

**CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL**

**County Council  
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**REPORT AUTHOR: County Councillor Arwel Jones, Portfolio Holder for Education**

**SUBJECT: Question from County Councillor Gary Price**

**Can the portfolio holder please tell Council how much it is costing for the consultancy Sbectrwm to undertake an education review, and why it's only conducting that review in North Powys?**

The cost of the contract is £24,000. Sbectrwm have been contracted because of their track record in delivering projects focused on Welsh medium education and because the work requires fluency in the Welsh Language. Other reviews/business cases are being carried out internally.