to consider whether they have any disclosable pecuniary interests and/or any other relevant interest in connection with any item(s) on this agenda and, if so, to declare them and state the nature of the interest.

4. **MINUTES (Pages 1 - 8)**

To approve the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting held on 25 September 2023.

5. PUBLIC AND MEMBERS QUESTIONS

Public Questions

Notice of question to be given in writing or by email by 13 October 2023 to the Council's Monitoring Officer via this link: [Public Question Form](#) and to be dealt with in accordance with Standing Order 10.

Statements and Petitions

Statements

Notice of representations to be given in writing or by email by 12 noon, 13 October 2023 to the Council's Monitoring Officer (committeeservices@wirral.gov.uk) and to be dealt with in accordance with Standing Order 11.

Petitions

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Questions by Members

Questions by Members to be dealt with in accordance with Standing Orders 12.3 to 12.8.

SECTION A - DECISIONS

6. AN OVERVIEW OF YOUTH WORK IN WIRRAL (Pages 9 - 36)

SECTION C - PERFORMANCE REPORTS

7. FOSTERING ANNUAL REPORT 1ST APRIL 2022-31ST MARCH 2023 (Pages 37 - 104)

8. ADOPTION ANNUAL REPORT 1ST APRIL 2022-1ST APRIL 2023 (Pages 105 - 116)

SECTION D - REVIEWS/ REPORTS FOR INFORMATION

9. WORK PROGRAMME (Pages 117 - 126)

Terms of Reference

The terms of reference for this committee can be found at the end of this agenda.