

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD

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CHILDREN AND LEARNING SCRUTINY PANEL - PROGRESS REPORT

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To provide members of the Overview and Scrutiny Board (OSB) with an update on the work of the Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel.

RECOMMENDATION

2. That the Overview and Scrutiny Board notes the updated position.

BACKGROUND

3. At the time of writing, the Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel has not met since the last update report was presented to OSB on 5 May 2009.
4. The Children and Learning Scrutiny Panel's next meeting is scheduled for 28 May 2009. That meeting is to consider an introduction/overview in respect of the panel's new topic for investigation, namely the provision of play facilities/playschemes for children with complex needs. The panel agreed to examine this topic following a request from a member of the public. An update in respect of that meeting will be presented at OSB.

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