



# Northumberland County Council

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Dear Sir or Madam

A virtual meeting of the **SCHOOLS' FORUM** will be held on **Wednesday, 13 January 2021 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

Kay Norris  
Clerk to the Forum

**To: Members of the Schools' Forum**

**Copy to Cath McEvoy-Carr, Executive Director of Children's Services and  
Councillor Guy Renner-Thompson**

## 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.	<b>MEMBERSHIP AND MEMBERSHIP UPDATE</b>	Information
2.	<b>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b>	Information
3.	<b>DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS (if any)</b>	Information
4.	<b>MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING</b> Minutes of the meeting of the Schools' Forum held on Wednesday 18 November 2020, as circulated, to be confirmed as a true record, and signed by the Chairman.	Action
5.	<b>COMMUNICATION:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Department for Education statement on 2021-22 School Funding 17 Dec 2020 (attached)</li> <li>• F40 Request for Schools Examples of additional Covid-19 Costs 22 Dec 2020 (attached)</li> </ul>	Information
6.	<b>SETTING THE 2021/22 DEDICATED SCHOOLS GRANT</b> (to follow)	Decision, Information & Consultation
7.	<b>2021/22 Work Programme and Meeting Dates</b> (attached)	Information
8.	<b>AOB</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>HN Committee Meeting 27 January 2021</b></li> </ul>	Information
9.	<b>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</b> The next scheduled meeting of the Schools' Forum is Wednesday 24 February 2021	Information