6. <u>VALIDATED SELF-EVALUATION (VSE): THE JAMES YOUNG HIGH</u> <u>SCHOOL</u>

The committee considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Education (Curriculum, Quality Improvement and Performance) bring to members' attention the outcomes of the Validated Self Evaluation (VSE) of The James Young High School. Tricia Gallagher, Head Teacher, was in attendance to provide an update on the school's progress and to answer questions from committee members.

During discussion, it was noted that the children's wellbeing was a priority for the school. The school faced particular challenges due to diversity in its catchment area, which it addressed by working closely with its cluster schools. The Head Teacher was confident that the 'satisfactory' quality indicator would have improved by the end of the session.

It was recommended that the committee note the contents of the report and the school's arrangements for continuing improvement.

Decision

To note the contents of the report and the update from the Head Teacher.