

Dear Neighbour,

**50 Moxon Street - Proposals for Conversion of existing building to Special Educational Needs School**

The Department for Education has been working closely with Barnet Special Education Trust and the London Borough of Barnet since 2017 to bring forward proposals for a new Special Educational Needs School.

We are pleased that an appropriate site has now been found and will shortly be submitting a planning application to convert and extend the existing building at 50 Moxon Street. The new Windmill School will provide much needed additional pupil places for families in the local area where there is a pressing need for specialist education facilities.

The school will be managed by Barnet Special Education Trust. When full, the school will offer places for 90 children and young people aged between 5 to 18 years old whose autism is a major barrier to their learning and who would find the busy environments of either mainstream or generic special schools too challenging.

**We would be delighted if our neighbours could join us at a drop-in public exhibition on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October 4 – 8pm at The Tudor Hall, Wood Street campus of Barnet and Southgate College.**

Our consultation website, [www.thewindmillschool.org](http://www.thewindmillschool.org) will be updated with the plans and additional information at the time of the exhibition. In the meantime, if you have any questions please contact [tws@bsentrust.org](mailto:tws@bsentrust.org). Please provide feedback by the 15<sup>th</sup> October.

We hope that you can find the time to drop-in to the exhibition and we look forward to answering any questions that you may have.

Yours faithfully,



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