Joint Report of Strategic Director, People Group and the Strategic Director, Resources Group

16-19 Funding Formula Review Consultation

Recommendation

The Schools Forum is recommended to:

 Note the attached 16-19 Funding Formula Review Consultation and add any comments for inclusion

1.0 Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to draw the Schools Forum attention to the current 16-19 Funding Formula Review Consultation and to offer the Forum the opportunity to add any comments before the submission to the Department for Education.

2.0 Response

- 2.1 The draft response is attached as an appendix and has been developed further to group discussions of the Secondary Phase Team.
- 2.2 The consultation relates to all 16-19 providers including schools with 6th forms. The funding is not the Dedicated Schools Grant but is separate funding stream provided by the Young Persons Learning Agency.
- 2.3 The core themes of the consultation relate to how to fund disadvantaged learners, full time and part time funding mechanisms, whether to include previous success and area costing adjustments as part of the methodology and when any changes should be implemented.
- 2.4 Should any Schools Forum representatives want to add comments to the consultation, please pass these to Sara Haslam by Friday December 16th.

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