

WIRRAL COUNCIL
EDUCATION AND INSPECTIONS ACT 2006

PROPOSAL TO CEASE TO MAINTAIN THE LYNDALE SCHOOL

Notice is given in accordance with section 15(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Wirral Council as the local education authority ("the Authority"), Town Hall, Brighton Street, Wallasey, Wirral, CH44 8ED proposes to discontinue the Lyndale School, Lyndale Avenue, Eastham, Wirral, CH62 8DE on 31st December 2015.

Parents of pupils on roll at the Lyndale School at 31st December 2015 will be given an early opportunity to express a preference for an alternative school. There is alternative provision for primary aged children with Complex Learning Difficulties at Stanley School, Pensby and at Elleray Park School, Wallasey. Parents may also wish to consider a place at other schools where this is appropriate. Each family would work closely with a key worker to ensure that transition to the child's new school is as smooth as possible.

The Council provides home to school transport for Wirral pupils attending the Lyndale School and this will continue to their new school. The proposal is unlikely to result in any increase in car use.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from: the Council's website; or on paper or CD-ROM by writing to the address below.

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, i.e. by 19th November 2014, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by sending them to Julia Hassall, Director of Children's Services, Hamilton Building, Conway Street, Birkenhead, CH41 4FD.

Signed:



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Explanatory Notes

- 1) The purpose of this notice is to notify interested parties of the proposal to close the Lyndale School and to advise parents of pupils who attend the Lyndale School of alternative schools where their children may be educated.
- 2) The Authority's information booklets for parents are available on request from the Children and Young People's Department by calling 0151 606 2020 during office hours, or on-line at: www.wirral.gov.uk/schooladmissions
- 3) The complete proposal is available on-line at www.wirral.gov.uk/my-services/council-and-democracy/have-your-say/consultations/current-consultations/lyndale-school
- 4) The outcome of the four week representation period will be reported to Council's Cabinet, who are the decision makers on the proposal.