Advanced Higher Provision Review – Update noted.

4 There was submitted and noted a report by the Executive Director of Education Services regarding changes to the Advanced Higher provision review which was taking place across Glasgow secondary schools moving forward from 2024, advising

(1) that following the decision in session 2022/23 to stop funding the Advanced Higher Hub provision at Glasgow Caledonian University and The Scottish Funding Council's decision to stop its funding for the provision, it was decided to set up a group to review the provision;

(2) that following an analysis of the results from questionnaires completed by staff in schools and young people studying Advanced Highers, Head Teachers explored proposals in key areas and reported back to the review team;

(3) that a timeline had been developed to take these proposals forward, the allocation of places would be done in collaboration with schools, and that additional places would be offered from other institutions to supplement the provision;

(4) of the opportunities that were available for young people to experience life at university and the bespoke arrangements offered by Springburn Academy and Notre Dame High School, as detailed in the report; and

(5) that the Advanced Higher Review Group proposals were now being taken forward with the aim to enhance an already significant offering across schools, and that a coordinated approach would bring more equity to the system and lead to further improvements over time.