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Date: 1st November 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

A meeting of the **Education for Life Scrutiny Committee** will be held in the **Sirhowy Room, Penallta House, Tredomen, Ystrad Mynach** on **Tuesday, 7th November, 2017** at **5.30 pm** to consider the matters contained in the following agenda. You are welcome to use Welsh at the meeting, a minimum notice period of 3 working days is required should you wish to do so. A simultaneous translation will be provided if requested

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Chris Burns'.

Chris Burns
INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

	Pages
1 To receive apologies for absence.	
2 Declarations of Interest.	

Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Officers.

To approve and sign the following minutes: -

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| 3 Education for Life Scrutiny Committee held on 26th September 2017. | 1 - 8 |
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- 4 Consideration of any matter referred to this Committee in accordance with the call-in procedure.
- 5 To receive a verbal report by the Cabinet Member(s).
- 6 Education for Life Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme. 9 - 22
- 7 To receive and consider the following Cabinet Reports*: -
1. The Development of a Combined Sensory and Communication Service (SENCOM) – 18th October 2017.

**If a member of the Scrutiny Committee wishes for any of the above Cabinet reports to be brought forward for review at the meeting please contact Emma Sullivan, 01443 864420, by 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 6th November 2017.*

To receive and consider the following Scrutiny reports: -

- 8 SEWC - Regional Target Setting Strategy - Update September 2017 - With a presentation from Mr Ravi Pawar, Head Teacher, Blackwood Comprehensive School. 23 - 32
- 9 Elective Home Education (EHE). 33 - 38
- 10 Welsh in Education Strategic Plan 2017-2020. 39 - 114

Circulation:

Councillors C. Andrews, J. Bevan, P.J. Bevan, A. Collis, S. Cook, W. David (Chair), A. Farina-Childs, D.T. Hardacre, D. Havard, M.P. James, B. Miles, Mrs G.D. Oliver (Vice Chair), Mrs T. Parry, J.E. Roberts, R. Saralis and R. Whiting

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Cardiff ROC Archdiocesan Commission for Education Representative (with voting rights on educational matters)
Mr M. Western

Parent Governor Representatives (with voting rights on educational matters) Mr M Barry and Mr R Morgan

Outside Body Representatives (without voting rights)
Mrs J. Havard (NUT) and Mrs P. Ireland (NUT)

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