

## Proposed SEN resourced provision at Cantell School consultation

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### *Background*

Southampton has a diverse special school offer that needs to grow in order to meet the changing needs of the population. We are proposing that this growth happens alongside the mainstream school offer in the city in the form of resourced provisions.

Southampton City Council is therefore consulting on proposals to open a resourced provision at Cantell School.

SEN resourced provision is where places are reserved at mainstream schools specifically for SEN pupils, with these schools receiving additional funding from the local council to support these places, for example, by providing special facilities.

This proposal for Cantell School would provide ten secondary school places to children and young people in Southampton that have moderate learning difficulties with associated speech, language, communication needs and/or autism.

Pupils placed in the resourced provision would have Education, Health & Care Plans (EHCPs) and may come from any area of Southampton.

We would like to hear your thoughts on the proposals and any impacts or alternative suggestions you would like us to consider. Now is your opportunity to have your say.

An online version of this questionnaire can be found on Southampton City Council's website at [www.southampton.gov.uk/consultations](http://www.southampton.gov.uk/consultations).

You can also email your consultation feedback or queries to [yourcity.yoursay@southampton.gov.uk](mailto:yourcity.yoursay@southampton.gov.uk).

Paper copies of the questionnaire can also be requested to be printed at any Southampton libraries or printed yourselves.

This consultation closes on **Sunday 06 October**.

## Proposals for Cantell School

We are proposing to open a resourced provision for ten pupils with moderate learning difficulties with associated speech, language, communication needs and/or autism.

This would be within the main school building where pupils would split their time between a specialist base and mainstream areas of the school. Pupils in attendance would be supported by a small team of dedicated staff as well as have access to specialist subject teachers across the school.

### To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed resourced provision for Cantell School?

- Strongly agree       Slightly agree       Neither       Slightly disagree       Strongly disagree

### What impact do you feel this may have on you, your family or the wider community?

- Very positive       Fairly positive       No impact at all       Fairly negative       Very negative       Don't know

If you disagree or have any comments, impacts, suggestions or alternatives you feel we should consider, please provide details below.

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## About you

### Which of the following describe your interest in this consultation?

Please tick all that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/carer of children/young people at Cantell School                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Private business                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/carer of children/young people with an Education, Health & Care Plan (EHCP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public sector organisation                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resident of Southampton  | <input type="checkbox"/> Third sector organisation                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resident elsewhere   | <input type="checkbox"/> Employee of Southampton City Council (SCC) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Works, visits or studies in Southampton  | <input type="checkbox"/> Political member                           |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                                      |

If other, please specify:

### What is your postcode?

This is used for geographical analysis only and will not be used to contact or identify you.

**What is your sex?**

- Female  Male  Prefer not to say

**Is the gender you identify with the same as your sex registered at birth?**

- Yes  No  Prefer not to say

If no, please write in your gender identity:

**What is your age?**

- Under 18  35 - 44  65 - 74  
 18 - 24  45 - 54  75+  
 25 - 34  55 - 64  Prefer not to say

**How would you describe your ethnic group?**

- Asian or Asian British  Mixed or multiple ethnic groups  White other  
 Black, Black British, Caribbean or African  White British  Other ethnic group  
 Prefer not to say

**Do you have any physical or mental health conditions or impairments, lasting 12 months or more, that have a substantial effect on your ability to carry out day-to-day activities?**

- Yes  No  Prefer not to say

The following questions are only intended for those responding on behalf of a business or organisation. Please only respond to these if you are responding on behalf of a private business or a public or third-sector organisation.

**Can the name of your business or organisation be attributed to your response?**

- Yes  No

**Can we contact you about your response to this consultation?**

- Yes  No

**If yes, please provide us with the following details:**

*Business/organisation name*

*Contact name*

*Contact email*

## ***What happens next?***

This consultation closes on **Sunday 06 October**. After this date, all feedback will be analysed and considered before a final decision is made.

Please return completed surveys to:

*Consultations,  
First Floor, West Wing,  
Civic Centre,  
Southampton,  
SO14 7LY.*

Alternatively, please hand completed surveys back to any Southampton City Council-run library.

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