

**CHILDREN AND FAMILIES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE  
DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME 2024/2025**

**SCOPE OF THE COMMITTEE**

- The interests of young people, including education, care and protection and family support

**WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025 AT 10.00AM**

<b>ITEM</b>	<b>DRAFT OUTLINE/COMMENT</b>	<b>METHOD</b>	<b>LEAD</b>
Care Experience as a Protected Characteristic Task and Finish Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update on the Task and Finish Group meetings</li> <li>• Key findings</li> <li>• Recommendations to Full Council in February 2025</li> </ul>	Report and Presentation	Mel Hutchinson, Assistant Director Children and Families

**MID CYCLE BRIEFING – FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2024 AT 2.00PM**

Draft Work Programme 2024/25	Consideration of work programme and agenda items for Committee meeting on 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2025
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**COMMITTEE MEETING - WEDNESDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2025 AT 10.00AM**

Director of Public Health Annual Report	Director of Public Health to share the main outcomes and conclusions from the recommendations in the Annual Report 2023/2024.	Report and Presentation	Louise Wallace, Corporate Director
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Schools Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The current picture, in terms of figures for all North Yorkshire Schools and Academies, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Performance and standards</li> <li>- Funding</li> <li>- Strategic planning</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Financial position</li> </ul>	Report and Presentation	Amanda Newbold, Assistant Director Inclusion
Criminal exploitation	An update on those areas where criminals seek to exploit children and young people. For example, County Lines.	Report	Mel Hutchinson, Assistant Director Children and Families
North Yorkshire SACRE Annual Report 2023/2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Examination results in Religious Education.</li> <li>• How SACRE has engaged with Schools</li> <li>• Progress against its Development Plan</li> </ul>	Report	Amanda Newbold, Assistant Director Inclusion

#### ITEMS FOR MID CYCLE BRIEFING

DATE	POTENTIAL ITEM
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2025 at 2.00pm (in respect of the Committee meeting on 19 <sup>th</sup> March)	Draft work programme for 2025/2026