



Milton Keynes City Council

Statutory proposal for change of age range at Downs Barn School

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 and the 'Making significant changes ('prescribed alterations') to maintained schools – Statutory guidance for proposers and decision makers, October 2024', that Milton Keynes City Council, Civic, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes, MK9 3EJ intends to alter the lower age range of Downs Barn School from 22 April 2025. The school is located at 69 Downs Barn Boulevard, Downs Barn, Milton Keynes, MK14 7NA.

Downs Barn School is an infant school with provision for children aged 3 to 7 years. The council intends to alter the lower age range of the school to 2 to 7 years to enable the school to offer nursery provision for two year olds. The school currently offers nursery provision for three and four year olds.

This Notice is an extract of the complete proposal, which can be accessed online at www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/consultations or can be obtained from:

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Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may support, object or make comments by completing the online form on the council's website, or by emailing sufficiencyandaccess@milton-keynes.gov.uk or in writing to the above address. The closing date for comments is 23 February 2025.

Signed: Simon Sims, Head of Service, Access to Education, Employment and Training
Date: 27 January 2025