

The Deanes School Consultation Task & Finish Group

10:00	Wednesday, 17 July 2013	Deanes School, Thundersley,
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Part 1

(During consideration of these items the meeting is likely to be open to the press and public)

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| 1 | Apologies for Absence | |
| 2 | Declarations of Interest
To note any declarations of interest to be made by Members | |
| 3 | Evidence from The Deanes School to the Task and Finish Group
To receive and scrutinise evidence from Mrs Jan Atkinson, Headteacher, The Deanes School, together with senior colleagues and Governors. (Paper to follow.) | |
| 4 | Evidence from interested local community and parent representative groups
To receive and scrutinise evidence from parties who have expressed an interest in the consultation on the future of the school. A response to the Consultation, from the Save The Deanes Group, is attached. | 5 - 24 |
| 5 | Urgent Business
To consider any matter which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered in public by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) as a matter of urgency. | |
| 6 | To confirm the dates and venues of future meetings | |

Exempt Items

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Urgent Exempt Business

To consider in private any other matter which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) as a matter of urgency.