

Agenda



Educational Services Committee

Date: Wednesday, 4 December 2019

Time: 14:00

Venue: Civic Space,
Council Offices, 16 Church Street, Dumbarton

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Dear Member

Please attend a meeting of the **Educational Services Committee** as detailed above. The business is shown on the attached agenda.

Yours faithfully

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Chief Executive

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Councillor Karen Conaghan (Chair)	Councillor John Mooney
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Councillor Diane Docherty	Mrs Barbara Barnes
Councillor Jim Finn	Mr Gavin Corrigan
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Councillor Caroline McAllister	Miss Sheila Rennie
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Strategic Director – Transformation and Public Service Reform
Chief Education Officer

Date of Issue: 21 November 2019

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EDUCATIONAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 4 DECEMBER 2019

AGENDA

1 STATEMENT BY CHAIR – AUDIO STREAMING

The Chair will be heard in connection with the above.

2 APOLOGIES

3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are invited to declare if they have an interest in any of the items of business on this agenda and the reasons for such declarations.

4 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING 7 – 11

Submit, for approval as a correct record, the Minutes of Meeting of the Educational Services Committee held on 4 September 2019.

5 LOCAL NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE FOR TEACHERS 13 – 15

Submit for information, and where necessary ratification, the Minutes of Meeting of the Local Negotiating Committee for Teachers held on 17 September 2019.

6 OPEN FORUM

The Committee is asked to note that no open forum questions have been submitted by members of the public.

7 STRATEGY TO RAISE ATTAINMENT AND ACHIEVEMENT 17 – 47 IN WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE – UPDATE

Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update on activity and progress with regard to implementing West Dunbartonshire's Strategy to Raise Attainment and Achievement.

- 8 SCOTTISH QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY (SQA) EXAMINATION RESULTS 2019 49 – 83**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update on the performance of West Dunbartonshire schools in the national Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) examinations of 2019.
- 9 EARLY YEARS IMPLEMENTATION UPDATE 85 – 103**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update of the plan for the expansion of Early Learning and Childcare in West Dunbartonshire Council.
- 10 2019 CENSUS – PUPIL AND TEACHER NUMBERS 105 – 108**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer:-
- (a) providing an update on the data reported to the Scottish Government in relation to the annual census of pupil and teacher numbers; and
 - (b) outlining the pupil teacher ratio (PTR) for 2019/2020 which will be published in December 2019.
- 11 WEST PARTNERSHIP IMPROVEMENT PLAN UPDATE 109 – 158**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer presenting and seeking endorsement of the West Partnership Improvement Plan.
- 12 GAELIC DEVELOPMENT IN WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE – 2019 PROGRESS UPDATE 159 – 166**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update on progress with Gaelic Development in West Dunbartonshire.
- 13 CHILDREN’S NEIGHBOURHOODS SCOTLAND: WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL 167 – 180**
- Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update on West Dunbartonshire Council’s involvement in Children’s Neighbourhoods Scotland.

14 EMPLOYEE WELLBEING: ATTENDANCE MANAGEMENT 181 – 196
EDUCATION BI-ANNUAL UPDATE (APRIL TO SEPTEMBER
2019)

Submit report by the Strategic Lead – People and Technology providing detailed analysis on employee wellbeing and attendance from April to September 2019 for Education, Learning and Attainment and a bi-annual update on Council wide attendance for the same period.

15 EDUCATIONAL SERVICES BUDGETARY CONTROL To Follow
REPORT TO 31 OCTOBER 2019 (PERIOD 7)

Submit report by the Chief Education Officer providing an update on the financial performance of Educational Services to 31 October 2019 (Period 7).
