

Various Inspection Reports Submitted to Cabinet

Report by Kevin Anderson, Acting Director, Resources

1 Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to bring to the Committee's attention the various Inspection reports considered by Cabinet on 21 May 2019.

2 Background

The following reports were considered by Cabinet on 21 May 2019 and in each case the recommendations as detailed below were agreed.

(i) Inspection of Bonnyrigg Primary School - Report by Acting Head of Education

- *Note the content of the inspection report*
- *Congratulate the staff, pupils and parents on the positive outcome of this inspection*
- *Note the key strengths outlined in the report*
- *Note the areas for improvement outlined in the report*
- *Note that Education Scotland will not return to the school with regard to this particular inspection*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration.*

(ii) Inspection of Gorebridge Primary School and Nursery Class - Report by Acting Head of Education;

- *Note the content of the inspection report*
- *Congratulate the staff, pupils and parents on the positive outcome of this inspection*
- *Note the key strengths outlined in the report*
- *Note the areas for improvement which will be supported by Schools Group Managers and the Early Years team to improve*
- *Note the requirements and recommendations for the Care Inspectorate*
- *Note that Education Scotland will not return to the school with regard to this particular inspection*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration.*

(iii) Inspection of St David's High School - Report by Acting Head of Education

- *Note the content of the inspection report*
- *Congratulate the staff, pupils and parents on the very positive outcome of this inspection*
- *Note the key strengths outlined in the report*
- *Note the areas for improvement outlined in the report*
- *Note that Education Scotland will not return to the school with regard to this particular inspection*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration.*

(iv) Further Inspection (Record of Visit ROV) of St Luke's Primary School – Report by Acting Head of Education

- *Note the content of the inspection report*
- *Congratulate the staff, pupils and parents on the very positive outcome of this further Education Scotland visit*
- *Note the key strengths and progress outlined in the report*
- *Note the areas for improvement outlined in the report*
- *Note that Education Scotland will not return to the school with regard to this particular inspection*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration.*

(v) Inspection of Midlothian Council Adoption Service - Report by Head of Children's Services

- *Note the content of the inspection report;*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration;*

(vi) Inspection of Midlothian Council Fostering Service - Report by Head of Children's Services

- *Note the content of the inspection report;*
- *Pass this report to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for its consideration;*

(vii) Inspection of Midlothian Council Highbank Intermediate Care Services - Report by Primary Care and Older People Services

- *Note the content of the report and progress made and forward to PRS for information.*
- *Note that many Care Home standards are not fit for purpose for a fast flowing Intermediate care unit.*
- *Note that the service already had plans underway to address issues relating to care documentation*
- *Note that improvements in environment are limited by the facility no longer being fit for purpose, and that MLC have prioritised a re-provision within the Capital plan.*

(viii) Inspection of Midlothian Council Newbyres Village Care Home - Report by Joint Director, Health and Social Care

- *Note the content of the report and progress made and forward to the Performance, Review and Scrutiny Committee for information.*

3 Report Implications

These are as outlined in each of the reports.

4 Recommendation

The Committee is invited to consider the content of each of these inspection reports.

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