

Appendix 2 - CSF Scrutiny Committee Action Tracker 2023-24

No.	Meeting date	Item	Action	Action by	Status
1 – 23/24	11 July 2023	Item 9 - Cabinet Member for Young People & Culture	To provide a written response to the Committee setting out how the Council is responding to youth smoking and vaping concerns	Kirsten Watters, Director of Health & Well-being	Completed
2 -23/24	11 July 2023	Item 11 - Corporate Performance Report Quarter 4/End Of Year 2022-23	To provide a written response to the Committee setting out the Rebuilding Bridges project.	Vikram Hansrani, Director of Education Commissioning and Inclusion	Completed
3 – 23/24	11 July 2023	Item 11 - Corporate Performance Report Quarter 4/End Of Year 2022-23	To provide a written response to the Committee explaining the trends and reasons for exclusion in secondary schools	Stephen Hall. Chief Executive of Camden Learning	Completed
4 – 23/24	11 July 2023	Item 11 - Corporate Performance Report Quarter 4/End Of Year 2022-23	To provide a written response to the Committee detailing further information and the number of children living in temporary accommodation in Camden	Glendine Shepherd, Director of Housing	Completed
5 – 23/24	7 September 2023	Item 10 - Camden Local Area Send Strategy Update	Officers agreed to share statistics on the patterns on Camden SEND provision with the Committee	Vikram Hansrani, Director of Education Commissioning and Inclusion	Completed
6 – 23/24	9 November 2023	Item 8, Cabinet Member for Best Start for Children	To set out what Camden Learning is doing support schools who were underachieving.	Stephen Hall, Chief Executive	Completed

		and Families Annual Report		Officer, Camden Learning	
7 – 23/24	9 November 2023	Item 8, Cabinet Member for Best Start for Children and Families Annual Report	To provide statistics and trends on how Camden compared to other London boroughs on the number of family contacts who are referred to Early Help Family Support.	Rashida Baig, Director of Children’s Prevention, Safeguarding and Family Help	Completed
8 – 23/24	9 November 2023	Item 9, Update of the Cabinet Member for Young People & Culture	To provide further information on why the keeping young people safe risk on the Principal Risk Report 2023, considered by the Audit and Corporate Governance Committee on 8 November 2023, had been de-escalated from principal risk status.	Tim Aldridge, Executive Director, Children and Learning	Completed
9 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 7 - Camden Safeguarding Children Partnership – Annual Report 2022-23	To provide further information on the proportion of Early Help referrals which fall under Early Years and whether there is a similar trend of increase and/or disproportionality as seen in Youth Early Help referrals (<i>section 7 of the report</i>).	Rashida Baig, Director of Children’s Prevention, Family Help and Safeguarding	
10 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 7 - Camden Safeguarding Children Partnership – Annual Report 2022-23	To provide further information on Camden’s systems in supporting vulnerable children in elective home education and if there was any learning from external good practice.	Vikram Hansrani, Director of Education Commissioning and Inclusion	Completed
11 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 8 - Annual Report of The Cabinet Member for Young People & Culture: December 2023	To circulate the Council’s annual health report ‘Step into Our Shoes’ on adolescent health.	Kirsten Watters, Director of Public Health	Completed

12 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 8 - Annual Report of The Cabinet Member for Young People & Culture: December 2023	To provide case studies on Youth Early Help family casework interventions.	Rashida Baig, Director of Children's Prevention, Family Help and Safeguarding	Completed
13 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 8 - Annual Report of The Cabinet Member for Young People & Culture: December 2023	To provide case studies, statistics and information on the nature of the cases the Youth Justice Service Prevent Teams receive.	Rashida Baig, Director of Children's Prevention, Family Help and Safeguarding	Completed
14 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 9 - Update of the Cabinet Member For Best Start for Children and Families	To provide information on what was learnt at the Inclusion Forum on 28 November 2023, which explored High Needs Funding models that facilitate timely interventions for children with exceptional special educational needs, and how good models discussed at the Forum can be brought to Camden.	Vikram Hansrani, Director of Education Commissioning and Inclusion	Completed
15 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 9 - Update of the Cabinet Member For Best Start for Children and Families	To provide information on what Camden was doing to regulate the sale of vapes and alcohol to prevent children from acquiring them.	Jamie Akinola, Director of Public Safety	Completed
16 – 23/24	19 December 2023	Item 10 - Camden Youth Justice Plan 2023-25	To provide clarification on the statistics within the Camden Youth Justice Service Plan 2022/23, Education section, Statutory School age: Up to age 16 cohort June 2023 section (page 150 of the CSF agenda) on the following points: a) What are the five out of 17 children of statutory school age doing who were not being offered the mandatory 25 hours? b) Why are some children taking up less than the 25 hours?	Rashida Baig, Director of Children's Prevention, Family Help and Safeguarding	Completed

			<p>c) What kind of provision is being offered to those children with an EHCP?</p> <p>d) What is the category of 10 children, of which three have EHCPs?</p>		
17 – 23/24	18 January 2024	Item 7 – Young Inspector’s report 2023	Officers confirmed they would provide the Committee with further analysis of the demographics and diversity of looked after children compared to the general population of Camden.	Rashida Baig, Director of Children’s Prevention, Family Help and Safeguarding	