

ECYE28. National Improvement Framework (NIF) – Education Plan

The Education, Children and Young People Executive considered a report by the Director of Children's which provided information of the new arrangements regarding the National Improvement Framework (NIF) and which sought approval of the NIF Plan 2020-2021.

The Council was required to submit an annual plan to the Scottish Government by 31 August each year. The draft NIF plan for 2020 -2021 was submitted with a covering note informing Scottish Government that this would be updated following consideration by the Education, Children & Young People Executive.

Four high level areas for improvement were outlined and gave an indication of the priorities for development which would be undertaken to make the necessary improvements in the quality of provision. These were:-

- Leadership Support and Development;
- Raising Attainment and Achievement;
- Wellbeing, Inclusion and Equality, and
- Skills and Attributes Development.

Decision

The Education, Children and Young People Executive:-

(1)approved the NIF Plan 2020 – 2021, and

(2)requested that the Director of Children's Services brings back a report evaluating its impact to the Education, Children & Young People Executive in November 2021.