



# Agenda

Name of meeting	<b>SCHOOLS FORUM</b>
Date	<b>Thursday, 25 March 2021</b>
Time	<b>8.30AM</b>
Venue	<b>Webinar meeting – joining details are in the e-mail sent with this agenda</b>
Members of the Committee	Beverley Gilbert – Brading CE Primary (Chair) Kevin McDermott – Christ the King College Mike Hayward – Isle of Wight Education Federation Fidelma Washington – Isle of Wight College Steve Fairclough – Brighstone CE Primary School Gordon Kendall – Bembridge CE Primary School Duncan Mills – Cornerstone Federation Lisa Nicholson – Haylands Primary School Caroline Sice – Lanesend Primary Academy Sarah Hussey – Northwood Primary Academy Julie Stewart – Medina House School Jackie Boxx – Island Learning Centre Amanda Bitchenor – Chatterbox Day Nursery Jayne Hill – Niton and Brighstone Pre-Schools Sue Bowen – Church of England Diocese
Elected Member:	Cllr Paul Brading – Cabinet Member for Children’s Services
Officers:	Barry Downer - Senior Finance Business Partner Irina Rowan – Finance Business Partner Brian Pope – Assistant Director, Education and Inclusion Steve Crocker – Director of Children’s Service
Apologies:	
Clerk:	Di Hiscock, telephone 821000 Ext 5832 Email <a href="mailto:diane.hiscock@iow.gov.uk">diane.hiscock@iow.gov.uk</a>

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## 1. **Welcome and Introductions and Protocol**

The [Schools Forum Regulations](#) have been amended to allow for virtual meetings to take place until 31 March 2021.

[Powers and Responsibilities](#) confirms where Schools Forum is the decision maker or may ‘have a view’.

## 2. **Declarations of Interest**

To invite Members to declare any interest they might have in the matters on the agenda.

## 3. **Public Questions - (Maximum of 15 mins)**

**Anyone who wishes to attend a Schools Forum meeting as an observer is requested to notify the clerk at the e-mail address above.**

Questions may be asked about any item on the agenda **only during this time slot**. To guarantee a full reply at the meeting such questions must be delivered by electronic mail to the clerk no later than 09.00 am Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2021. Each question must give the name and role of the questioner.

Questions raised must be pertinent to items on the agenda and in accordance with the [powers and responsibilities](#) of the schools forum. Questions received by the clerk that are considered to be outside the remit of the schools forum will be passed to appropriate service as a Freedom of Information request.

4. **Minutes of the Last Meetings – 14 January 2021** [Paper A](#) (5 mins)
5. **Matters Arising from 14 January 2021** (none noted) (5 mins)
6. **2020/21 Budget Monitoring** [Paper B](#) (20 mins)  
Barry Downer - Senior Finance Business Partner
  - Inc – Item 10.19 [11 November 2020](#)
7. **2021/22 School Funding Updates** [Paper C](#) (20 mins)  
Barry Downer - Senior Finance Business Partner
8. **School Funding Policies Update** [Paper D](#) (20 mins)
  - [Appendix A](#) – School Funding Policy Funding Pack
  - [Appendix B](#) – IOW Scheme for Financing Schools
9. **Date of Next Meeting**  
Thursday 25 March 2021 – Teams meeting, from 8.30am

**Dates of Future Meetings – Arrangements to be confirmed all from 8.30am**

**15 July 2021**

**11 November 2021**

**20 January 2022** (*This date could be subject to change, depending on the date for submission of funding formula to DfE*)

**24 March 2022**