QUESTION NO 13

By Councillor Young for answer by the Convener of the Education, Children and Families Committee at a meeting of the Council on 30 June 2020

Recognising the unprecedented situation faced by teachers to provide remote teaching, there has however, been an wide ranging provision across the city in terms of the approach to online face to face group or individual teaching and support (video enabled or one-way only). This has been an area of significant concern to many families.

Question

(1) What guidance was given to schools on the use of virtual meetings with pupils?

Answer

(1)

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(2) Why was a consistent approach not taken across the city that, while recognising the importance of pupil safety, understood the importance of interaction and face to face engagement?

Answer

(2)

Question

(3) What is the official position/guidance as we move to blended schooling, for virtual classes or 121 contact with teachers and with wellbeing support staff, to ensure that children across the city have the same opportunities?

Answer

(3)