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| <b>LEWISHAM SCHOOLS FORUM</b>   |                 |                      |
| <b>Proposed Dates For Future Meetings And The Work Plan For The Coming Year</b> |                 |                      |
| <b>Yes</b>  | <b>Item No.</b> | <b>9</b>             |
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## **1. Purpose Of The Report**

To provide the dates and the work plan for future meetings of the Forum over the coming year.

## **2. Background**

- 2.1. The work of the Forum is considerable, complex and involved. It is important that over the coming year it is planned in a logical and structured way. Attached is a suggested programme of work.
- 2.2. The fact that an item is not on the plan does not preclude it from being added after this meeting through the wishes of the Forum
- 2.3. It is expected that in the latter months of the plan a considerable number of items will be added to the work programme during the year.
- 2.4. The Forum now has two sub groups, the High Needs sub group and the Funding Task Group, that will look at the changes to the changes to the national funding formula and how it is implemented. The dates for the coming year have been set so that the sub groups meet just before the full Forum meetings. This will allow reports and minutes to be reported back to the full Forum in a timely fashion.
- 2.5. Whilst we have the first consultation document on the new national funding formula, the dates of the second consultation still have to be confirmed. The dates of the Funding Task group are provisional and maybe subject to change.

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