Work Programme 2023/24 Children's Services and Education **Scrutiny Board**

Meeting Date	Item	Links with Strategic Aims	Notes
3 July 2023	Corporate Parenting Board	Z [*]	
11 September 2023	Sandwell Children's Trust 6-month Performance Review Headline on: • Fostering • Children in our care and our care leavers	A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH	
	Annual Regional Adoption Report	* TT	
	Education Investment Area and Priority Education Investment Area developments – update and progress.	* XXX	
	SEND Inspection Headlines	**	



















13 November 2023	Post-16 Pathways – provision and outcomes for young people. The take up of training, apprenticeships and further education. Mainstem and Special Provision Reducing unemployment amongst young people. Provision for those who are NEET and NEET SEND.	* XXX	
	Virtual School Outcomes	* XXX	
	SEND strategy and inspection outcomes	A ^r	
8 January 2024	The effectiveness of the Sandwell Children's Safeguarding Partnership's response to serious child safeguarding incidents	* T	
	Childhood Obesity - Invite Health Scrutiny	* XXX	Deferred
	Child Friendly Sandwell		
	Attainment of SEND students - SEND Strategic Board/SEND Operational Board - update	A [†]	Deferred
	Health and Wellbeing of Students - Thrive Board Update	* **	



















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25 March 2024	Sandwell Children's Trust 6-month Performance review Spotlight on: • Locality working • Accommodation strategy • Early Help	*** *** *** *** *** *** ** **
	Residential Children's Homes – sufficiency strategy	
	Transition to Adulthood	
	Corporate Parenting Update	* TY

Items to be scheduled		

















