



Growing Up in Scotland (GUS)

Launch of the results from Year 5

Thursday 19th May 2011

Royal Concert Hall, Glasgow

PROGRAMME

- 9.30 Registration and coffee
- 10.00 Welcome from the Chair
Prof Fran Wasoff, University of Edinburgh
- 10.10 GUS 5 years in – perspectives from Government
Shirley Laing, Scottish Government
- 10.20 *New GUS Findings*
Changes in child cognitive ability in the pre-school years
Paul Bradshaw, Scottish Centre for Social Research
- 10.45 *New GUS Findings*
Change in early childhood and the impact of significant events
Matt Barnes, National Centre for Social Research
- 11.05 Questions
- 11.15 Coffee break
- 11.40 *New GUS Findings*
Parenting and children's health
Alison Parkes, MRC Social and Public Health Sciences Unit
- 12.00 *New GUS Findings*
Parental service use and informal networks in the early years
Louise Marryat, Scottish Centre for Social Research
- 12.20 Response to the findings
Dr Christine Puckering, University of Glasgow/
Mellow Babies and Mellow Parenting Programme
- 12.35 Questions to Panel: Shirley, Paul and Christine
- 12.50 Round up from Chair
- 1.00 Close