

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Executive Lead Member for Children's Services
<b>Date:</b>	10 November 2021
<b>Title:</b>	North Baddesley Infant School Age Range
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Children's Services

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#### 1. The decision:

- 1.1. That approval be given to the following proposals, published by Hampshire County Council under Section 19 (1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006:
- 1.2. To make a prescribed alteration to North Baddesley Infant School, Botley Road, North Baddesley, Southampton, SO52 9EE, to provide nursery provision for up to 40 places for children from 2 years to 4 years old, commencing with 24 places with effect from 1 January 2022 and with a requirement to consult with the Council prior to any further expansion of places.

#### 2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1. The Making Significant Changes ('prescribed alterations') to Maintained Schools ([publishing.service.gov.uk](http://publishing.service.gov.uk)) guidance sets out the process to be followed.
- 2.2. Public Notice was published in the press on 3 September 2021 with the consultation period closing 1 October 2021.
- 2.3. North Baddesley Infant School is a Local Authority maintained school and decision is required to be made by Executive Member.
- 2.4. The provision of 24 places 8am to 6pm will help to meet expected growth in population due to new houses.

#### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 North Baddesley Infant School had previously tendered out to the childcare market in December 2019 for an independent childcare provider to deliver childcare onsite. Due to the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic, the successful organisation has confirmed to the school they do not wish to enter the lease

arrangement. The school have not considered to offer it out again due to the poor response previously.

**4. Conflicts of interest:**

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: N/A

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: N/A

**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:**

<b>Approved by:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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