

# Statutory Notice for a proposal to expand The Garden School and establish post 16 provision from September 2021

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 and the School Organisation (Prescribed Alterations to Maintained Schools) (England) Regulations 2013/3110 that Hackney Learning Trust, on behalf of London Borough of Hackney, intends to make a prescribed alteration to The Garden School, Wordsworth Road, London, N16 8BZ, from September 2021.

The Garden School currently provides 150 places. Hackney Learning Trust proposes to expand the number of places by offering 29 additional Key Stage 4 places, and 21 post 16 places from September 2021. Both the expanded Key Stage 4 and the new post 16 provision will be based on a new site on Ickburgh Road, London, E5 8AD.

The Garden School is an outstanding school (Ofsted inspection 2018), and is the only dedicated special school in Hackney for pupils aged 4-16 with Autism and Severe Learning Difficulties. The school has an excellent track record as an Autism-specific provider, offering a highly focussed environment tailored to meet the needs of pupils and learners.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be requested via e-mail from: Iris Carrington, Hackney Learning Trust, [Iris.carrington@learningtrust.co.uk](mailto:Iris.carrington@learningtrust.co.uk). The proposal can also be downloaded from <https://www.learningtrust.co.uk/consultations>.

Any person wishing to raise objections, or make comments on the proposal should e-mail them to Iris Carrington, Hackney Learning Trust, [Iris.carrington@learningtrust.co.uk](mailto:Iris.carrington@learningtrust.co.uk) within four weeks from the date of publication, i.e. before 21st May 2020.

Signed:



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