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Dear Resident

Proposal to expand Alderbrook School

Solihull Council is working with Alderbrook School on a proposal to expand the School from September 2022. As a resident of a property located close to the school we are keen to hear your views on this proposal.

The proposed expansion will increase the school capacity by 150 pupil places and is required to meet the rising demand from Solihull families due to apply for secondary school places in the coming years. The Council's School Organisation Plan 2020 outlines the requirements for school places in Solihull and on 22nd February, the Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Skills considered the particular proposal for Alderbrook School.

As building work is required for the school to expand, the Council will be submitting a planning application for the proposed changes and all normal planning processes will apply to this proposal. Views and comments received as part of this consultation will be used to shape the planning application.

Consultation begins on Monday 1st March 2021 and continues until 12 noon on Tuesday 6th April 2021. Full details of what is being proposed can be found on the school website www.alderbrookschool.co.uk.

Any comments or suggestions about what is being proposed can be made using the consultation response form or you can email your comments to consultation@alderbrook.solihull.sch.uk. If you wish to send an email please put CONSULTATION ON EXPANSION OF ALDERBROOK in the subject box. If you need paper copies of the consultation documentation, please call school reception on 0121 704 2146. As questions arise, frequently updated live FAQ document will be available on the school consultation webpage.

Yours faithfully,

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