Children and Families Committee: School Academisation – Forward Plan

Date of Meeting: 23 May 2022

The following table will be updated ahead of Children and Families Committee meetings as required to provide the latest position on current/forthcoming school academy conversions. Conversions included within the table are from the date of the commencement of the council committee system which commenced in July 2021.

Green – completed.

Amber – in progress

Yellow – initial discussions taking place

NOR: Numbers of Pupils on Roll (2021 census)

| School | Phase | Status | Core School information | Proposed (P) & Actual (A) Conversion Dates | Commentary |
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| Bosley CofE | Primary | Diocese of Chester: | NoR:35 Macclesfield - rural school. Ofsted: 2016: Good | A: 1 September 2021 | Converted on time following approval at July 2021 Children and Families Committee. |
| Audlem St James' | Primary | Diocese of Chester: | NoR:187 Nantwich - rural school. Ofsted: 2018: Good | P: 1 November 2021 A: 1 December 2021 | Converted following approval at Children and Families Committee meeting in October 2021 |
| Middlewich High | Secondary | Community Maintained | NoR:705 Middlewich Ofsted: 2019: Good Leisure Centre on site. | P: 1 November 2021 A: 1 December 2021 | Converted following approval at Children and Families Committee meeting in October 2021 |
| Christ the King | Primary | Joint Diocesan: Chester & Shrewsbury Diocese. | NoR:87 Macclesfield Ofsted: 2018: Inadequate | P: 1 November 2021 A: 1 April 2022 | No requirement to be considered by committee. Significant work required to agree suitable trust with both Diocesan. |
| Elworth Hall School | Primary | Community Maintained | NoR:201 Sandbach Ofsted: 2022: Requires Improvement | A: 1 April 2022 | No requirement to be considered by committee. |
| Oakfield Lodge | Secondary | Pupil Referral Unit (those at risk or have been permanently excluded) | NoR:60 Crewe Ofsted: July 2021: Requires Improvement | P: 1 February 2022 A: 1 July 2022 | Expected conversion now planned for 1 July 2022. Paper will be brought to committee for consideration. |
| Wilmslow Group of schools: Proposing to all convert into a multi-academy trust at same time. schools outlined below: | 1x Secondary 4 x Primary | | | P: To be confirmed | Ongoing discussions taking place with schools – will be brought to future committee for consideration. |

| Wilmslow High School | Secondary | Community | NoR:2130 | |
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| | | Maintained | Wilmslow | |
| | | | Ofsted: 2019: Good | |
| | | | Significant build programme | |
| | | | currently in programme | |
| Styal | Primary | Community | NoR:119 | |
| | | Maintained | Wilmslow | |
| | | | Ofsted: 2018: Good | |
| | | | Land ownership: National | |
| | | | Trust | |
| Alderley Edge | Primary | Community | NoR:203 | |
| | | Maintained | Wilmslow | |
| | | | Ofsted: 2014: Outstanding | |
| Ashdene | Primary | Community | NoR:419 | |
| | | Maintained | Wilmslow | |
| | | | Ofsted: 2019: Outstanding | |
| Lindow | Primary | Community | NoR:210 | |
| | | Maintained | Wilmslow | |
| | | | Ofsted: 2018: Good | |