

Appendix 4

PIs to be Removed or Amended

Following Cabinet approval, the following changes have been made to the Corporate PI set. A justification for the changes is also included.

PI	Strategic Theme and Directorate	Justification
New target for PI - To ensure that all working parents of children aged 4-11 have access to wraparound childcare during term if they require it - Number of new places created by September 2025	Growing up in Sandwell Children and Education	The target is made up of new places targets and extended places targets. The new target was set by the DfE at 529 initially, and this has been reduced. The extended places remains at 1,039. The new overall target has reduced from 1,568 to 1,444.
Number of School Councils engaging with the Council To be changed to: Number of Schools engaging with the Council (removing reference to school Councils)	One Council One Team Assistance Chief Executive	SHAPE encourages school councils to attend our conferences but it's not compulsory, schools pick who to attend based on the topic areas covered. We suggest SHAPE Youth Forum members are school council representatives but again we don't want to deter other young people from attending. To strengthen the



		engagement we have with a wide and diverse range of children and young people, we have moved to working beyond school councils. Therefore, recording the number of school Councils is hard to measure unless we ask each and every child we engage with and based on numbers per quarter. Given the numbers this would be difficult.
'% EHCP 20 week completion rate, including exceptions' to become a quarterly PI	Growing up in Sandwell Children and Education	The data is available quarterly, so this should be reported quarterly as well as annually.
Change the tolerance of FOIs and SARs from 5% against a target of 95%, to 80% - 94%. This means that any figure between 80% - 94% will be displayed as 'amber'.	One Council One Team Finance and Transformation	The target of 95% is a challenging target that many local authorities across the country struggle to achieve. Whilst we strive to improve performance against this measure, anything below 80% would be of concern.

