

Decision Recording Form

Decisions determined at Children and Young People
Policy Committee meeting on 6 March 2025



Committee Members present:

Councillor Christine Townsend, Chair of the Children and Young People Committee
Councillor Katja Hornchen
Councillor Kerry Bailes
Councillor Sarah Classick
Councillor Ellie Freeman
Councillor Cam Hayward
Councillor Shona Jemphrey
Councillor Susan Kollar
Councillor Henry Michallat

Apologies: None.

Deadline for Escalation Panel referral – n/a

(a)	Subject:	Corporate Parenting Strategy update report: July 2024 - January 2025 (agenda item 7)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest:	None



(d)	Decision taken The Committee RESOLVED: 1. To note the progress in delivering the Corporate Parenting Strategy 2024-29. 2. (Unanimous vote in favour) That the Committee will continue to promote and profile the corporate parenting agenda across the Council and with its key partners to give the strategy the best chance at success.
(e)	Exempt Information? Open
(f)	Decision made in exempt session? No
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account: None
(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.



Deadline for Escalation Panel referral – n/a

(a)	Subject:	Children and Young People Policy Committee update report (agenda item 8)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest: None	
(d)	Decision taken The Committee RESOLVED: To note the report.	
(e)	Exempt Information? Open	
(f)	Decision made in exempt session? No	
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account: None	
(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.	



Deadline for Escalation Panel referral – n/a

(a)	Subject:	Quarterly performance report - Quarter 3, 2024/25 (agenda item 9)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest:	None
(d)	Decision taken	The Committee RESOLVED: To note performance against the Business Plan relevant to this Committee, including the issues raised and measures to address performance issues to be implemented by relevant services.
(e)	Exempt Information?	Open
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?	No
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:	None
(h)	Reason for decision:	As set out in the report.





Deadline for Escalation Panel referral - n/a

(a)	Subject:	Bristol City Youth Council report 2024 (agenda item 10)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest: None	
(d)	Decision taken The Committee RESOLVED: To note the report.	
(e)	Exempt Information? Open	
(f)	Decision made in exempt session? No	
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account: None	
(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.	



Deadline for Escalation Panel referral – 5pm, Thursday 13 March 2025

(a)	Subject:	Youth engagement and post 16 education, training and employment (agenda item 11)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest: None	
(d)	Decision taken The Committee RESOLVED: 1. To note the content of this report and information pack, including the identified areas to improve services for support for vulnerable young people so Bristol teenagers and young people can thrive. 2. (Unanimous vote in favour) To authorise the Director of Education, Inclusion and Skills (working with the Head of Service - Employment, Skills and Lifelong Learning) in consultation with the Chair of the Children and Young People Committee to take all steps required to negotiate with WECA and to accept and spend employment support grant funding of up to £1,923,032 to deliver Risk of NEET, NEET Reduction and Youth Guarantee programmes as outlined in the report.	
(e)	Exempt Information? Open	
(f)	Decision made in exempt session? No	



(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account: None
(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.



Deadline for Escalation Panel referral – n/a

(a)	Subject:	Bristol Dedicated Schools Grant financial management plan update report (agenda item 12)
(b)	Ward:	Citywide
(c)	Declarations of interest: None	
(d)	Decision taken The Committee RESOLVED: To note the current position of the Dedicated Schools Grant Financial Management Plan and projected financial forecast as at January 2025.	
(e)	Exempt Information? Open	
(f)	Decision made in exempt session? No	
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account: None	



(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.
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