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Dear Sir or Madam,

A virtual meeting of the **SCHOOLS' FORUM** will be held on **Wednesday 18 January 2023** at **9.30 a.m.** You will be sent a link to the meeting via a Microsoft Teams Meeting invite and I would be grateful if you could accept or decline the invitation accordingly.

I remind you that if you are unable to attend, you should arrange for an appropriate substitute to attend on your behalf. Alternatively forward any written representations to me in advance.

In the current situation can I ask that Forum members read all papers prior to the meeting and forward any questions or contributions to me in advance of the meeting, however, we will do everything possible to take comments at the meeting too.

Yours faithfully,

Andrea Todd
Clerk to the Forum

To the members' of the Schools Forum

AGENDA

It is expected that the matters included in this part of the agenda will be dealt with in public.

		Decision/Consultation/ Information/Action
1.	MEMBERSHIP AND MEMBERSHIP UPDATE	Information
2.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	Information
3.	DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS (IF ANY)	Information
4.	MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING (Pages 1 - 12) Minutes of the meeting of the Schools' Forum held on Wednesday 16 November 2022, as circulated, to be confirmed as a true record, and signed by the Chairman.	Action
5.	COMMUNICATION	Information
6.	ALTERNATIVE PROVISION TO SUPPORT CHILDREN PERMANENTLY EXCLUDED FROM SCHOOL (Pages 13 - 18) To update the Schools Forum on proposals to undertake a tender to support the provision of Alternative Education for children of statutory school age.	Information
7.	SETTING THE 2023/24 DEDICATED SCHOOLS GRANT REPORT TO FOLLOW	Information, Consultation, Decision
8.	2023 WORK PROGRAMME AND MEETING DATES (Pages 19 - 20)	Information
9.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	Information/Action
10.	DATE OF NEXT MEETING The next scheduled meeting of the Schools' Forum is Wednesday, 15 February 2023.	Information