

Swindon Borough Council

Schools Forum

Tuesday, 6 June 2006

Committee Room 1, Civic Offices, Swindon at 4.00 p.m.

(Light refreshments will be available at 4.00 p.m.)

Primary Representatives:	Paul Boyles, Lauren Connor, Gill Llewellyn, David Easter, Terri Menham and Linda Rankin (vacancy)
Secondary Representatives:	Steve Flavin, John Newman, Pat Porter and Peter Wells
Special School Representatives:	Bob Walker
Diocesan Representatives:	Sally Inskip (vacancy)
Elected Members:	Councillor Garry Perkins
Observers:	Councillor Barrie Thompson and Marinos Paphitis

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AGENDA

- 1. Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)
To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 21 February 2006.
- 3. Report from Schools Forum Review Group** (DLP-C) (Pages 5 - 10)
- 4. Financial Management in Schools Toolkit / Assessment (oral item)** (DLP-C)
- 5. ASPIRE Project and the Impact on Schools (oral item)**
- 6. Arrangements for Funding Schools for the Costs of Deprivation** (DLP-C) (Pages 11 - 14)
- 7. Review of the DfES School Funding System 2006-07** (DLP-C) (Pages 15 - 20)

8. **Scheme for Financing Swindon Schools - DfES Consultation** (DLP-C)
(Pages 21 - 26)
9. **Special Educational Needs Transport** (DLP-C) (Pages 27 - 28)
10. **Review of Teachers' Pensions (oral item)** (DLP-C)
11. **Dates of Future Meetings**
Future meetings of the Forum will be held on:
Tuesday, 17 October 2006
Thursday, 11 January 2007
Tuesday, 13 March 2007

Date of Despatch: 26 May 2006

Key:

Officers:

CE	-	Chief Executive
GDPP	-	Group Director: Partnership & Performance
GDC		Group Director: Children
GDHSC	-	Group Director: Housing & Social Care
GDEL	-	Group Director: Environment & Leisure
GDR	-	Group Director: Resources

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