Schools Forum Meeting on 17 September 2020

Action Sheet

TOPIC	ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY	OUTCOME
Matters arising from the Schools Forum meeting held on 18 June 2020 – Early Years	Officers to look into whether any underspend in the Early Years Block could be utilised to fund the infrastructure, or, given that the need had arisen as a consequence of the Covid-19 pandemic, whether there was an alterative funding stream available. Officers to consult with the Early Years Forum on the options available. An item on Early Years funding to be included on the agenda of the next Forum meeting.	Phil Haslett	Report and recommendations included in the Early Years report.
Schools Forum Membership	A member of the Gloucestershire Parent Carer Forum to become a non-schools member of the Schools Forum.	Jo Bolton	Coordinator for GPCF has been asked to nominate member/substitute. The Schools Forum Constitution updated to reflect change to the membership structure. New member induction session to be arranged.
High Needs	At the next meeting the Forum to receive further detail on how potential savings could be made in the following three key areas: An adjustment to the diseconomy of scale model of funding available to special schools; a reduction in High Needs expenditure on the '1 in 40' model to support schools with high numbers of EHCPs; and a reduction in	Phil Haslett	Verbal update to be provided at the meeting.

	direct expenditure on the Advisory Teacher Service.	