

STOCKTON-ON-TEES BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS

PROFORMA

Cabinet Meeting25th February 2021

1. Title of Item/Report

Procedure for Admission of Pupils to Primary and Secondary Schools in September 2022

2. Record of the Decision

Cabinet approval was sought for the Local Authority's proposed admission arrangements for primary and secondary schools from September 2022.

In order to comply with legislation for admissions in 2022, the report included the full Co-ordinated Admission Arrangements, the Admission numbers for Primary and Secondary Schools for that year and the proposed Admission Policy for entry in September 2022.

RESOLVED that:-

1. Cabinet approve the proposed Co-ordinated Admissions Scheme for Primary, Secondary, Voluntary Aided (VA) schools, Academies and Free School (outlined in points 5-7 and Appendix 1 to the report).

2. Cabinet approve the proposed admission numbers for Primary and Secondary schools for September 2022 (outlined at point 8 and Appendix 2 to the report).

3. Cabinet approve the proposed Admission Policy for September 2022 (outlined at point 11 and Appendix 3 to the report).

3. Reasons for the Decision

Legislation requires the LA to publish information annually and to be available for parents when they apply for a place at primary and secondary school. The information has to comply with the published 2014 School Admissions Code. The LA must as the admission authority determine, (i.e. formally agree) its admission arrangements, even if it

hasn't changed from the previous year and a consultation has not been required. These arrangements therefore must be determined by 28 February 2021 for admission to Primary and Secondary schools in September 2022.

4. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

None

5. Declared (Cabinet Member) Conflicts of Interest

Councillors Cook, McCoy, Nelson and Smith each declared personal, non-prejudicial interests in respect of this item being appointed LA School Governing Body members.

6. Details of any Dispensations

None

7. Date and Time by which Call In must be executed

Midnight -Friday 5th March 2021

Proper Officer
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