

**BRIGHTON & HOVE CITY COUNCIL**  
**CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE & SKILLS COMMITTEE**

**4.00pm 21 NOVEMBER 2016**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, HOVE TOWN HALL, NORTON ROAD, HOVE,  
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# **DECISION LIST**

## **Part One**

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### **90 SCHOOL MENTAL HEALTH PROJECT UPDATE**

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That the Committee -

(1) Noted the impact from the joint work on:

- Improving the emotional health and wellbeing of children and young people;
- Promoting early identification and providing effective interventions;
- Reducing the need for referrals to the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS).

(2) Approved the extension of the pilot offer to all secondary schools in the city by April 2017.

### **91 CHILDCARE SUFFICIENCY ASSESSMENT**

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That the Committee noted –

1. The Childcare Sufficiency Assessment
2. That work continues to prepare for the new entitlement to 30 hours free childcare for working parents of three and four year olds from September 2017 and noted the additional administration this will necessitate by the local authority.
3. That parents, and particularly those facing disadvantage including low income families, continue to be supported, in particular by the Family

- Information Service, to take up their current and future statutory entitlements in relation to childcare provision and paying for childcare.
4. That work continues to implement the new national funding formula for the early years free entitlement for two, three and four year olds which maximises the funding passed on to providers from the early years block of the Designated Schools Grant.
  5. That the CSA will be used to inform the development of an early years strategy for the city, to include access to high quality childcare, particularly for disadvantaged children.

**92 CHILDREN IN CARE - EDUCATION UPDATE**

- 1) The Committee noted the presentation.

**93 REDUCING THE DIFFERENCES IN PERFORMANCE FOR DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN BRIGHTON AND HOVE**

- 1) That the Committee note the report

**94 UPDATE ON LGA SAFEGUARDING PEER REVIEW**

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- 1) That the Committee noted the report.