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Dear Councillor,

Children, Young People, Families and Learning Overview and Scrutiny Commission

The next meeting of the **Children, Young People, Families and Learning Overview and Scrutiny Commission** will be held at **13:30** on **Monday, 16 February 2026** in **Room 77**.

The Agenda for the meeting is attached and reports are enclosed where relevant.

Please Note: It is likely that the public, (including the Press) will be excluded from the meeting during discussions of exempt items since they involve the possible disclosure of exempt information as describe in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. Todd".

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To: Commission Members and Statutory Co-optees:

Councillors Grozav, Henry (DC), Kassim, Kennett, Payne (C), Collinson M , Kemp and Thompson A.

Mr Kevin Duffy, Director of Schools, Diocese of Middlesbrough

Portfolio Holders:

Councillor Tock, Portfolio holder for Children, Young people, Families and Learning

Officers:

Pauline Turner, Director of Children's, Young People and Family Services

Rachel Donnachie, Assistant Director Safeguarding

Mary Meredith, Assistant Director Learning & Skills

Alex Campbell, Head of Service

Rachel Roberts, Head of Early Help & Commissioning

Philip Todd , Scrutiny Officer (x5)

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Children, Young People, Families and Learning Overview and Scrutiny
Commission
13:30 on Monday, 16 February 2026

Room 77

A G E N D A

PROCEDURAL ITEMS

1 Apologies

To receive apologies for those Members who are unable to attend the meeting.

2 Declarations of Interest

To remind Members of the need to record the existence and nature of any Personal and Discloseable Pecuniary interest in items on the agenda, in accordance with the Member Code of Conduct.

(Members Code of Conduct - Part D1 of the Constitution)

3 Minutes of the Meeting held on 19th January 2026

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To approve the minutes as a true and correct record.

NON-EXEMPT ITEMS

4 Portfolio Holder for Children's Services Update

To provide a verbal update to the Commission.

5 Executive Director Children, Young People & Family Services Update

To update the Commission on current/key issues and for members to identify matters to be considered and raise questions and issues that may lead to further work being undertaken.

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| 6 | Best Start Family Hubs and Healthy Babies Programme 2026-2029 | 13 - 26 |
| | To undertake pre-decision scrutiny. | |
| 7 | Hull's SEND Improvement Plan | 27 - 52 |
| | The scope of Hull's SEND Improvement Plan (SIP) is broad, encompassing activity across the Health, Education and Social Care partnership and the impact of dozens of services on children's lives. The purpose of this paper is therefore to outline the governance and accountability arrangements and the high level of assurance these provide, rather than to describe the impact of SEND improvement work in any detail. | |
| 8 | Families First Partnership Programme | 53 - 70 |
| | To provide an update and share information on the Families First Partnership Programme. | |
| 9 | Outstanding Actions | 71 - 72 |
| | To ensure any outstanding actions are being addressed in a timely manner. | |
| 10 | Work Programme | 73 - 76 |
| | To consider and agree the work programme. | |

EXEMPT ITEMS