

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed Enlargement of Wood Farm Primary School, Oxford Please note this is an amendment to the Statutory Notice published 13th January 2010

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Oxfordshire County Council intends to make a prescribed alteration to Wood Farm (Community) Primary School, Titup Hall Drive, Headington, Oxford OX3 8QQ from 01 September 2012.

Wood Farm Primary School's published admission number was increased from 40 to 45 for September 2009, due to rising numbers across Oxford City. Primary Care Trust records and the annual census of local children in early years settings show that the demand for primary school places in Oxford is expected to continue to rise, and schools in this area will not have enough room in future years. The Local Authority therefore proposes to increase the admission number at the school from 45 to 60 on a permanent basis from September 2012. Wood Farm Primary School has already been identified for rebuilding through the Primary Capital Programme. This proposal is to rebuild it at a larger size than the current school, with 12 classrooms for Key Stage 1 and 2 pupils, as well as Foundation Stage rooms and more places at the co-located Slade Nursery School.

The current capacity of the school is 315 (including the reception classes) and the proposed capacity will be 420 (including the reception classes). The current number of pupils registered at the school is 294 (including the reception classes). The current admission number for the school is 45 and the proposed admission number will be 60.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from: Barbara Chillman, Principal Officer School Organisation, Oxfordshire County Council, County Hall, New Road, Oxford OX1 1ND Tel: 01865 816453 / Email: propertyassets@oxfordshire.gov.uk The complete proposal is also available at www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/consultation

Within four weeks from the date of publication of these proposals, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal online at www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/consultation, by emailing wood_farm_expansion2010@myconsultations.oxfordshire.gov.uk, or by writing to Barbara Chillman, Principal Officer School Organisation, Oxfordshire County Council, County Hall, New Road, Oxford OX1 1ND.

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