Decision Schedule



Deputy Leader/ Cabinet Member for Education and Early Years

TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

Decision Schedule published on 2 April 2024

The Cabinet Member took the following decisions on 2 April 2024. They will become effective at Noon on 10 April 2024 with the exception of any particular decision, which is the subject of a valid "call-in".

The deadline for submission of a 'Call-in' request form is 4.00 pm on 9 April 2024.

Information relating to the 'Call-in' process can be found via Democratic Services.

Reports relating to staffing issues/Confidential reports are not circulated to all members of the Council as part of the consultation/call-in processes.

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School Admission Arrangements - 2025/26

Options Considered/Reasons for Decision

In accordance with Welsh Government statutory School Admissions Code, admission authorities were required to undertake an annual consultation on admission arrangements in the school year beginning two years before the school year in which the arrangements would apply.

As an admission authority, the Council undertook its consultation on proposed admission arrangements for the academic year commencing September 2025 between 1st December 2023 and 16th February 2024. No policy changes were proposed.

This decision report detailed all consultation responses received and recommends that the admission arrangements be determined as consulted upon, without amendment. In accordance with the statutory code, these arrangements must be determined by 15th April 2024.

Decision

The Cabinet Member for Education and Early Years agreed to set the Council's admission arrangements for the academic year commencing September 2025 as consulted upon, without amendment.

Consultation

Head of Law and Standards, Head of People, Policy and Transformation and Head of Finance.

All members were consulted and provided with an opportunity to comment. Any comments received and response thereafter are set out in the report.

Implemented By: Chief Education Officer Implementation Timetable: Immediate

COUNCILLOR D DAVIES, CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION AND EARLY YEARS

Date: 2 April 2024