

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Executive Member for Education
<b>Date:</b>	22 January 2014
<b>Title:</b>	Educational Attainment in Hampshire, 2013: Results and Priorities
<b>Reference:</b>	5390
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Children's Services

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#### 1. The decision:

- a) That the Executive Member for Education notes the assessment, test and examination results for 2013
- b) That the Executive Member for Education endorses the priorities for improving the educational outcomes for all children and closing the gap for the most vulnerable as listed in paragraph 12.1 of the report.
- c) That the Executive Member for Education supports the distribution of this paper to schools, colleges and settings in Hampshire in order to alert them to the summary outcomes from 2013 tests and examinations and the future priorities which arise from them.

#### 2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1. It is important that children and young people achieve good results in public examinations since these ensure that they have reached a standard which allows them to access the next stage in their education and provide a foundation for employment and higher education.
- 2.2. The report sets out, in detail, information concerning school and student performance at all three statutory educational phases and seeks to provide the necessary information for the Executive Lead Member to consider how these may be judged against Children's Services priorities for all children, including the most vulnerable.
- 2.3. It also outlines the current priorities for schools, settings and the local authority school improvement service to secure further improvement and greater participation in education for all children and young people but especially the more vulnerable.

**3. Other options considered and rejected:**

3.1. Other options are not considered within this report.

**4. Conflicts of interest:**

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker:

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:

**5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.**

**6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.**

**7. Statement from the Decision Maker:**

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**22 January 2014**

**Executive Member for Education  
Councillor Peter Edgar**