

## Brighton and Hove City Council Statutory Notice: Changes to St Luke's Infant and Junior Schools Brighton

Notice is given in accordance with the Education and Inspections Act 2006 (the Act) that Brighton and Hove City Council Kings House Grand Avenue Hove BN3 2SU intends to make the following changes;

## Part 1: Discontinuation of St Luke's Community Infant School so that an all through primary school can be established

In accordance with section 15(1) of the Act to discontinue St Luke's Community Infant School, Queens Park Rise, Brightin, BN2 2ZE on 31st August 2009.

The proposal is linked to the prescribed alteration set out in Part 2, to create an all through primary school with an extended age range of 3 to 11(see part 2 of this notice). Pupils attending St Luke's Community Infant School at the time of closure will be offered places at St Luke's Community Junior School, which, subject to Part 2, will change its age range and enlarge its capacity, becoming an all through primary school from 1 September 2009. All statutory consultation requirements relating to this proposal have been complied with. Admission may also be sought to other schools which have places available.

There will be no displaced pupils as a result of this proposal. The current Local Authority transport policy will apply. The provision of community schools supports local school attendance and pupils are able to walk to school or use local public transport infrastructure.

## Part 2: Prescribed changes to St Luke's Community Junior School so that it becomes an all through primary school

In accordance with section 19(1) of the Act to make a prescribed alteration to St Luke's Community Junior School, St Luke's Terrace, Brighton, BN2 2ZE from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2009 by

- 1) changing the age range of the school by a year or more and,
- 2) enlarging the premises of the school

The current age range of the school is 7 to 11. The Local Authority proposes to extend the age range of the school to create an all through primary school that will cater for pupils from age 4 to age 11.

The current number of pupils registered at the school is 347. The current capacity of the school is 360. The pt3posed capacity of the primary school

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will be 630. It is proposed that the admission number for the school will be 90. The current admission number is 90.

It is proposed that the increase in capacity will be achieved by utilising the premises of the former infant school that is located on the ground floor of the building occupied by the junior school.

All statutory consultation requirements relating to this proposal have been complied with.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from: Gil Sweetenham, Assistant Director – Central Area and Schools Support, Brighton & Hove City Council, King's House, Grand Avenue, Hove, BN3 2SU, Telephone 01273 293433.

Within six weeks (in respect of Parts 1 and 2(1)), or four weeks (in respect of Part 2 (2)) from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposals by sending them to Ms D Smith, Director of Children's Services, Brighton & Hove City Council, King's House, Grand Avenue, Hove, BN3 2SU.

Signed: Di Smith, Director of Children's Services

Publication Date:

**Explanatory Notes:** Part 1 & 2 are interdependent