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Dear Sir or Madam,

A virtual meeting of the **SCHOOLS' FORUM** will be held on **WEDNESDAY, 29 SEPTEMBER 2021** at **9.30 AM**. You will be sent a link to the meeting 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: 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.	DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS (IF ANY)	Information
4.	MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING (Pages 1 - 10) Minutes of the meeting of the Schools' Forum held on Wednesday 07 July 2021, as circulated, to be confirmed as a true record, and signed by the Chairman.	Action
5.	COMMUNICATION (Pages 11 - 14) FFC Committee Draft Minutes 15 September 2021	Information
6.	SCHOOL FORUM CAPITAL UPDATE (Pages 15 - 30)	Information
7.	FAIR FUNDING FOR ALL: COMPLETING THE REFORMS TO THE NATIONAL FUNDING FORMULA (Pages 31 - 96) (DfE Consultation – previously circulated, copy attached, together with Consultation questions, and proposed response)	Information/Consultation
8.	NATIONAL FUNDING FORMULA AND SCHOOLS FUNDING UPDATE (ATTACHED) (Pages 97 - 104)	Information
9.	2021/22 WORK PROGRAMME AND MEETING DATES (ATTACHED) (Pages 105 - 106)	Information
10.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	Information / Action
11.	DATE OF NEXT MEETING The next scheduled meeting of the Schools' Forum is Wednesday 17 November 2021	Information