

**HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
SCHOOLS FORUM**

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**Agenda Item  
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**EARLY YEARS FUNDING CONSULTATION**

*Report of the Director of Children's Services*

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**1. Purpose**

- 1.1 To update the Forum on the DfE consultation on changes to early years funding, including the introduction of a national funding formula for the early years block of DSG.

**2. Summary**

- 2.1 Annex A to this paper provides a briefing on the DfE proposals for reform of early years funding.

**3. Recommendations**

- 3.1 The Forum is asked to note the information provided in this paper.