

# Swindon Borough Council

## Children's Health, Social Care and Education Overview and Scrutiny Committee

**Wednesday, 2 December 2015**

Committee Room 6, Civic Offices

At 6.00 p.m.

### **Conservative Councillors**

*Gemma McCracken (Chair)*  
*Maureen Penny (Vice Chair)*  
*Michael Bray*  
*John Haines*  
*Cathy Martyn*  
*Eric Shaw*  
*Steve Weisinger*

### **Labour Councillors**

*Teresa Page*  
*James Robbins*  
*Carol Shelley*  
*Nadine Watts*  
*Julie Wright*

### **Co-opted Representatives**

Steve Colledge, Swindon Association of Secondary Headteachers  
Simon Cowley, Swindon Association of Primary School Headteachers  
Alison Paul, Swindon Association of Special School Headteachers  
David Dawson, Catholic Church Diocese  
Elizabeth Gibbons, Church of England Diocese  
Paul Sunners, Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education  
Steve Henderson, Equalities Advisory Forum  
Mary Cosker, Healthwatch  
TBC Parent Governors

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## **AGENDA**

### **1. Apologies for Absence**

**2. Declarations of Interest**

Members are reminded that at the start of the meeting they should declare any known interests in any matter to be considered, and also during the meeting if it becomes apparent that they have an interest in the matters being discussed.

**3. Public Question Time**

See explanatory note below. Please phone the Committee Officer whose name and number appears at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.

**4. Minutes (Pages 3 - 8)**

To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2015.

**5. Education Standards and Performance Report (Pages 9 - 64)**

**6. SEND Reform Task Group Update**

Verbal update.

**7. Work Programme 2015\_16 (Pages 65 - 72)**

**Date of Despatch:** 24 November 2015

**Public Question Time** - Swindon Borough Council remains committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters, and matters relating to planning and licensing applications). We will give priority to those who submit questions in writing at least two days before the meeting. Questions must be relevant, clear, and concise. You may not use Public Question Time as an opportunity to make speeches or statements.

Questions in writing should be sent to the Committee Officer whose contact details appear on the agenda above or to the Director of Law and Democratic Services, we will publish it, along with the answer, alongside the Minutes. The process associated with asking a public question is set out in the "Public Question Time at Council Meetings Protocol and Guidance" available on the Council's Website.

(<http://www5.swindon.gov.uk/moderngov/ecCatDisplay.aspx?sched=doc&cat=13338&path=0>) or from the Committee Officer named above.

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