

Planning Area	Expansion Schemes previous 5 year period only.	PRIORITY AREAS BASED ON APPROVED HOUSING - 5 year forecasting period for primary, 7 years for secondary (additional places are in line with pupil places/need not net capacity.)																	
		2025		2026		2027		2028		2029		2030		2031		PRIMARY		SECONDARY	
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Adlington																No housing in the area, no need identified.			
Alsager																No immediate need identified. We do have a school in this area reducing their PAN which could reduce surplus. Need to monitor the area.		No immediate need shown but area being monitored due to ongoing housing also school admits pupils from neighbouring LA's	
Bollington																No housing in the area, no need identified even though St Gregory's closed Dec 2023, but this has not impacted on places in the area.			
Bosley St Mary's																No housing in the area. Any shortfalls shown are due to admissions over PAN			
Congleton Central	Expansion schemes at Congleton High and Eaton Bank completed in September 2023. This provided 150 additional places at each school.										210					There is a proposal for a new school on Donwoodwood (potential 145) but more detailed work and analysis on when the new school is required needs to be undertaken to limit impact on other local schools with surplus places. New school places added in for 2029 but this may alter.		Shortfall shown is against at Eaton Bank, will continue to monitor due to ongoing housing.	
Congleton East	Small project at Buglawton is now complete to formalise the capacity of the school at 210.															There is a small need, but these may be accommodated by the surplus in Congleton West/Congleton Central planning areas.			
Congleton West	Project at Black Fir's is now complete to formalise the capacity of the school at 315.					105										Increase in shortfall showing at Black Fir's school over the next 5 years. Further expansions may be required, we will continue to monitor the situation.			
Crewe North									210							Due to housing developments in the Lighton West there is the potential need for additional places. There is a site identified for new school but currently we do not have funding to support this, we will continue to monitor the situation. May need to consider an expansion rather than new build school.		No need identified. Sir William Stanier (SWs) have reduced PAN but could increase again if needed.	
Crewe South																No need identified			
Disley																Any shortfall shown for this planning area is due to admissions over PAN -			
Haslington	Expansion scheme at The Dingle primary school, completed in 2024. This provided 70 additional places															Expansion at The Dingle completed but shortfall shown. Admissions from out of the area but will continue to monitor numbers in this area			
Holmes Chapel	Expansion scheme at Holmes Chapel comprehensive completed in 2023. This provided an additional 150 places.															Looking at forecast numbers, places in Holmes Chapel primaries can be managed currently, but will continue to monitor.		Following expansion at Holmes Chapel Comprehensive no further need identified. We will continue to monitor future forecasts.	
Kettleshulme																No housing in the area, no need identified. Any shortfall shown is due to admissions over PAN which will decrease as the larger years move through			
Knutsford Rural																No need identified			
Knutsford Village																No overall need identified, although Egerton is over subscribed. There are places available in other schools within the planning area but situation will need to be monitored and an expansion may be required in the future. Alternatively Manor Park have reduced PAN and capacity, this is as a result of changing the use of some classrooms/remodelling, but capacity could be reinstated if when required.		Small shortfall identified for 2028 or surplus is small, we will continue to monitor the area.	
Macclesfield North																No need identified but going to review the planning areas across Macclesfield. And review the options to reduce the surplus places.			
Macclesfield Rural																No need identified			
Macclesfield South	Phase 1 expansion scheme at Tytherington High school completed Sept 2022, this provided 150 additional places.										150					No immediate need indicated but there is a new school proposed for SMDA site. SMDA figures still in forecast but this may change as the SMDA development is under review.		Phase 1 of expansion at Tytherington to provide 150 additional places (6 extra classrooms) completed for Sep 2022. Phase 2 for further works regarding school infrastructure such as Dining facilities etc is due to start imminently. Further expansions in this planning area may be required, ongoing discussions with schools but need to review housing impact and in particular SMDA which is currently under review.	
Middlewich																No need identified		Shortfall shown relates to housing development which has catchment anomaly. Also the school admits a number of pupils from neighbouring Local Authorities. We will continue to closely monitor the Globe farm estate for the purposes of forecasting these pupils may be allocated to Sandbach Secondary	
Nantwich Rural North																No need identified			
Nantwich Rural South																No need identified			
Nantwich Town	Expansion Scheme at Malbank School completed in 2020, this provided 150 additional places. Expansion scheme also completed at Brine Lees School, this provided an additional 50 places.			210												New school, Kingsbourne, build is now underway, and is due to open for Reception class for 80 pupils in September 2026. School will fill up on a phased basis over the next 7 years.		Expansions at Brine Lees and Malbank now completed. No immediate need indicated in terms of actual additional places. Due to housing and new primary school opening in 2026 we will need to monitor secondary numbers.	
Poynton				70												Project at Vernon Primary to formalise the capacity of the school at 420 and increase the PAN from 50 to 60 providing an additional 70 places.		Small shortfalls indicated but all housing taken into account. Also the school admits a number of pupils from neighbouring Local Authorities. We will continue to closely monitor the area	
Sandbach	Expansion scheme at St Johns CE primary completed in 2020, to provide an additional 35 places which brought the PAN up to 80. Expansion scheme at Elworth CE completed Sep 21 to provide an additional 105 places. Expansion scheme at Sandbach Primary completed 2024, this provided and additional 105 places. Expansion scheme at Wheelock completed 2024, this provided an additional 150 places. Expansions to provide 150 places at each secondary schools completed 2020/2021.															Expansion schemes at Wheelock Primary and Sandbach Primary to provide an additional 105 places at each school now complete, although at Wheelock there is a phase 2 scheme to provide the infrastructure which will be complete in 2026. No further immediate need identified but area is being monitored due to possible future housing.		Small shortfall shown by 2026, but both schools still admit a number of pupils from out of area. Any further expansions will be very dependent on housing and impact on neighbouring schools.	
Scholar Green & Woodcocks Well																No need identified			
Shavington	Expansion at Shavington Academy (Secondary), completed 2024, this provided an additional 150 places and a 14 place Resource provision.							210								Free School Presumption process for new school at Ruxford to resume, at this stage we do not have a confirmed date for opening but indicating 2026.		Expansion of 150 additional places completed. Further expansion may be required but dependent on housing and impact of neighbouring schools. But there is also the issue of access to Shavington from some of the housing developments.	
Wimslow North	Expansion scheme at Wimslow High School completed 2024 - this provided an additional 300 places.										315	600				Garden Village Handforth (GWH) outline planning permission approved. We are proposing to provide all through school on GWH for pupils aged 4 to 16, all through school on GWH for pupils aged 4 to 16, this will include 210 primary places. Also possibility of 0.5 FTE expansion at neighbouring school, this will provide a further 105 primary places. Concerns over lack of available funding/cost of new all through school		Expansion of Wimslow High completed, this has provided 300 additional places. GWH outline planning permission approved. We are proposing to provide an all through school on GWH for pupils aged 4 to 16, this will include 600 secondary places. Concerns over lack of available funding/cost of new all through school	
Wimslow South																Flexibility undertaken regarding expansion to address additional pupils from the Alderley Park development. Possible additional classroom and toilets may be required which would increase the capacity to 150 places.			
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Total:		0	0	280	0	105	0	420	0	525	750	0	0	0	0				

Data Source - 2024 Forecasts														Total Places	2080		
EXPANSIONS ALREADY AGREED AND UNDERWAY																	
EXPANSIONS IN DISCUSSION/PROPOSED BUDGET INCLUDED IN MTFs																	
Figures Shown in Red will be dependent on housing at the time and any need identified by future forecasts.																	