

**CHILDREN, FAMILIES & EDUCATION - LEARNING AND  
DEVELOPMENT POLICY OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY  
COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, 1st March, 2011**

**10.00 am**

Darent Room, Sessions House, County Hall, Maidstone





## AGENDA



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Darent Room, Sessions House, County Hall,  
Maidstone

Ask for: Christine Singh  
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*Tea/coffee will be available before the meeting*

### Membership

Conservative (11):	Mr K Smith (Chairman), Mr R Brookbank, Mr R B Burgess, Mr N J Collor, Mr J M Cubitt, Mr P J Homewood, Mr M J Jarvis, Mr J M Ozog, Mr R A Pascoe, Mr J N Wedgbury and Mr M A Wickham
Liberal Democrat (1):	Mr M J Vye (Vice-Chairman)
Church Representatives (3):	The Reverend N Genders and Dr D Wadman
Parent Governor (2):	Mr P Myers and Mr B Critchley
Teacher Advisers (6):	Mr T Desmoyers-Davies, Mrs J Huckstep, Mr R Straker, Mr S Thompson and Mr J Walder

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### UNRESTRICTED ITEMS

*(During these items the meeting is likely to be open to the public)*

Item No		Timings*
<b>A. COMMITTEE BUSINESS</b>		
A1	Introduction/Webcasting	10.00 am
A2	Membership Members are asked to note that Mr R E Brookbank has replaced the late Mr W L Richardson on this Committee.	
A3	Substitutes	
A4	Declaration of interests by Members in items on the Agenda for this meeting	

A5 Minutes of the meeting held on 16 September 2010 (Pages 1 - 10)

## **B. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION**

B1 Verbal Updates by Deputy Cabinet Member and Director of Learning (Pages 11 - 14) 10.10-10.40 am

Accompanied by a written report covering the following items:

- New division of Member responsibilities
- The Future Vision
- New Floor Standards
- Special Educational Needs inclusion in school results
- The Schools White Paper
- Improving Schools
- Kent Music
- Select Committee on Education Attainment

B2 Exclusions and non attendance in Kent Schools (Pages 15 - 26) 10.40-11.20 am

B3 Learning needs of Looked After Children and update of previous report (Pages 27 - 34) 11.20-11.40 am

B4 Involving the Whole Community; the Kent Approach to Literacy and Reading 2011-2021 (Pages 35 - 36) 11.40-11.55 pm

B5 Kent SACRE Annual Report 2009-10 (Pages 37 - 40) 11.55-12.10 pm

## **C. SELECT COMMITTEE UPDATE**

C1 Select Committee - Update (Pages 41 - 42) 12.10-12.20 pm

## **D. EXEMPT ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION**

That under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended, refers.

### **EXEMPT ITEMS**

(During this item the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public)

D1 Annual Standards & Achievement Report 1 September 2009 - 31 August 2010 (Pages 43 - 154) 12.20-12.50 pm

*\*All timings are approximate*

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**Monday, 21 February 2011**

*Please note that any background documents referred to in the accompanying papers maybe inspected by arrangement with the officer responsible for preparing the relevant report.*