

Direct Line:	
Date:	11 November 2020

Dear Sir or Madam

A virtual meeting of the **SCHOOLS' FORUM** will be held on **Wednesday 18 November 2020** at **9.30 a.m**. You will be sent a link to the meeting via a Google 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.	MEMBERSHIP AND MEMBERSHIP UPDATE	Information
2.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	Information
3.	DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS (if any)	Information
4.	MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING Minutes of the meeting of the Schools' Forum held on Wednesday 30 September 2020, as circulated, to be confirmed as a true record, and signed by the Chairman.	Action
5.	 COMMUNICATION: Minutes Formula Funding Committee Meeting held 14 October 2020 (attached); Draft Minutes Formula Funding Committee Meeting held 04 November 2020 (attached); F40 October 2020 letter to the Department for Education (attached); 	Information
6.	SEN Update	Information
7.	NATIONAL FUNDING FORMULA (NFF)and DEDICATED SCHOOLS GRANT (DSG) UPDATE AND CONSULTATION ON 2021/22 NORTHUMBERLAND FUNDING FORMULA VALUES	Information & Consultation
8.	2020/21 Work Programme and Meeting Dates (attached);	Information
9.	AOB – set up AEN Committee Meetings	Information
10.	DATE OF NEXT MEETING The next scheduled meeting of the Schools' Forum is Wednesday 13 January 2020	Information