

School Specific Responses

School: Camrose Primary School with Nursery

Planning Area: South East

Proposal: Permanent expansion with effect from September 2013.
(The school will also open a bulge Reception class in September 2012)

School Response

Camrose Primary School Governing Body are in favour of the proposal to permanently expand the school with effect from 1 September 2013. However, the Governing Body requests that the Local Authority assists the school with implementing requests following comments made by residents and parents at the consultation meeting: parking enforcement measures in St David's Drive; introducing litter bins at the front of the school, and; measures to address restricted nursery floor space.

General Consultation Responses (including individuals, organisations and on-line)

A summary of the number of responses is presented in the table:

Yes	No	Not Sure	No Reply	Total
1	1	3	0	5

The comments made were related to concerns about the impact of increased traffic and children's safety, including: improvements need to traffic and parking management; the impact on residents in the cul-de-sac that can only be exited at the school end; increased safety for children through traffic measures at roads in the area of the school.

Officer Comments

Camrose Primary School was designed to be able to accommodate a two form of entry primary school. Although the school has not operated at this size since the extensive refurbishment and redevelopment with Woodlands School, with minor refurbishment the additional capacity required can be re-instated.

Work to provide an additional classroom on the ground floor adjacent to the current Reception class is planned to be completed by September 2012 to accommodate a bulge Reception class, and other changes are also planned to facilitate the expansion.

Officer Recommendation

Statutory proposals are published to increase Camrose Primary School with Nursery by one form of entry (30 places) to be a two form of entry (60 places) school with effect from September 2013.