







CHILDREN'S SERVICE

**Schools Forum
Tuesday 8th July 2025
2.00pm
Teams Meeting**

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AGENDA

1. Apologies:
2. Declarations of Interest please complete and e-mail to Director CYP
[Director CYP@BATHNES.GOV.UK](mailto:CYP@BATHNES.GOV.UK) 
3. Minutes of the last meeting (18th March 2025) 
4. Letter to DFE 
5. Structure and Dates of Future Meetings 
6. DSG Safety Valve **Verbal**
7. DFE Grants to schools in 2025-26 
8. Maintained School balances 
9. A.O.B
8. Date of next meeting: 23rd September 2025. (provisional)

Sector	Name	School/Association etc
Academy Representative	Hayley Trottman	Bath and Wells Multi Academy Trust
Academy Representative	Chris Thomas-Unsworth	Educate Together Academy Trust
Academy Representative	Louise Malik	Lighthouse Schools Partnership
Academy Representative	Alun Williams	Midsomer Norton Schools Partnership
Academy Representative	Jo Marsh	Palladian Academy Trust
Academy Representative	Emily Massey	The Bath and Mendip Partnership Trust
Academy Representative	Tim Howes	Futura Learning Partnership
Academy Representative	Jo Stooling	Three Ways Special School Individual School Academies
Special Headteacher	Helen McDicken	North Star 180
Maintained School Governor	Vacant	
Maintained School Head Teacher	George Samios	Twerton Infants
Diocesan Representative	Claire Hudson	Diocese of Bath and Wells
Union/RTPA Representative	Kevin Burnett	BANES NAHT
14-19 Representative	TBC	14-19 providers
Early Years	Roz Lambert	First Steps (Bath)
Early Years	Kate Wilson	Little Star Nursery
Officers		
	Mandy Bishop	Chief Operating Officer
	Jean Kelly	Divisional Director – CYP and Families
	Richard Morgan	Education Service Manager
	Chris Wilford	Director of Education
Other Officers	Ray Egbufoama	LMS and Formula Accountant
	Simon Parker	Director of Resources
	Jeff Wring	Divisional Director Risk and Awareness
	Philip Frankland	Strategic Planning and Performance Manager
	Paul Hiscott	Group Accountant Children's Services and Communities

For Information Only Copies to:

Ed Gregory: Education Director, Diocese of Bath & Wells

Mary Cox: Director, Diocese of Clifton

Cllr. Mark Elliott: Cabinet Member Resources
Cllr. Kevin Guy: Leader of the Council
Cllr. Dine Romero : Chair of PDS Panel