

# 21st Century Schools Consultation 2018

Improving specialist provision for children and young people with additional learning needs

An increasing population means that a growing number of learners require special school or specialist resource base places.

Cardiff currently has seven special schools providing for the educational needs of up to 570 pupils. A series of proposals are in place to expand, and in some instances adapt the current level of provision to meet this need.

## INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PROPOSALS

### ALLENSBANK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Proposal to phase out the specialist resource base designated for pupils with specific language impairments and open an 8 place early intervention class (1st cohort Sept 2019)

### GREENHILL SCHOOL

Currently age 11-16, proposal to extend age range to 19 to better aid transition into employment, college or training

### THE HOLLIES SPECIAL SCHOOL

increase in pupil number to 138. Move to a split site approach utilising the vacated Glan Morfa Site and introducing an option for pupils to remain at Hollies age 11-14

### MEADOWBANK SPECIAL SCHOOL

Currently places left empty. Proposal to extend the designation of the school from specific language difficulties to include complex learning disabilities

### ST. MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH IN WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL

No specialist support at present. Proposal to open a resource for up to 20 pupils. (as part of a future new building)

### TY GWYN SPECIAL SCHOOL

Proposal to increase the number of places to 198 by installation of 3 new classrooms including the redevelopment of Trelai youth centre.

### YSGOL GLANTAF

The school hosts a specialist resource base. Proposal to increase the number of places to 30.

### YSGOL PWLL COCH

No specialist support at present. Proposal to open a resource for initially 10 (with possibility of growing to 20) pupils in a welsh medium setting.

## WE WANT TO HEAR YOUR VIEWS!

Do you support the changes or are there any questions or concerns that you would like to raise? By listening effectively at this stage, we aim to protect what's important and address any concerns moving forward.

Supporting information relating to the specific proposals and the consultation can be accessed in a variety of ways.

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