

SECTION 3B (a): EXECUTIVE MEMBERS PORTFOLIOS

Executive Member	PORTFOLIO
Councillor Judith Blake	<p>Leader of Leeds and Executive Member for Economy and Culture</p> <p>Lead for the council's budget and financial strategy; economic growth for all communities; the city's cultural offer and for devolution and local freedoms.</p>
Councillor James Lewis	<p>Deputy Leader and Executive Member for Resources and Strategy</p> <p>Lead the council to be more effective and efficient, including driving the digital and "smart city" agenda.</p>
Councillor Lucinda Yeadon	<p>Deputy Leader and Executive Member for Environment and Sustainability</p> <p>Lead for environmental protection and dealing with the city's waste.</p>
Councillor Lisa Mulherin	<p>Executive Member for Children and Families¹</p> <p>Lead for building a child friendly city, putting children and families first and for the local partnership of children's services providers.</p>
Councillor Mohammed Rafique	<p>Executive Member for Employment, Skills and Opportunity</p> <p>Lead for delivering learning and employment opportunities; tackling inequalities, addressing the skills gap, raising aspirations and ambition, and engaging with citizens, learning providers and employers to promote access to secure employment for all.</p>

¹ The Executive Member for Children's Services is the Lead Member for Children's Services appointed in accordance with the Section 19 of the Children Act 2004 and must therefore have responsibility for the functions conferred on or exercisable by the authority specified in S18(1)(a) and (b) of the Children Act 2004 and such other functions as the authority consider appropriate.

Executive Functions

Councillor Rebecca Charlwood	Executive Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adults Lead for improving health and the quality of adult social care, reducing health inequalities through healthy lifestyles and integrating health and social care.
Councillor Richard Lewis	Executive Member for Regeneration, Transport and Planning Lead for sustainable development, regeneration and infrastructure including the sufficiency of health and learning settings.
Councillor Debra Coupar	Executive Member for Communities Lead for community and citizen focussed services and welfare support