



# City and County of Swansea

## Notice of Meeting

You are invited to attend a Meeting of the

### Scrutiny Performance Panel – Education

**At:** Multi-Location Meeting - Lilian Hopkin Room, Guildhall / MS Teams

**On:** Thursday, 14 November 2024

**Time:** 4.30 pm

**Convenor:** Councillor Lyndon Jones MBE

**Membership:**

Councillors: A Davis, A M Day, F M Gordon, B Hopkins, Y V Jardine, S M Jones, S Joy, J D McGettrick, F D O'Brien and A J O'Connor

Co-opted Members: Beth Allender and Elizabeth Lee

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#### Agenda

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| <b>1</b> | <b>Apologies for Absence</b>  |                |
| <b>2</b> | <b>Disclosure of Personal and Prejudicial Interests</b><br><a href="http://www.swansea.gov.uk/disclosuresofinterests">www.swansea.gov.uk/disclosuresofinterests</a>   |                |
| <b>3</b> | <b>Prohibition of Whipped Votes and Declaration of Party Whips</b>  |                |
| <b>4</b> | <b>Minutes</b>  | <b>1 - 7</b>   |
| <b>5</b> | <b>Letter/s</b>   | <b>8 - 14</b>  |
| <b>6</b> | <b>Public Questions</b><br>Questions can be submitted in writing to Scrutiny <a href="mailto:scrutiny@swansea.gov.uk">scrutiny@swansea.gov.uk</a> up until noon on the working day prior to the meeting. Written questions take precedence. Public may attend and ask questions in person if time allows. Questions must relate to items on the open part of the agenda and will be dealt with in a 10 minute period. |                |
| <b>7</b> | <b>Strategy for Poverty Proofing the School Day</b><br>Cllr Robert Smith (Cabinet Member Education and Learning), Helen Morgan Rees (Director of Education) and Kelly Small (Head of Education Planning and Resources)  | <b>15 - 22</b> |
| <b>8</b> | <b>Progress with Inclusion Strategy (including update on Behaviour Strategy)</b><br>Cllr Robert Smith (Cabinet Member Education and Learning), Helen Morgan Rees (Director of Education) and Kate Phillips (Head of   | <b>23 - 29</b> |

Vulnerable Learner Service)

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| <b>9</b>  | <b>Briefing on School Admissions Policy</b><br>Cllr Robert Smith (Cabinet Member Education and Learning), Helen Morgan Rees (Director of Education) and Helen Howells (Team Manager for Pupil Support) | <b>30 - 55</b> |
| <b>10</b> | <b>Briefing on Careers Advice in Schools</b><br>Cllr Robert Smith (Cabinet Member Education and Learning), Helen Morgan Rees (Director of Education) and David Bawden (Strategic Skills Co-ordinator)  | <b>56 - 60</b> |
| <b>11</b> | <b>Workplan 2024/25</b>  | <b>61 - 62</b> |

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, 12 December 2024 at 4.30 pm



**Huw Evans**  
**Head of Democratic Services**  
**Friday, 8 November 2024**  
**Contact: Scrutiny Officer**

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