

**Scrutiny Board (Children's Services)  
Work Programme 2010/11**

Item	Description	Notes	Type of item
<b>Meeting date – 21 April 2011</b>			
<b>Fostering</b>	To receive an update on implementation of the Inspection Action Plan, and an evaluation of foster carer recruitment activity	Requested by the Board in September 2010	PM
<b>School performance and Ofsted Inspections</b>	Annual report on school performance	The Scrutiny Board agreed in 2006/07 to consider these reports to Executive Board  To include information regarding the education of gypsy and traveller girls in response to the recommendation of the Environment and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board	PM
<b>Annual Report</b>	To agree the Board's contribution to the annual scrutiny report		

Key:

RFS – Request for scrutiny

MSR – Monitoring scrutiny recommendations

RP – Review of existing policy

PM – Performance management

DP – Development of new policy

B – Briefings

**Unscheduled Items**

Young Carers – possible working group

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<b>Working Groups</b>			
<b>Working group</b>	<b>Membership</b>	<b>Current position</b>	<b>Dates</b>
<b>Youth Services Commissioning Framework</b>	Councillor Chapman Councillor Hyde Councillor Lamb Councillor Lancaster Councillor Maqsood Professor Gosden Mr Britten Ms Morris-Boam	To comment on the developing proposals  Timetable has slipped from original deadline of September As a result, the Working group has been suspended until a more appropriate time	19 July 19 August
<b>Children's Social Care System Review</b>	Councillor Chapman Councillor Gettings Councillor Lamb Councillor Lewis	To monitor progress on an ongoing basis  It is anticipated that the working group will meet 6-8 weekly	13 January 24 February 24 March 18 April
<b>Reducing Teenage Conception</b>	Councillor Chapman Councillor Gettings Councillor Lancaster James Granger Jeannette Morris-Boam	Proposed joint working group with the Health Scrutiny Board	April