

Corporate Parenting Committee

Wednesday 22 October 2025

2.00 pm

Ground floor meeting rooms GO2B and C, 160 Tooley Street,
SE1 2QH

Membership

Councillor Jasmine Ali (Chair)
Councillor Mohamed Deen
Councillor Natasha Ennin
Councillor Emily Hickson
Councillor Sarah King
Councillor Maria Linforth-Hall
Councillor Charlie Smith

Reserves

Councillor Sunil Chopra
Councillor Sabina Emmanuel
Councillor Sunny Lambe
Councillor Bethan Roberts
Councillor Kath Whittam
Councillor Irina Von Wiese

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

Althea Loderick

Chief Executive

Date: 14 October 2025



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MOBILE PHONES

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PART A - OPEN BUSINESS

1. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. CONFIRMATION OF VOTING MEMBERS

A representative of each political group will confirm the voting members of the committee.

3. NOTIFICATION OF ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT

In special circumstances, an item of business may be added to an agenda within five clear days of the meeting.

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

Members to declare any interests and dispensation in respect of any item of business to be considered at this meeting.

5. MINUTES

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To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 16 July 2025.

6. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIR FOR THE CORPORATE PARENTING COMMITTEE 2025-26 (2.10PM - 2.15PM)

To appoint vice chair of the Corporate Parenting Committee for 2025-26.

(Deferred from the previous meeting).

7. SPEAKERBOX VERBAL UPDATE AND REPORT BACK ON ACTIONS (2.15PM - 2,45PM)

8. ANNUAL VIRTUAL HEADTEACHER'S REPORT 2024-2025 (2.45PM - 3.25PM) 9 - 59

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ANY OTHER OPEN BUSINESS AS NOTIFIED AT THE START OF THE MEETING AND ACCEPTED BY THE CHAIR AS URGENT.

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The following motion should be moved, seconded and approved if the sub-committee wishes to exclude the press and public to deal with reports revealing exempt information:

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