

## **A proposal for the enlargement of The Heath School**

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Halton Borough Council intends to make prescribed alterations to The Heath School,(a community school) at Clifton Road, Runcorn. WA7 4SY from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2013.

It is proposed the school will be enlarged, as part of the Halton BSF programme, The Heath School will be rebuilt and refurbished.

The current capacity of the school is 1050 and the proposed capacity will be 1350. The current number of the pupils registered at the school is 1048. The current admission number is 210 and the proposed admission number is 270.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from: Ann McIntyre, Operational Director, Children and Young People, Grosvenor House, Halton Lea, Runcorn, WA7 2WD. Telephone Number 0151 471 7543. A full copy of the proposals can be found on <http://www.halton.gov.uk/bsf>. Details of the secondary and secondary special re-organisation proposals for Halton can be found on this web site and within the Executive Board Papers dated 24th September 2009.

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by sending them to Mr M Reaney, Operational Director (Legal, Organisational Development and Human Resources) Municipal Buildings, Kingsway, Widnes, WA8 7QF.

Signed:



Publication Date: 14th January 2010

## **Explanatory Notes:**

All written comments received at the above addresses will be acknowledged. On 18 March 2010, comments will be submitted to the Executive Board of Halton Borough Council in the form of a report, copies of which will be made available to the public on demand. It will not be possible to send detailed responses to individual letters. After a report has been submitted to the Executive Board, all written responses to the consultation exercise will become available for inspection by the public.

Parents will continue to have the right to express a preference. It is recommended that for each of the years up to 2013 a degree of flexibility is retained at each of the four secondary schools in Runcorn to ensure all pupils can be accommodated in advance of the completion of the BSF Programme. It is estimated that there will be a requirement for a total of at least 4074 mainstream places in Runcorn by 2018. In order to meet this requirement it is proposed that the four secondary schools have the following Published Admission Numbers (PAN) to ensure that by 2013 there are a total of 29 forms of entry in Runcorn with a total 870 pupils in each year group.

For 2013 it is recommended, subject to approval by the Halton Admission Forum, that the Published Admission Numbers would be; Halton High - 180 (6 form entry plus sixth form); St Chad's Catholic & Church of England Joint Faith High School - 240 (8 form entry plus sixth form); The Grange School - 180 (6 form entry); The Heath School - 270 (9 form entry).