

Corporate Parenting Board

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Virtual School Annual Report 2021 - 22

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Brief Summary:

This report provides a detailed analysis and evaluation of the activity of the Virtual School in the academic year 2021 – 22. The report is provided as a separate document.

Recommendation:

For Corporate Parenting Board to recognise and support the activity of the Virtual School.

Reason for Recommendation:

The annual report from the Virtual School is provided to the Virtual School Governing Body and Corporate Parenting Board each year to highlight strengths, outcomes and areas for further development in the coming year. The Virtual School is thankful to councillors for their support and in particular to those on the governing body, who participate in regular monitoring activity.

1. **Financial Implications**

- 1.1 The Virtual School receives DfE funding each year to support children in care, those previously in care, and those with a social worker as per DfE guidance.

2. **Environmental Implications**

Not applicable

3. **Well-being and Health Implications**

- 3.1 Children's wellbeing is paramount to the work of the Virtual School and is evidenced throughout the report.

4. **Other Implications**

5. **Risk Assessment**

- 5.1 HAVING CONSIDERED: the risks associated with this decision; the level of risk has been identified as:

Current Risk: Low

Residual Risk: Low

6. **Equalities Impact Assessment**

7. **Appendices**

- 7.1 Appendix 1: DVS Annual Report 2021 - 2022

8. **Background Papers**