

Decisions taken by the Children and Young People Select Committee on Thursday, 21 November 2024

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
Part A – Items considered in public		
A1	Minutes of previous meeting	RESOLVED That the minutes of the meeting held on 12 September 2024 be agreed as an accurate record.
A2	Declarations of interest	RESOLVED That the following declarations be noted: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In relation to items 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9, Cllr Jacq Paschoud declared she was a non-council-appointed governor of a school trust. 2. Sabrina Dixon declared she was employed by Social Inclusion Recovery Group, which worked with the families of children suspended or excluded from school. NB: Cllr Lahai-Taylor later declared she was a council-appointed school governor.
A3	Responses to Referrals to Mayor and Cabinet	There were none.
A4	Budget Reductions	RESOLVED To recommend – <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the proposed withdrawal of qualified social worker parking permits under saving proposal CYP05 be reviewed. 2. That the concerns raised by the Committee in respect of reduction CR07 be considered by officers: the changing needs of young people; the value of professional attendants; and the disadvantages of using more smaller vehicles. And to refer the following to the Public Accounts Select Committee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Committee’s view is that the 2026/27 Youth Service saving should not be progressed during the current budget cycle and, if it is to be progressed, should be brought back next year with further information on the year-two plans for youth services.
A5	Youth Justice Service Inspection	RESOLVED

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	Findings	That the report be noted.
A6	School Standards (unvalidated)	RESOLVED That the report be noted.
A7	Attendance and Children Missing Education	RESOLVED That the report be noted.
A8	Exclusions and Managed Transfers	RESOLVED That the report be noted.
A9	Admissions and Fair Access Arrangements	RESOLVED That the report be noted.
A10	Select Committee work programme	RESOLVED That the report be noted.