

Decision Schedule

Leader of the Council

TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

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The Chair of Cabinet Member took the following decision on 8 April 2020. This decision will take effect immediately under the urgent decision-making procedures because the Admission Arrangements need to be determined before 15 April and, therefore, this decision cannot await the “call-in” period.

Leader 03/20

School Admission Arrangements 2021/22

Options Considered/Reasons for Decision

The report considered the responses received during the recent consultation exercise and determined the Council’s school admission arrangements for the academic year commencing September 2021

In accordance with Welsh Government’s statutory School Admissions Code, the Council was required to undertake an annual consultation on admission arrangements in the school year beginning two years before the school year in which the arrangements would apply.

Accordingly, a consultation was launched on 8 January 2020 and concluded on 28 February 2020 in relation to the proposed admission arrangements for September 2021 onwards. A consultation report was drafted which described the consultation process and feedback received.

The decision report referenced the content of Appendix 1 accompanying the report and recommended that the admission arrangements be determined as outlined in the consultation document. In accordance with the statutory code, these arrangements were to be determined by 15 April 2020.

Decision

To determine and set the Council’s school admission arrangements for September 2021 as outlined in the recent consultation with stakeholders.

Consultation

Monitoring Officer, Head of Finance, Head of People and Business Change

Implemented by: Chief Education Officer

Implementation Timetable: Immediate

LEADER OF THE COUNCIL, COUNCILLOR J MUDD

8 April 2020
