

CABINET MEMBER DECISION

Decision:

Langshott Infant School, Horley

(i) Details of decision

The Statutory Notices determining that the upper age limit of Langshott Infant School is increased so that it becomes a Primary School from September 2014, be approved.

(ii) Reasons for decision

This action is reflective both of an increasing demand for school places in the Horley area, resulting from an increase in birth rate and significant house building, and an opportunity to provide primary school structure throughout the town.

The provision of additional junior places both meets the increased demographic pressures in the area and will allow the Council to admit those people who name the school as their preferred option, thus meeting the wider statutory duty to offer all applicants a school place.

It will enable a diversity of provision to be maintained within the Horley area and be part of a strategy that enables Horley residents access to a local Primary School.

A programme of building works at the school will improve the general fabric of the school buildings and enhance the learning experience for pupils, parents and staff.

(iii) Details of any alternative options considered and rejected

None.

(iv) Details of any consultation and representations received not included in the published report

None.

Conflicts of Interest and any Dispensations Granted

(Any conflict of interest declared by any other Cabinet Member consulted in relation to the decision to be recorded and any dispensations granted by the Audit and Governance Committee)

None.

Decision taken by:

- (i) Name:** Linda Kemeny
- (ii) Portfolio:** Cabinet Member for Schools and Learning Decisions

Date of Decision: 03 December 2013

Date of Publication of Record of Decision: 3 December 2013

Date decision effective (i.e. 5 working days after date of publication of record of decision unless subject to call-in by the Children and Education Select Committee):
11 December 2013.