



## ***Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for Education***

***Tuesday, 21 February 2017 at 9.00 am  
County Hall, Oxford OX1 1ND***

### ***Items for Decision***

The items for decision under individual Cabinet Members' delegated powers are listed overleaf, with indicative timings, and the related reports are attached. Decisions taken will become effective at the end of the working day on Wednesday 1 March 2017 unless called in by that date for review by the appropriate Scrutiny Committee.

Copies of the reports are circulated (by e-mail) to all members of the County Council.

**These proceedings are open to the public**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Peter G. Clark." with a horizontal line underneath.

Peter G. Clark  
Interim Chief Executive

February 2017

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Note: Date of next meeting: 14 March 2017

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## Items for Decision

1. **Declarations of Interest**
2. **Questions from County Councillors**

Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am two working days before the meeting, ask a question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet Member's delegated powers.

The number of questions which may be asked by any councillor at any one meeting is limited to two (or one question with notice and a supplementary question at the meeting) and the time for questions will be limited to 30 minutes in total. As with questions at Council, any questions which remain unanswered at the end of this item will receive a written response.

Questions submitted prior to the agenda being despatched are shown below and will be the subject of a response from the appropriate Cabinet Member or such other councillor or officer as is determined by the Cabinet Member, and shall not be the subject of further debate at this meeting. Questions received after the despatch of the agenda, but before the deadline, will be shown on the Schedule of Addenda circulated at the meeting, together with any written response which is available at that time.

3. **Petitions and Public Address**
4. **Formal Approval of Early Years Funding Formula 2017-18** (Pages 1 - 28)

*Forward Plan Ref:* 2017/018

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Report by Director for Children's Services (**CMDED4**).

The Early Years Funding formula has changed considerably from previous years reflecting new guidance and regulations published by the DfE. This report seeks approval of the County Council's funding formula. Responses from consultation with Early Years providers and School Forum are reflected in the proposal.

***The Cabinet Member is RECOMMENDED to approve the Early Years funding formula for 2017/18. This includes an hourly rate of £4.01, a deprivation supplement of £200k and an SEN inclusion fund of £600k.***

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