

# HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

## Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Executive Lead Member for Children's Services
<b>Date:</b>	23 March 2022
<b>Title:</b>	Additional Specialist Provision for Hampshire
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Children's Services

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### 1. The decision:

1.1. That approval be given for Statutory Public Notices to be published for the expansion of Henry Tyndale School (satellite provision utilising the former Park Children's Centre, Aldershot); the expansion of Norman Gate School; and new Resourced Provision at Pinewood Infant School.

### 2. Reasons for the decision:

2.1. Hampshire County Council has a statutory duty to provide school places for all children including those who have special educational needs and/or a disability. The County Council is committed to further developing successful provision to meet this demand within the Special Education Needs and Disability (SEND) sector.

2.2. These proposals aim to build on good quality Hampshire school provision; meet the needs of pupils with Special Educational Needs; reduce the Local Authority's dependence on INMSS and keep pupils as close to their home and community as much as possible.

2.3. These projects have been to public consultation with specific agreement from the Executive Member for Education and Skills. The public notices are planned to be published in April 2022 for four weeks.

### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. To not proceed was rejected as Hampshire County Council need the provision, in line with the increased number of Education Health and Care Plans, and the desire to keep children closer to their homes and out of more expensive Independent and Non-Maintained Special Schools.

### 4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

5. **Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel:** N/A

6. **Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent:** N/A

7. **Statement from the decision maker:** N/A

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**23 March 2022**

**Councillor Roz Chadd  
Executive Lead Member for Children's Services**