Bath & North East Somerset Council
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Bath and North East Somerset Clinical Commissioning Group

Schools Forum
16th October 2026
2.00pm
Teams Meeting

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AGENDA

1. Apologies

2. Welcome of new members

3. Declarations of Interest, please complete and e-mail to Director CYP Director_CYP@BATHNES.GOV.UK

4. Minutes of the last meeting

5. SEND Reform Plan Verbal Update – presented by Chris Wilford

6. Update from the HNWG – minutes attached plus verbal update - presented by Emma Whitehead

7. Early Years presented by Phillip Frankland

8. Budget Monitoring 2026-27 - presented by Emma Whitehead

9. DSG Budget 2027-28 - presented by Emma Whitehead

10. A.O.B

Date of next meeting: 1st December 2026

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Schools Forum Membership

As of July 26

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	Julia Finch	Palladian Academy Trust
Academy Representative	Emily Massey	The Bath and Mendip Partnership Trust
Academy Representative	Julie-Anne Kellaway	Futura Learning Partnership
Academy Representative	Jo Stoaling (Chair)	Three Ways Special School Individual School Academies
Special Headteacher	Serra Orumlu	North Star 180
Maintained School Governor	Jane Stagg	Twerton Infants
Maintained School Head Teacher	George Samios (Vice Chair)	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
Councillors		
	Paul May	Cabinet Member for Children and Young People
Officers		
	Darryl Freeman	Executive Director (Operations)
	Jean Kelly	Divisional Director – CYP and Families
	Chris Wilford	Director of Education
	Emma Whitehead	Education Business Manager
Other Officers	Ray Egbufoama	LMS and Formula Accountant
	Simon Parker	Director of Resources
	Stuart Donnelly	Divisional of Finance

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