

A G E N D A

Education Scrutiny Committee

Date: **Tuesday, 14th December, 2004**

Time: **10.00 a.m.**

Place: **Council Chamber, Brockington,
Hafod Road, Hereford**

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

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**County of Herefordshire
District Council**

AGENDA

for the Meeting of the Education Scrutiny Committee

To:	Councillor	B.F. Ashton (Chairman)
	Councillor	J.P. Thomas (Vice-Chairman)
	Councillors	H. Bramer, N.J.J. Davies, R.M. Manning, Mrs. J.E. Pemberton, Mrs. S.J. Robertson, D.C. Taylor, Ms. A.M. Toon and W.J. Walling
	Church Members	J.D. Griffin (Roman Catholic) and Revd. I. Terry (Church of England)
	Parent Governor Members	Mr S Boka (Parent Governor Member (Secondary)) and Ms K. Fitch (Primary School Parent Governor Member)
	Teacher Representatives	C. Lewandowski (Secondary Teachers) and J.D. Pritchard (Primary Teachers)
	Headteacher Representatives	A Marson (Secondary Headteachers) and Miss S. Peate (Primary Sector Headteachers)

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
To receive apologies for absence.	
2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES (IF ANY)	
To receive details any details of Members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a Member of the Committee.	
3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
To receive any declarations of interest by Members in respect of items on the Agenda.	
4. MINUTES	1 - 8
To approve and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 5th October, 2004.	
5. EDUCATION WELFARE SERVICE - POLICY AND PROCEDURES ON SCHOOLS ATTENDANCE	9 - 16
To provide an update on the policies and procedures followed by the Education Welfare Service when monitoring and promoting good attendance by pupils in schools.	
6. SUPPORTING PUPILS LEARNING ENGLISH AS AN ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE (EAL)	17 - 40

	To consider the support offered to schools where they have pupils whose first language is not English in order to promote their full participation in the curriculum and integration in all aspects of school life.	
7.	SECURITY IN SCHOOLS	41 - 44
	To inform the Committee of the approach to security in schools.	
8.	PRIMARY SCHOOL PROVISION IN HEREFORD CITY	45 - 52
	To inform the Committee of the strategy of providing school places in Hereford City, particularly south of the river.	
9.	PROGRESS OF MAJOR CAPITAL SCHEMES - AND TARGETED CAPITAL FUND	53 - 56
	To report on progress on the education capital programme in the current financial year and the implications for the service, and to consider the recently announced DfES allocations for future years.	
10.	EDUCATION BUDGET REVENUE MONITORING REPORT 2004/05	57 - 60
	To report on revenue expenditure for 2004/05.	
11.	HEREFORDSHIRE'S LOCAL PUBLIC SERVICES AGREEMENT	61 - 64
	To consider the progress against the Education elements of the Herefordshire Local Public Service Agreement.	
12.	SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS PROVISION & SUPPORT SERVICES IMPROVEMENT PLAN	65 - 66
	To consider the progress of Improvement Plan (Stage 4) of the Best Value Review of Special Educational Needs Provision and Support Services.	
13.	BEST VALUE REVIEWS - UPDATE	67 - 74
	To consider the progress made on the seven Best Value Reviews conducted between 2000 and 2004.	