

# A G E N D A

## Children's Services Scrutiny Committee

Date: **Monday, 19th March, 2007**

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Time: **10.00 a.m.**

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Place: **: The Council Chamber,  
Brockington, 35 Hafod Road,  
Hereford**

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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 Children's Services Scrutiny Committee

<b>To:</b>	<b>Councillor</b>	<b>B.F. Ashton (Chairman)</b>
	<b>Councillor</b>	<b>J.P. Thomas (Vice-Chairman)</b>
	<b>Councillors</b>	<b>Mrs. S.P.A. Daniels, N.J.J. Davies, Brig. P. Jones CBE, G. Lucas, R.M. Manning, Mrs. J.E. Pemberton, Mrs. S.J. Robertson, D.C. Taylor, Ms. A.M. Toon and W.J. Walling</b>
	<b>Church Members</b>	<b>Mr. A. Geach (Church of England) and J.D. Griffin (Roman Catholic Church)</b>
	<b>Parent Governor Members</b>	<b>Ms K. Fitch (Primary School Parent Governor Member) and Mrs. C. Woolley (Secondary School Parent Governors)</b>
	<b>Teacher Representatives</b>	<b>C. Lewandowski (Secondary School teachers)</b>
	<b>Headteacher Representatives</b>	<b>Mrs. D. Strutt (Secondary Schools)</b>
	<b>Community Representatives</b>	<b>Ms D Scott (The Alliance)</b>

	<b>Pages</b>
<b>1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b>	
To receive apologies for absence.	
<b>2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES</b>	
To receive details any details of Members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a Member of the Committee.	
<b>3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</b>	
To receive any declarations of interest by Members in respect of items on the Agenda.	
<b>4. MINUTES</b>	1 - 6
To approve and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 15th December, 2006.	
<b>5. SUGGESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON ISSUES FOR FUTURE SCRUTINY</b>	
To consider suggestions from members of the public on issues the Committee could scrutinise in the future.	

<b>6.</b>	<b>CURRENT SCHOOL ISSUES</b>	7 - 10
	To inform the Committee of recent developments on some key issues for schools and to receive questions as appropriate.	
<b>7.</b>	<b>PROGRESS ON IMPROVEMENT CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICES</b>	11 - 38
	To continue the routine reporting on the improvement in outcomes and performance management	
<b>8.</b>	<b>14 - 19 STRATEGY</b>	39 - 42
	To up-date the Committee on the revised 14-19 Strategy and to explain the progress in the initiative in Herefordshire	
<b>9.</b>	<b>BEHAVIOUR AND DISCIPLINE MANAGEMENT IN HEREFORDSHIRE SCHOOLS REVIEW</b>	43 - 96
	To consider the findings of the Behaviour and Discipline Management in Herefordshire Schools Scrutiny Review.	
<b>10.</b>	<b>JOINT SCRUTINY REVIEW: TRANSITION FROM LEAVING CARE TO ADULT LIFE</b>	97 - 100
	To inform Adult Social Care and Strategic Housing and Children's Services Scrutiny Committees of the progress of the Joint Scrutiny Review on the Transition from Leaving Care to Adult Life and to make recommendations as to the way forward.	
<b>11.</b>	<b>SUMMARY OF ACTION IN RESPONSE TO SCRUTINY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS</b>	101 - 108
	To note progress against recommendations made by the Committee.	
<b>12.</b>	<b>CHILDREN'S SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME.</b>	109 - 112
	To consider the Committee work programme.	