

**Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026, 10.00 am in the Savoy Suite, The Exchange, County Hall, Preston**

## **Agenda**

**1. Attendance and Apologies for Absence**

To be recorded in accordance with the agreed membership of the Forum.

**2. Substitute Members**

To welcome any substitute Members.

**3. Minutes of the Last Meeting (Attached)**

To agree on the minutes of the last meeting held on 9 January 2026.

**4. Matters Arising**

To consider any matters arising from the minutes of the meeting held on 9 January 2026 that are not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

**5. Forum Membership (Attached)**

To note the forum membership report.

**6. Update from CC Salter**

To note the verbal update.

**7. Banding Document (Attached)**

To note the presentation from Amber Burton

**8. DSG Management Plan**

To note the presentation from Charlottle Humble, Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy, CIPFA.

**9. Recommendations from the High Needs Block Working Group (Attached)**

To consider the recommendations from the High Needs Block Working Group from 3 March 2026.

**10. Recommendations from the Early Years Block Working Group (Attached)**

To consider the recommendations from the Early Years Block Working Group from 5 March 2026.

**11. Recommendations from the Schools Block Working Group (Attached)**

To consider the recommendations from the Schools Block Working Group from 10 March 2026.

**12. Any Other Business**



### **13. Date of Future Meetings (Attached)**

To note that the next scheduled Forum meeting will be held at 10.00 am on Friday 3 July 2026. Arrangements for the meeting will be confirmed in due course.

Schools Forum are asked to note the dates for the 2026/27 meetings.

