

LANCASHIRE SCHOOLS FORUM
Date of meeting: 13 January 2022

Item No 13

Title: Forum Correspondence

Executive Summary

This report provides an update on Forum related correspondence since the last meeting.

Recommendations

The Forum is asked to:

- a) Note the report;
- b) Express any views on the correspondence received.

Background

This report provides an update on Forum related correspondence received since the last meeting.

a) Correspondence to a Lancashire Special School

Correspondence from the Chair of Governors at a Lancashire special school, addressed to Edwina Grant OBE, Executive Director of Education & Children's Services, was received on 3 December 2021, and asked that the letter be forwarded to the Chair of the Schools Forum for consideration. The letter related to the implementation of a 'damage policy' in connection to 'children looked after' that attend the school.

Following discussions with the Chair and officers, it has been judged that decision about the application of the policy is a matter for the county council, as corporate parent and the correspondence has been forwarded on to relevant officers to consider a response.

The Forum is asked to note this correspondence and express any views.