

## CENTRAL SOUTH CONSORTIUM REPORT FOR JOINT COMMITTEE

27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022

### JOINT EDUCATION SERVICE

#### COVERING REPORT OF THE DEPUTY MANAGING DIRECTOR: CSC ANNUAL BUSINESS PLAN 2021 - 2022

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#### 1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

To present to Members to consider and ratify “CSC’s Annual Business Plan 2021 - 2022

#### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that Members:

Consider and approve the Annual Business Plan Report for 2021 – 2022 of Central South Consortium.

#### 3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Business Plan 2021 - 2022 runs from 1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022. The Business Plan 2021-2022 was approved by Joint Committee 18 March 2021. Five Priorities were outlined, closely aligning with Welsh Government’s (WG) national approach. Supporting each priority is a detailed operational plan that is summarised as part of a termly review of progress and impact.

There are five improvement priorities that relate directly to the national mission, but which also embed the local as well as regional priorities (as identified through self-evaluation):

**Priority 1:** Develop a high-quality education profession.

**Priority 2:** Develop highly effective leadership to facilitate working collaboratively to raise standards.

**Priority 3:** Develop strong and inclusive schools committed to excellence, equity and wellbeing.

**Priority 4:** Continue to develop robust assessment, evaluation and accountability arrangements supporting a self-improving system.

**Priority 5:** Improve the effectiveness and efficiency of CSC.

#### **4. CONCLUSIONS**

Following approval of the 'CSC Annual report 2021 - 2022, the report will be shared on the CSC website.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

**AS AMENDED BY**

**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985**

**RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

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**List of background papers**

CSC Annual Business Plan Report 2021 - 2022

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