

# GATESHEAD SCHOOLS FORUM AGENDA

Thursday, 14 March 2024 at 2.00 pm via Teams

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From the Chief Executive, Sheena Ramsey

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Item	Business
1	<b>Apologies</b>
2	<b>Minutes</b> (Pages 3 - 6)  The Forum is asked to approve as a correct record the minutes of the last meeting held on 15 <sup>th</sup> February 2024.
3	<b>Early Years Funding - Under 2's Consultation Response</b> (Pages 7 - 10)  Carole Smith, Resources and Digital
4	<b>Special Schools Funding</b> (Pages 11 - 14)  Carole Smith, Resources and Digital
5	<b>Quarter 3 DSG Monitoring</b> (Pages 15 - 16)  Terence Appleby, Resources and Digital
6	<b>Mainstream Top Ups 2024/25</b> (Pages 17 - 20)  Carole Smith, Resources and Digital
7	<b>High Needs Commissioned Places 2024/25</b> (Pages 21 - 24)  Carole Smith, Resources and Digital
8	<b>Mainstream Maintained Schools in Financial Difficulty</b> (Pages 25 - 26)  Carole Smith, Resources and Digital
9	<b>2024 - 25 Committee Dates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Thursday 19<sup>TH</sup> September at 2pm via Teams</li><li>• Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm via Teams</li><li>• Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 2pm via Teams</li><li>• Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January at 2pm via Teams</li><li>• Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February at 2pm via Teams</li><li>• Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm via Teams</li></ul>

- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May at 2pm via Teams
- Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm via Teams

**10 Date and Time of Next Meeting**

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at 2pm via Teams.