

**Lancashire Schools Forum – High Needs Block Working Group**

**Tuesday, 4 March 2025, 10.00 am in the Ribble Suite, The Exchange, County Hall, Preston**

**Agenda**

**No. Item**

- 1. Attendance and Apologies for Absence**  
To note any apologies for absence
- 2. Minutes of the Last Meeting**  
To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 28 November 2024 as a correct record.
- 3. Matters Arising**  
To consider any matters arising from the minutes of the meeting held on 28 November 2024 that are not covered elsewhere on the agenda.
- 4. Schools Forum membership (Attached)**  
To note the report.
- 5. High Needs Block Monitoring 2024/25 (Attached)**  
To note the report.
- 6. High Needs Block Budget 2025/26 (Attached)**  
To note the report and updated presentation on HNB NFF for 25/26
- 7. 2026/27 Schools Block Transfer to the High Needs Block (Attached)**  
To note the report and express any views.
- 8. Alternative Provision (Attached)**  
To note the report and express any views. Sapphire to present
- 9. Any Other Business**
- 10. Date of Next Meeting**  
The next scheduled meeting of the High Needs Block Working Group is arranged for 10.00 am 10 June 2025. Meeting arrangements to be confirmed in due course.

