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		<a href="#"><u>Strategic Overview of Early Years Childcare Provision</u></a>	<p>Childcare Provision report coming to the December Committee meeting a focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a more comprehensive option for families utilising the Play Scheme that includes more than two half days throughout the holiday;</li> <li>• a focus on specific considerations and implications for families with children attending special schools.</li> </ul>	Education and Children's Services	December 2021		<b>December 2021</b> Update reported to Committee at its meeting on 7 December 2021.
15A	12-10-21	<a href="#"><u>Review Cuts to English as an Additional Language for Dalry Primary School</u></a>	1) To note the ongoing work to develop a sustainable, equitable and capacity building approach to provision for English as an Additional Language to learners across all schools.	Executive Director of Education and Children's Services	March 2022		<b>Recommended for closure</b>



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			<p>2) To note the ongoing work to support Dalry Primary School to adjust and engage with this approach.</p> <p>3) To note progress with the next steps previously agreed by Committee on 18 May 2021.</p> <p>4) To submit an update report in December 2021 on the recommendations and actions detailed in the Integrated Impact Assessment and the review of the criteria for allocating distribution of EAL Teacher support to all primary schools.</p>				
15B	01-03-2022	<a href="#"><u>Report Regarding Petition –</u></a>	1) To agree that an update is presented in October 2022 to report on the overall evaluation of the	Executive Director of Education	November 2022		

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		<a href="#"><u>Review Cuts to English as an Additional Language Provision for Dalry Primary School</u></a>	<p>implementation of Phases 1 and 2 of the Language and Literacy Collaboration at Dalry Primary School</p> <p>2) To agree that an update is presented in December 2022 to report on the recommendations and actions detailed in the Integrated Impact Assessment.</p>	and Children's Services			
16	07-12-21	<b>Motion by Councillor Mary Campbell – Support for Teachers and School Staff</b>	<p>“Committee recognises the extreme pressures on school staff caused by the pandemic, particularly in relation to staff absence, and the mental health impacts of the pandemic on staff and pupils.</p> <p>Committee feels the resumption of school inspections is not appropriate when schools are under such pressure and agrees to write to the Cabinet Secretary for</p>	Executive Director of Education and Children's Services	March 2022		<b>Recommended for Closure</b>

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			<p>Education and Skills sharing the concerns of committee and of EiS, and to request consideration of delaying inspection visits for this academic year.</p> <p>Committee also understands that the pressures of the pandemic has shown the need for the Council to do more to support our Pupil Support Assistants. Committee requests a report to come to Education, Children and Families in one cycle, to analyse what could be done in terms of recruitment, training, pay and career structures.</p> <p>Committee expresses thanks to all school staff working so hard in these difficult times and acknowledges the difficulties they are facing. Committee</p>				

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			requests that Council officers look to see if any part of the workload of schools can be reduced without impacting learning and teaching.”				
17	07-12-21	<b>Motion by Councillor Perry – Support for Teachers and School Staff</b>	<p>“Committee acknowledges the challenges outlined in the EIS email that was sent to committee members recently. We recognise this as one of the toughest times in educational history for our teachers and school staff due to pandemic related issues.</p> <p>Committee expresses its deep gratitude for the sheer workload that all school staff have undertaken to keep our schools open and to ensure that there is no further educational impact</p>	Executive Director of Education and Children’s Services	March 2022		

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			<p>on our children and young people.</p> <p>Consequently, Committee agrees:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To write to the Scottish Government and Education Scotland and ask them to suspend school inspections during such challenging times.</li> <li>2. To ask officials to report back early in the new year on the work being undertaken to improve Pupil Support Assistants' terms and conditions.</li> <li>3. To communicate to parents the challenges facing schools in this</li> </ol>				

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			<p>recovery phase and the efforts teachers and school staff are making to keep schools open.”</p> <p>To note that the Convener and Vice-Convener intended to write to teachers and school staff on behalf of the Committee to thank them for their continuing commitment and efforts throughout the pandemic.</p>				
18	01-03-2022	<b>Motion by Councillor Laidlaw – Preparation of School Meals</b>	<p>“Committee notes that across the school estate there is a split between schools that produce their meals in on-site production kitchens and those with ‘dining centres’ that rely on re-heating facilities for meals produced in other schools.</p> <p>Recognises that despite the best-efforts of catering staff,</p>		September 2022		

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			<p>food served in dining centres can fall short of the quality standards of that produced on-site and that this is exacerbated by longer journeys.</p> <p>Acknowledges that the ambition would be to have production facilities in all schools but that current resources do not allow for that ambition to be fulfilled in the short-term.</p> <p>Notes that Scottish Government has committed to offering free school meals to all children in primaries one to five from January 2022 and recognises the additional pressure this puts on kitchens and dining centres.</p> <p>Supports officers in their efforts to secure additional Scottish Government</p>				

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			<p>funding to help grow the number of production kitchens.</p> <p>Asks officers to review the current relationships between Production Kitchens and Dining Centres with the aim to reduce the journey times and prepare food as close to the destination as possible, and to look to optimise menus for food items that both 'travel' well and appeal to young diners.</p> <p>In addition, to include in the report back, information on those schools where decisions had been taken to remove production kitchen facilities and any resulting impacts.</p>				
19	01-03-2022	<b>Motion by Councillor Laidlaw –</b>	Committee notes the concerns that have been raised by pupils, parents	Executive Director of Education	March 2022	March 2022	<b>Recommended for Closure</b>



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		<b>Scottish Government Health and Wellbeing Census</b>	<p>and educationalists with regard to the Health and Wellbeing Census that is being asked of school pupils across Scotland and the decision of a number of local authorities to halt its rollout.</p> <p>Recognises that following debate, Council agreed to its implementation in CEC schools.</p> <p>Understands members' desire for further detail on the background and implementation of the well-being census in Edinburgh.</p> <p>Asks for a briefing note to be circulated to all members by Friday 4 March 2022 detailing the roll-out in Edinburgh, to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Questions being asked of pupils in each year group</li> </ul>	and Children's Services			

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of pupils included (per schools and year group)</li> <li>• Number of opt-outs (per school and year group)</li> <li>• Number of completed questionnaires received</li> <li>• Number of ‘cause for concern’ responses logged by CEC”</li> </ul> <p>To agree that the list of Scottish Government census questions is published on the Council’s website by the end of this week (4 March 2022) and that this action is communicated to Head Teachers and Parent Councils; further, that each Head Teacher be requested to inform their specific school parent body if they plan to deviate from the core</p>				

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			Scottish Government census questions.”				
20	01-03-2022	<a href="#">Energy in Schools – Annual Report</a>	To circulate a briefing note on demand reduction.	Executive Director of Place			<b>Recommended for closure</b>
21	01-03-2022	<a href="#">School Sports and Extracurricular Activities: Progress Report</a>	<p>1) To circulate a briefing note previously provided to Committee Members to the wider parent council body for information, if appropriate.</p> <p>2) To circulate a briefing note on the re-introduction of sports academies to Committee Members and the wider parent council body, if appropriate.</p>	Executive Director of Education and Children’s Services			<b>Recommended for closure</b>
22	01-03-2022	<a href="#">Business Bulletin – Supporting</a>	To note that a detailed report on supporting Teach the Future would be submitted to the next	Executive Director of Education and			<b><u>September 2022</u></b> The Edinburgh Learns Sustainability

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		<a href="#"><u>Teach for the Future</u></a>	meeting of the Committee on 21 June 2022.	Children's Services			Group have prepared an annual report and plan which will be circulated to the Education, Children and Families Committee Members. This will clearly detail the actions underway to ensure schools in Edinburgh meet the objectives to be net zero, as per the council business plan
23	03-05-2022	<b>Edinburgh Secure Services – Update Report</b>	The committee agrees that as far as possible all debates and scrutiny of council decisions should be held in public. However, it also recognises that confidentiality is appropriate for specific items, and	Executive Director of Education and Children's Services			

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			<p>should be considered on a 'B' agenda.</p> <p>In relation to the report for this meeting, officers have advised that this report should be considered on a 'B' agenda as there may be legal consequences if debated in public</p> <p>The committee requests that officers redraft the report to clearly identify all items which can be considered on an 'A' agenda and those which must remain on the 'B', in order that as much as possible can debated in public. It is too late to complete this properly during the meeting, and should be reviewed and confirmed with the council's legal team. This should also be done with the report on this matter that was received by GRBV and Full</p>				

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			<p>Council. These revised reports should be referred to a special meeting of Education, Children and Families Committee as soon as possible following the election.</p> <p>The committee also agrees that we should proceed as a 'B' agenda for this meeting to consider the information contained within the report as requested in the Conservative motion.</p>				
24	30-06-2022 (Council)	<b>Motion by Councillor Gardiner – Currie Community High School</b>	<p>Council asks for a report to the Education, Children and Families Committee, providing an update on the construction of Currie Community High School, in the context of construction price inflation due to labour and supply chain issues related to Brexit and the pandemic and with the</p>	Executive Director of Education and Children's Services	Being referred to EC&F from F&R on the 8 September.		<p><b>Recommended for closure</b></p> <p>On the agenda for September 2022</p>

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			<p>following principles addressed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The new school achieves Passivhaus standard as this will reduce ongoing energy costs for the new facility and contribute towards Edinburgh's carbon reduction.</li> <li>2) There will be no reduction in the educational and community facilities to be incorporated into the new school, including swimming pool."</li> <li>3) Any delay in completion of construction will not impact the quality of education, facilities and development of teaching materials for those pupils currently attending CCHS</li> </ol>				
25	25.08.2022 (Council)	<a href="#"><u>Appointment of Religious</u></a>	To request an update in the Business Bulletin of the next	Executive Director of	November 2022		

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		<a href="#"><u>Representatives to the Education, Children and Families Committee</u></a>	<p>Education, Children and Families Committee on: Appointment of a second parent members to the committee to facilitate representation from both primary and secondary school parents.</p> <p>Progress with establishing a children and young people's liaison group as agreed by committee in March 2022.</p>	Education and Children's Services			