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The Children and Young People's Service

Report to Haringey Schools Forum: 6th July 2023

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Report Title: Schools Forum Membership and Terms of Reference

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Purpose: To review the membership and Terms of Reference of the Forum

Recommendations:

1. Agree the allocation of Schools Forum places based on the proportion of pupil places in schools at the January 2023 Census (dependent on any change subject to decision in Agenda item 5)
2. Adopt the existing Terms of Reference for the 2023/24 academic year, subject to the minor revision re. Governor Services replacing previous Haringey Governors' Association

Report

1. Membership

1.1 At the October 2022 Schools Forum Meeting, the Forum's membership was agreed upon until July 2023. The pupil numbers across Haringey from the January 2022 census were used to agree revision to Forum membership for 2022/23.

1.2 There is still a requirement for the annual review of the number of pupils to ensure that School Forum membership is proportionately representative of pupil numbers, encompassing maintained and academy across Special, Alternative Provision, Nursery, Primary and Secondary schools, based on the total number of pupils registered as on roll.

1.3 The January 2023 census data has been used to inform this report. There has been a small reduction of pupils on roll overall since the January 2022 census data, with some changes in pupil populations. Whilst there has been a reduction in the number of children on roll in Alternative Provision, there is also significant outreach work completed, which is not reflected in this figure.

This report recommends retaining the number and proportion of School Forum places as per 2022/23.

1.4 Table A, below, sets out the number and proportion of pupils' attendance across the school settings and phases.

A general summary of the January 2023 census data shows:

- a total of 38,320 pupils were on roll in Haringey schools (38,365 Jan 2022)
- 8,299 pupils on roll at Secondary Academy schools (8,211 Jan 2022)
- 6,661 pupils on roll at Maintained Secondary schools (6,664 Jan 2022)
- 3,311 pupils on roll at Primary Academy schools (3,291 Jan 2022)
- 17,591 pupils on roll at Primary Maintained schools (17,814 Jan 2022)

Table A

Membership category	No of pupils	Places on Schools Forum
School Members		
Special Maintained	581 (413 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 2% 1 x Headteacher place 1 x Governor place
Special Academy	122 (109 Jan 2022)	

Nursery	459 (461 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 1% 1 x Headteacher place 1 x Governor place
Primary Maintained	17,591 (17,814 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 46% 7 x Headteacher places 7 x Governor places
Primary Academy (Incl. Harris Tottenham all though Primary places)	3311 (3,291 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 9% 1 x Headteacher place 1 x Governor place
Secondary Maintained	6661 (6,664 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 17% 2 x Headteacher places 2 x Governor places
Secondary Academy (Incl. Harris Tottenham all through Secondary places)	8299 (8,211 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 22% 3 x Headteacher places 3 x Governor places
Alternative provision	105 (207 Jan 2022)	Percentage allocation 0.3% 1 x Executive Headteacher place 1 x Management Committee place
Total school places	38,320	32
Non School Members		
Non-Executive Councillor	N/A	1 x Place
Trade Union Representative	N/A	1 x Place
Professional Association Representative	N/A	1 x Place
Faith Schools	N/A	1 x Place
14-19 Partnership	N/A	1 x Place
Early Years Providers	N/A	1 x Place
Total Non-School member places		6
School members and non-school members combined total		38

2. Terms of Reference / Future of Schools Forum

- 2.1 The current terms of reference for Schools Forum can be found in Appendix A. There are no changes presented to Forum membership (See 1.3), however possible change subject to the decision in Agenda item 5.

The nominating organisation for all governors is updated. This was previously listed as the Haringey Governor's Association for Governors representing maintained settings, and Association of Haringey Governors for Governors representing academies. **The recommendation is that the nominating organisation for all governors is amended to Governor Services.**