



Report of the Director of Children's Services

Scrutiny Board (Children's Services)

Date: 12 October 2006

Subject: Monitoring reports

Electoral Wards Affected:	Specific Implications For:
All	Ethnic minorities <input type="checkbox"/>
	Women <input type="checkbox"/>
	Disabled people <input type="checkbox"/>
	Narrowing the Gap <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0 Purpose Of This Report

1.1 Scrutiny Board (Children's Services) has agreed to set aside the major part of its October 2006 meeting as a monitoring meeting. This is so that Members can assess progress on a number of key issues, as part of their role of holding the Executive to account and maintaining an overview of the Children's Services portfolio. Appended to this cover sheet are four reports to assist Members in their work.

2.0 Main Issues

2.1 Safeguarding children

2.2 Transition - primary to secondary school (response to Inquiry into Secondary Achievement)

2.3 Extended schools

2.4 Schools admissions and appeals

3.0 Recommendation

3.1 Members are recommended to consider these reports.