

To: Scrutiny Committee

Date: 19 January 2015

Report of: Executive Director for Community Services

Title of Report: Educational Attainment

Summary

Purpose of report: For the Scrutiny Committee to review progress of the City Council's investment in educational attainment at primary level.

Key decision No

Executive lead member: Councillor Pat Kennedy

Report author: Tim Sadler

Policy Framework: Corporate Plan

1. Included in this briefing paper is a report by KRM which provides their evaluation of the KRM programme in Oxford Schools.
2. The report also provides a critique of the previous report that the Scrutiny committee received as an interim report on the programme.
3. The views and comments in the report are those of KRM and are not the City Council.
4. Indeed, the City Council's Educational Advisors contests some of those comments.
5. However, the main body of the report sets out the latest and complete data on the impact of the programme and it is suggested that this be the focus of the Scrutiny Committee in examining the effectiveness of the programme.

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