

SECTION 251 OUTTURN STATEMENT 2015/16

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1. Purpose

- 1.1. To inform the Schools Forum of the Outturn Statement provided to the Department for Education (DfE) under Section 251 of the Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That the Schools Forum notes the statements.

3. Issues

Background

- 3.1 The outturn statement summarises all of the education and children and young people's services expenditure for the period of 1st April 2015 to 31st March 2016. The statements are used by the Department for Education for the publication of statistics, for constructing benchmarking tables for local authorities, and for answering Parliamentary Questions and other requests for data.
- 3.2 The format of the outturn statements are different to the S251 budget statement that was reported to the Schools Forum in June – there are no early years or high needs places information included in this return – these are only used for budgeting purposes.

Statement Annexes

- 3.3 Attached as annexes to this report are the main S251 Tables for 2015/16. These are listed below. The full statements for each year can be found on the schools website at www.milton-keynes.gov.uk.
 - Annex 1 - LA Level Information Table (DSG and Other Education Expenditure)
 - Annex 2 - Children & Young People Services Expenditure Table