

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date: Thursday, 19 November 2009

Time: **4.45 p.m.**

Venue:

4.45 p.m.

Committee Room, City Hall

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Councillors:

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1. Apologies

2. Declarations of Interest

(Please note that it is the responsibility of individual members to declare an interest prior to an item if they arrive late for the meeting)

3. Academy Schools in Norwich

With regard to the Council's responsibilities under 'every child matters' the scrutiny committee of Norwich City Council is looking into the affect the implementation of academy schools is having on the City and the communities the schools serve.

Although the Council is not a statutory provider of education or social care services, the services that it provides along with education have an affect on a range of issues including well-being, health, crime, children in need, positive opportunities for young people and housing.

The Committee is asked to: -

(a) review the experiences of transition to the City Academy at Earlham and the impact on students, staff, other schools and the community

(The Headteacher and Principal Sponsors of the City Academy, Earlham, have been invited to attend at 4.45pm for this part of the meeting)

(b) review the performance of the Open Academy at Heartsease after its initial year of operation

(The Headteacher and Principal Sponsors of the Open Academy, Heartsease, have been invited to attend at 6.00pm for this part of the meeting)

4. Exclusion of the Public

Consideration of exclusion of the public

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