

Committee: **Corporate Parenting Panel**

Date: **16 October 2015**

By: **Director of Children's Services**

Title of Report: **Annual Progress Report of Looked After Children's Services
1 April 2014 – 31 March 2015**

Purpose of Report: **To outline the performance of the Looked After Children's Service
between 1 April 2014 to 31 March 2015**

RECOMMENDATION: The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report

1. Background

1.1 The Annual Report is attached as appendix 1. At present the full comparative national data is still not available and so an update will be provided to the next Corporate Parenting Panel so that local performance can be assessed in that context.

2. Supporting information

2.1 The services for LAC are supported via core funding from the CSA budget with additional funding from the Delegated Schools Grant to support the Virtual School.

3. Conclusion and Reason for Recommendation

3.1 The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report.

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Appendix 1 Report
Appendix 2 Annual Progress Report of East Sussex Fostering Service 1 April 2014 – 31 March 2015
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Appendix 4 IRO Annual Report April 2013 – March 2015
Appendix 5 You Said We Did – April 2015

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS: None