

CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL

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SUBJECT: Question from County Councillor Elwyn Vaughan

How many meetings of the Welsh Education Forum, a partnership with schools and external organisations, and which forms an integral part for the delivery of the current WESP (Welsh Education Strategic partnership) as approved by Welsh Government Ministers; have been held since its approval by Ministers and Powys Cabinet?

Response

The Council's current Welsh in Education Strategic Plan for 2017-20 was approved by Welsh Government in March 2018. Due to lack of capacity to facilitate meetings, no meetings of the old Forum have been held since the plan's approval. We are now planning to establish a new Forum to enable all partner organisations to coordinate their efforts in support of delivery of the approved Welsh in Education Strategic Plan.