

## **REVIEWS IN 2009/10: DEVELOPMENT OF INCLUSION WITNESS SESSION 1**

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### **REASON FOR ITEM**

To hear from witnesses, as part of the Committee's 2009/10 review the development of inclusion in the London Borough of Hillingdon.

### **OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO THE COMMITTEE**

1. To question the following witnesses about the development of inclusion in the London Borough of Hillingdon.
  - Sue O'Brien – Schools Improvement Officer for Inclusion
  - Steve Foot – Head of Minet Junior School
  - Clive Neathy – Head Teacher of Rosedale college
  - Charlie Taylor – Head Teacher of The Willows School.

### **INFORMATION**

1. The Committee is responsible for undertaking the 'policy overview' role in relation to Education and Children's Services. This role is outlined at the start of the agenda.
2. Previous experience from both Hillingdon and other Councils indicates that the Committee can have the greatest impact by focusing on a particular topic at one or several meetings.
3. Following discussion at the Committee's meeting on 28<sup>th</sup> April 2009, Members decided to review the development of inclusion. The scoping report for the review was agreed by Committee on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2009.

### **ATTACHED REPORTS**

1. Updated scoping report for the Development of Inclusion
2. Inclusion Charter Mark Report – witness statement for Rosedale College.

### **SUGGESTED SCRUTINY ACTIVITY**

- Question the witnesses.
- Start to identify possible conclusions and recommendations from the evidence given.
- Identify issues that the Committee should investigate further as part of the review.