Education and Families Committee – 9 November 2022
Shetland Islands Council Committee Information - Meetings

Item	Subject	Decision
1	Children's Services Directorate Performance Report - Quarter 2, 1 July to 30 September 2022	The Committee considered the contents of the report and made relevant comments on progress against priorities to inform further activity.
2	External Audit Report - Care Inspectorate Report on Isles Haven Nursery, Sound Nursery and Tingwall Nursery	The Committee NOTED the content of the Care Inspectorate Reports on Isles Haven Nursery, Sound Nursery and Tingwall Nursery.
3	External Audit Report - Education Scotland Letter on Sandwick Junior High School	The Committee NOTED the report and accompanying appendices, including the letter from Education Scotland, regarding Sandwick Junior High School, attached as Appendix 1.
4	National Improvement Framework Progress Report 2021/22	The Committee: • NOTED the annual report setting out the progress made against the National Improvement Framework priorities in session 2021/22 (Appendix 1); • APPROVED the Council's National Improvement Framework Plan, The Ambition – Excellence and Equity for Shetland's Learners (Appendix 2).
5	Free School Meal Options	The Committee: • NOTED the cost implications for providing free school meals

		• AGREED to investigate Options 4 and 5 combined to take forward for consideration by the December meeting, with a view to implementation as soon as possible after the end of the year, and AGREED to investigate a ceiling appropriate to the grant criteria.
6	Shetland's Integrated Children's Services Plan Annual Report 2021-22	The Committee APPROVED the Shetland Integrated Children's Plan: Annual Report 2021-22 for publication.
7	Education and Families Committee Business Programme – 2022/23	The Committee CONSIDERED the business planned for Education and Families Committee for financial year 2022/23, and ADVISED the Director of Children's Services of any changes required or new items to be included on the Business Programme.

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