

# **CABINET MEMBER DECISION**

## **Decision:**

PRIMARY AND SECONDARY FAIR ACCESS PROTOCOLS 2020/21

### **(i) Details of decision**

That the proposed Primary and Secondary Fair Access Protocols for 2020/21 as set out in annexes 1 to 4 of the submitted report be agreed.

### **(ii) Reasons for decision**

- The local authority is required to have a Protocol in place that all schools must participate in.
- The proposed Protocols meet the requirements of the 2014 Department for Education School Admissions Code.
- The Protocols will ensure that children who are out of school can be placed in school quickly.
- The Protocols will ensure that no school is expected to admit more than their fair share of children with challenging behaviour or children previously excluded from other schools.
- In light of the current Covid-19 Pandemic and the pressure this is placing on schools, no changes to the Protocols are proposed from 2019/20.

## **Decision taken by:**

(i) **Name:** Mrs Julie Iles

(ii) **Portfolio:** Cabinet Member for All-Age Learning

**Date of Decision:** 06 July 2020

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## Decision:

### APPROVAL OF MAINTAINED SCHOOLS' DEFICITS

#### (i) Details of decision

1. That the level of balances held by Surrey maintained schools be noted;
2. That the Dedicated Schools Grant be noted;
3. That licensed deficits be approved for two schools as set below:

Cabinet Member approval is required where schools seek a licensed deficit in excess of 5% of the school's budget share. One school, Wey House School, had a deficit in excess of 5% at 31 March 2020. One other schools, Guildford Nursery School, is expecting a deficit of over 5% at 31 March 2021.

#### **Wey House School**

	% of annual budget*	£
Deficit as at 31 March 2020	16%	280,438
Projected Deficit as at 31 March 2021	10%	160,438

*\* Note: A school's annual budget can vary from year to year, particularly if temporary supplements are provided.*

#### (ii) Reasons for decision

Approval of a licensed deficit will set the parameters within which these two schools' finances can be monitored.

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