

Kent County Council as Local Authority

The proposed changes to Five Acre Wood School, Boughton Lane, Maidstone ME15 9QF and Holmesdale Technology College, Malling Road, Snodland ME6 5HS

Notice is given accordance with section 19 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Kent County Council intends to make the following prescribed alterations to Five Acre Wood School, Boughton Lane, Maidstone ME15 9QF:

- Increase the designed number of places offered at Five Acre Wood School, Boughton Lane, Maidstone ME15 9QF from 275 to 330 places from 4 January 2016 .
- Establish a Satellite provision at Holmesdale Technology College, Malling Road, Snodland ME6 5HS for 70 students with moderate to severe learning difficulties from 4 January 2016.
- Alter the lower age range at Five Acre Wood School, Boughton Lane, Maidstone ME15 9QF to include nursery provision from 1 September 2016.

Kent County Council (KCC) is proposing to expand Five Acre Wood School by 55 places, taking the designated number of places offered from 275 to 330 for January 2016. KCC is also proposing to establish a Satellite provision at Holmesdale Technology College for students with a statement of Special Educational Needs (SEN) for moderate to severe learning difficulties.

It is proposed that pupils admitted to the satellite provision at Holmesdale Technology College School will be on the school roll of Five Acre Wood School and Five Acre Wood School will be named on their statements of SEN or Education, Health and Care Plan.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from Jared Nehra, Area Education Officer (West Kent), Kent County Council, Sessions House, County Hall, Maidstone. The complete proposal is also available on the website at www.kent.gov.uk/schoolconsultations

Within four weeks from the date of publication, any person may send in a response supporting, objecting or commenting on the proposals to Jared Nehra, Area Education Officer (West Kent) at the above address or email school.consultations@kent.gov.uk. The closing date for objections and comments is 14 August 2015.

Signed:

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