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As there is an increase in notifications of scarlet fever to UKHSA, above seasonal expected levels it is recommended that you share the following link to [Scarlet fever NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk/scarlet-fever) with parents/carers and staff.

Further advice can be found at [Should I keep my child off school/nursery](#), and other resources are available for free [here](#). The following website also has information/ games/ lesson plans to teach children about infections and infection control <http://www.e-bug.eu/>.

A national helpline where schools and childcare settings can receive advice on scarlet fever and GAS

## School Admissions

Applications for a Reception place for September 2023 are now open; the deadline for application is Sunday 15 January 2023.

For further information and to apply for a school place, parents and carers should be signposted to [School Admissions](#)

## Autumn Team Early Years Update Meetings

As requested at the recent Early Years Update Meetings, a summary of the slides is available to download from [Google Drive](#)

The post codes would be matched against the Income Deprivation Affecting Children Indices ([IDAC](#)). The post code is allocated a letter between A to G, with A being the most highly deprived areas. The sliding scale would cover the first 4 levels A to D, with A receiving the most per hour.

*1. Do you agree with the proposal to move from adding £0.10 to the EYPP supplement, along with the annual allocation, to an individual child-based weighting based on the child's postcode, paid on a termly basis?*

Increase the Deprivation Budget

We intend to increase the deprivation budget to £300,000, which is still less than 1% of the current











- If you have not yet had access to the new booking site organised or resolved please do not attempt to create an account. Please contact the training team directly by emailing [workforcesupport@worcschildrenfirst.org.uk](mailto:workforcesupport@worcschildrenfirst.org.uk) to get this resolved.
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# Christmas Active Story Workshop