

## Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee 2024/25 Work Programme

**Chair: Councillor Naim Salim**

**Vice Chair: TBC**

**Wednesday at 9.30am**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Items</b>
<b>15 May 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Child Exploitation</b> To scrutinise current arrangements in preventing child exploitation including cross partnership working and strategy development.</li><li>• <b>Children's Services Improvement</b> To scrutinise progress in the Council's improvement journey following an OFSTED monitoring visit.</li></ul>
<b>10 July 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Priority Education Investment Area</b> To hold partners to account.</li><li>• <b>Early years Extended Entitlement and Wrap Around Care</b></li><li>• <b>Children's Services Improvement</b> To receive a verbal update from the Executive Member on progress made in the Council's improvement journey.</li></ul>
<b>11 September 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Transformation/savings delivery plans – progress update</b> To receive a progress update on the transformation</li><li>• <b>Children's Services Improvement</b> To scrutinise progress in the Council's improvement journey following an OFSTED monitoring visit.</li></ul>
<b>13 November 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Nottingham City Safeguarding Partnership Annual Report</b> To consider the safeguarding partnership annual report</li></ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Alternative education provisions for permanently excluded children</b></li> <li>• <b>Provisions for children without a school place / fair access</b></li> <li>• <b>Children’s Services Improvement</b> To receive a verbal update from the Executive Member on progress made in the Council’s improvement journey.</li> </ul>
15 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Impact of the 25/26 Budget proposals on Children’s Services and Education</b> To scrutinise the proposed budget and its impact on service provisions</li> <li>• <b>Children’s Services Improvement</b> To scrutinise progress in the Council’s improvement journey following an OFSTED monitoring visit.</li> </ul>
12 March 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Partnership response to SEND reforms</b></li> <li>• <b>Impact of attainment</b></li> <li>• <b>Placement Sufficiency</b></li> <li>• <b>Children’s Services Improvement</b> To receive a verbal update from the Executive Member on progress made in the Council’s improvement journey.</li> </ul>
Special meeting if required	

Date	Items
April TBC	

**Standing items**

- **Children’s Services Improvement – every meeting**
- **Nottingham City Council Safeguarding Partnership Annual Report – September**
- **Placement Sufficiency - March**
- **Impact of attainment – March**
- **Child Exploitation Strategy – 12-18 months to assess the performance of the Strategy**

**Topics for work programme**

- **Child Fostering – how can the Council champion and develop its own foster carers**
- **Youth Justice**
- **Police & Crime Commissioner – response to children living in households involving domestic violence / prevention of youth crime**
- **Child Poverty Strategy – how can the Council help prevent child poverty – mitigating the impacts of the removal of the household support fund**

**WORK PROGRAMME 2024/25**

**COMPLETED ON .....**

**SIGNED (CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE) .....**