

CABINET - 15 SEPTEMBER 2020

Education Scrutiny Committee's Comments on the SEND High Needs Funding

The Education Scrutiny Committee received and discussed the report and recommendations on SEND High Needs Funding at a special meeting on 9 September 2020. The Committee heard from the Director of Children's Services that the report was to enact a decision of the Schools Forum and that work was ongoing with regard to a wider SEND Strategy.

The Committee were in agreement with the recommendations and welcomed the approach to development of the SEND Strategy outlined by the Director of Children's Services which would ensure wider involvement by stakeholders and this Committee.

The Committee asked that schools be notified as soon as possible about their allocations and the rationale behind them.