

APPENDIX 2 – STATUTORY NOTICE FOR CLOSURE

Statutory Notice

Closure of St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School, Forest Hill Road, SE23 3LE

Notice is given in accordance with section 15 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 (as amended by the Education Act 2011) and the School Organisation (Establishment and Discontinuance of Schools) Regulations 2013 that the Governing body of St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School, Forest Hill Road, SE23 3LE in consultation with the London Borough of Southwark and the Education Commission for the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark has published proposals to discontinue St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School with effect from 1st September 2023.

Should the decision to close St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School be taken, all children attending St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School would be offered places at alternative schools in line with parental preferences and/or within the area for September 2023. The School, as at 8th September has 86 statutory aged children on roll and 8.6 Full Time equivalent nursery aged children.

The Governors of St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School are publishing the proposals. Southwark Council will decide whether to implement the proposals and close St Francesca Cabrini Catholic Primary School. The proposal is not related to any other school organisation proposals that have been or are about to be published.

This notice is an extract of the complete proposal. A copy of the complete proposal can be viewed on the school website at <http://www.stfrancescacabrini.co.uk/>, a paper copy of the proposal can be requested via email to: consult@stfcabrini.southwark.sch.uk

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by emailing them to Vilma.edwards@southwark.gov.uk

Or in writing to:

Vilma Edwards, Business Support Coordinator and Personal Assistant to the Assistant Director (Learning and Achievement), Children's and Adults' Services, Southwark Council, 160 Tooley Street London SE1 2QH

Responses must be received by 5pm on October 20th 2022.

Signed

Anna Strappelli,
Chair of Governors 22nd September 2022

Explanatory Notes

Southwark Council will need to take the decision on whether or not to close St John's Walworth Church of England Primary school within two months of the end of the representation period (i.e. by October 20th 2022). If the Council fails to take the decision within this time, it will pass all relevant material to the Office of the Schools Adjudicator (OSA), which will itself take the decision.