



Northern Ireland
Assembly

Committee for Education

Minutes of Proceedings

11 November 2021

Meeting Location: Teleconference

Present by Video or Teleconference:

Mr Chris Lyttle MLA (Chairperson)
Mr Pat Sheehan MLA (Deputy Chairperson)
Ms Nicola Brogan MLA
Mr Robbie Butler MLA
Mrs Diane Dodds MLA

Ms Aoibhinn Treanor (Assembly Clerk)
Mr Mark McQuade (Assistant Clerk)
Mr Marcus Matthews (Clerical Supervisor)
Mr Craig Mealey (Clerical Officer)

Apologies:

Mr Harry Harvey MLA
Mr Daniel McCrossan MLA
Mr Justin McNulty MLA
Mr Robin Newton MBE MLA



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The meeting commenced at 5:16pm in public session.

1. Apologies

Apologies as above.

2. Integrated Education Bill - Oral briefing by the Northern Ireland Commissioner for Children and Young People (NICCY) Youth Panel and the Northern Ireland Youth Forum (NIYF)

The Committee noted the Northern Ireland Youth Forum response to the call for evidence on the Integrated Education Bill.

The following witnesses joined the meeting by video conference at 5:16pm:

Mr Adam Hamilton, Northern Ireland Commissioner for Children and Young People (NICCY) Youth Panel

Mr Eoin Millar, Northern Ireland Youth Forum

Mr Zac Taylor-Clarke, Northern Ireland Youth Forum

Mr Cohen Taylor, Northern Ireland Youth Forum

The witnesses briefed the Committee on the Integrated Education Bill.

The briefing was covered by Hansard.

This was followed by a question and answer session.

Mr Butler joined the meeting at 5:25pm.

The Chairperson thanked the witnesses for the briefing.



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3. Any Other Business

No other business was discussed.

4. Date, Time and Place of the next meeting

The next formal Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday 17 November 2021 by video conference at 9:30am.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:55pm.

Chris Lyttle MLA

**Chairperson, Committee for Education
17 November 2021**