

# Education and Local Economy Scrutiny Commission

Wednesday 19 April 2023

7.00 pm

Ground Floor Meeting Room G02A - 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH

## Membership

Councillor Jason Ochere (Chair)  
Councillor Rachel Bentley (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Chloe Tomlinson  
Councillor Joseph Vambe  
Councillor Cassandra Brown  
Councillor Renata Hamvas  
Councillor David Watson  
Martin Brecknell (Co-opted member)  
Lynette Murphy-O'Dwyer (Co-opted member)  
Marcin Jagodzinski (Co-opted member)  
Mannah Kargbo (Co-opted member)

## Reserves

Councillor Maggie Browning  
Councillor Bethan Roberts  
Councillor Laura Johnson  
Councillor Victoria Mills  
Councillor Sunny Lambe  
Councillor Victor Chamberlain  
Councillor Irina Von Wiese

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

**Althea Loderick**

Chief Executive

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## Order of Business

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	<b>PART A OPEN BUSINESS</b>	
<b>1.</b>	<b>APOLOGIES</b>	
	To receive any apologies for absence.	
<b>2.</b>	<b>NOTIFICATION OF ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT</b>	
	In special circumstances, an item of business may be added to an agenda within five clear working days of the meeting.	
<b>3.</b>	<b>DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS.</b>	
	Members to declare any interests and dispensations in respect of any item of business to be considered at this meeting.	
<b>4.</b>	<b>MINUTES</b>	1 - 7
	To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 6 March 2023.	

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5.	<b>MITIGATING FALLING SCHOOL ROLLS - KEEPING EDUCATION STRONG STRATEGY</b>	8 - 62
	To hear from Councillor Jasmine Ali, Cabinet Member for Children, Young People and Schools, Nina Dohel, Director of Education, Children and Adult Services on Keeping Education Strong Strategy and also independent consultant Helen Jenner to discuss the review of falling school rolls and outcomes.	
6.	<b>FALLING PUPIL NUMBERS FOLLOW UP DATA/REPORTS</b>	63 - 101
	Reports listed below are to note and any arising questions to be emailed to officers for a written response:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social rented housing not at affordable housing levels undergoing enforcement investigations</li> <li>• Air quality data around schools</li> <li>• S-106 Monies for schools (<i>Report to follow</i>)</li> </ul>	
7.	<b>LOCAL ACCESS PARTNERSHIP (LAP)</b>	102 - 104
	To hear from Jon Hitchin. Chief Executive of Renaisi the leading and accountable body on Southwark Local Access Partnership (LAP) with input from Councillor Martin Seaton, Cabinet Member for Jobs, Business and Town Centres, Danny Edwards, Head of Economy, Matt Little, Principal Strategy Officer on Southwark's role as a key partner and supporter of the LAP.	
8.	<b>FINALISING SCRUTINY RECOMMENDATIONS</b>	
	To finalise scrutiny recommendations on the following topics	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pupil Places: Looking at shortfalls in primary pupil numbers across Southwark</li> <li>• Impact of the cost-of-living crisis on businesses in Southwark</li> </ul>	
9.	<b>WORK PROGRAMME 2022-2023</b>	105 - 113
	To note the Work Programme for the year 2022-2023.	
	<b>DISCUSSION OF ANY OTHER OPEN ITEMS AS NOTIFIED AT THE START OF THE MEETING.</b>	

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