

A G E N D A

Early Years Development and Childcare Partnership

Date: **Thursday, 12th October, 2006**

Time: **7.00 p.m.**

Place: **Education and Conference
Centre, Blackfriars, Hereford.**

Notes: Please note the **time, date** and **venue** of the meeting.

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AGENDA

for the Meeting of the Early Years Development and Childcare Partnership

To: Representatives of the Early Years Development and Childcare Partnership.

	Pages
<p>1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</p> <p>To receive apologies for absence.</p>	
<p>2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES (IF ANY)</p> <p>To receive details of any Members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a Member of the Partnership.</p>	
<p>3. LATE ITEMS / ANY OTHER BUSINESS</p> <p>To receive notice of any item it is proposed to raise under any other business and consider whether any item so identified may be raised or should be deferred.</p>	
<p>4. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC</p> <p>To answer any written questions received from members of the public.</p>	
<p>5. MINUTES</p> <p>To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 11 May 2006.</p>	3 - 10
<p>6. CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S PLAN</p> <p>To receive an oral update from Anne Heath, Head of Integrated Services and Inclusion, on progress made with the Children and Young People's Plan.</p>	
<u>ITEM FOR DECISION:</u>	
<p>7. THE ROLE AND FUNCTION OF THE EYDCP</p> <p>To discuss the attached paper about proposed changes to the EYDCP's role, function, and constitution (Minute 591 refers). Members will be asked to consider these issues in groups, including specific recommendations about membership and how representatives will consult/feed back to their constituents.</p>	11 - 14

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION:

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| <p>8. GENERAL SURE START GRANT EXPENDITURE, 2007</p> <p>To note the attached report on the current budget position for the year 2006/07.</p> | <p>15 - 16</p> |
| <p>9. NURSERY EDUCATION FUNDING - CROSS-BORDER MONMOUTHSHIRE RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT</p> <p>To note the attached report on shared funding arrangements with local authorities.</p> | <p>17 - 18</p> |
| <p>10. NURSERY EDUCATION FUNDING</p> <p>To note the current position in relation to Nursery Education Funding.</p> <p>REPORT TO FOLLOW</p> | |
| <p>11. FACILITATING THE CHILDCARE MARKET AND SECURING SUFFICIENCY</p> <p>To receive an information report from Bryan Twitty, CIS Manager, and Ros Hatherill, Early Years and Childcare Manager, about childcare placements and the new requirements in relation to targets.</p> | <p>19 - 20</p> |
| <p>12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS</p> | |
| <p>13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING</p> <p>To note that the next meeting of the EYDCP will be held on Thursday 07 December 2006 at 7:00 p.m. (venue to be confirmed).</p> <p>To consider the following proposed dates for 2007:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 08 March 2007• 10 May 2007• 11 October 2007• 06 December 2007 | |