Children, Young People and Education Scrutiny Commission (CYPE) Work Programme 2024 – 2025

Meeting Date	Item	Recommendations / Actions	Progress
19 June 2024	 Introduction to CYPE Scrutiny Commission including new Directors. Terms of Reference Education Performance Report. Children Seeking Safety Post-16 SEND Home- to-School Travel - Update 		
20 August 2024	 Family Hubs and Children's Centres Use of Capital Programme in Schools Youth Justice Plan Refresh 2024/25 	 To also look at the impact of potential cuts to Childrens' Centres and any potential knock-on effect. 	
29 October 2024	 DSG high-needs block recovery plan Update from Impower 	 Task Group to happen after DSG Report. Report to include data on the level of overspend at different Councils. Requested following discussion about costs/appropriateness of placements during scrutiny of the Revenue Budget. 	

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14 January 2025	1) Sufficiency Strategy	 To include provision of Care Packages/Residential Accommodation for CLA – Council provision and the private sector. 	
25 February 2025			
8 April 2025			

Forward Plan Items (suggested)

Торіс	Detail	Proposed Date
Fostering Annual Report	To include costs relating to Customer Relationship management tool, the Ofsted thematic report, information on family finding events and more detail on advertising techniques for recruitment.	

Fostering Community Champions update	Deferred from 26 March 2024	
Corporate Parenting Update	Annual report.	
Fostering Service – Marketing Strategy		
SEN support and funding		
Corporate Parenting Report		
Pupil Place Planning (Primary and Secondary)		
Multi-Academy Trusts - Overview		
Children not in state-maintained schools e.g.: Academies, Independent, Faith schools.		
Early Years Childcare Sufficiency Report		
Youth Services - overview		
Children in Care Council/Care Leavers		
School Holiday Activity and Food Provision		
Education Govt reports e.g.: white paper / green paper		
Ofsted Inspection reports		
Children's Social Care – Recruitment Issues		
Mental Health impacts on children	Likely to be examined jointly with other commissions	
Informal Scrutiny on DSG High Needs Block	To commence following the full report to the Commission.	
Leicester Children's Services – Self Evaluation		
Covid impact and response to early childhood development		

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