

Update on Major Review of the Council's Current and Future Relationship with Academies and Free Schools

Committee name	Residents, Education and Environmental Services Policy Overview Committee
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Papers with report	Appendix 1 – Table detailing the update on recommendations from the review
Ward	All

HEADLINES

This report provides the Committee with an update on the recommendations made following the Major Review of the Council's current and future relationship with Academies and Free Schools.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Committee note the update on the implementation of the recommendations resulting from the review of the Council's Current and Future Relationship with Academies and Free Schools.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

In October 2016, the previous Children's, Young People and Learning Policy Overview Committee undertook a major review of the Council's current and future relationship with Academies and Free Schools. Following the review, that Committee recommended six key recommendations, which were agreed by Cabinet in June 2017. These are detailed in Appendix 1, which provides a 2-year progress update for each recommendation. It confirms that all the recommendations have been actioned.

Implications on related Council policies

There are no direct implications on related council policies arising from this report.

How this report benefits Hillingdon residents

This report ensures that good working relationships are in place between the Council and Academies and Free Schools, and is supported by the principles of the Hillingdon School Improvement Plan.

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Financial Implications

Corporate Finance reviewed the report submitted to Cabinet in June 2017, and confirmed that there were no direct financial implications arising from Cabinet supporting implementation of the Policy Overview Committee's recommendations.

Legal Implications

Legal Services reviewed the report submitted to Cabinet in June 2017, and confirmed that there were no legal issues arising from the Policy Overview Committee's recommendations.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Major Review of the Council's Current and Future Relationship with Academies and Free Schools.