

Proposal of Birmingham City Council

**Wilkes Green Infant School**

Notice is given in accordance with section 15(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Birmingham City Council intends to discontinue Wilkes Green Infant School (community school), Antrobus Road, Handsworth Birmingham B21 9NT with effect from 1st May 2019.

**Wilkes Green Junior School**

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Birmingham City Council intends to make a prescribed alteration to Wilkes Green Junior School, (community school) Antrobus Road, Handsworth Birmingham B21 9NT namely;

- To alter the lower age range of Wilkes Green Junior School to accommodate pupils of Infant school age and thus amalgamate Wilkes Green Infant School and Wilkes Green Junior School with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019.
- The proposals for both schools in this notice are related and would result in Wilkes Green Junior School becoming an all through primary school for pupils aged 3 – 11 and expanding to accommodate the buildings and pupils of Wilkes Green Infant School.
- Pupils currently attending Wilkes Green Infant School would automatically transfer to Wilkes Green Junior School from 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019.
- The published admission number in Reception for the amalgamated school will remain at 90. There will be no Year 3 transfer applications required after 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019 because children will automatically progress from Year 2 into Year 3 of the newly amalgamated school.
- Wilkes Green Junior School will also be proposing to change its name to reflect the change in age range and the amalgamation.

This notice is an extract from the complete proposal document. Copies of the complete proposal can be found at;

[www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/people-1/wilkesgreenijfinal](http://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/people-1/wilkesgreenijfinal)

If you require a hardcopy this can be obtained by writing to: School Organisation Team, Education Infrastructure, and PO Box 15843, Birmingham B2 2RT. Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposals. Anyone who wishes to make representation about these proposals should do so through the above web site or by writing to the School Organisation Team at the above postal address. The date by which objections or comments must be received is 7th February 2019.

Signed: Anne Ainsworth, Director for Children and Young People.

Dated: 10<sup>th</sup> January 2019