

Children and Young People Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 1 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Thursday, 8 November 2012**

Meeting time: **09:17 – 12:01**

Cynulliad
Cenedlaethol
Cymru

National
Assembly for
Wales



This meeting can be viewed on Senedd TV at:

http://www.senedd.tv/archiveplayer.jsf?v=en_200000_08_11_2012&t=0&l=en

Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Christine Chapman (Chair)
Angela Burns
Jocelyn Davies
Suzy Davies
Rebecca Evans
Julie Morgan
Lynne Neagle
Jenny Rathbone
Aled Roberts
Simon Thomas

Witnesses:

Leighton Andrews, Minister for Education and Skills
Cassy Taylor, Head of General Qualifications Regulation, Welsh Government
Chris Tweedale, Director, Children, Young People and Schools Effectiveness Group, Welsh Government
Dr Ruth Hussey, Chief Medical Officer
Dr Heather Payne, Welsh Government

Committee Staff:

Claire Morris (Clerk)
Kayleigh Driscoll (Deputy Clerk)
Anne Thomas (Researcher)
Victoria Paris (Researcher)

1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

1.1 The Chair welcomed everybody to the meeting.

2. GCSE English Language grades Summer 2012

2.1 The Chair welcomed the Minister and his officials to the meeting. Members questioned the witnesses.

3. Child Health Issues

3.1 The Chair welcomed Dr Ruth Hussey and Dr Heather to the meeting. Members questioned the witnesses.

TRANSCRIPT

View the [meeting transcript](#).