PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposal of Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council

Dawley Brook Primary School and Jesson's Primary School - proposal to add a SEND Unit for children with communication and interaction/cognition and learning needs with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP).

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council, a local education authority, intends to make a prescribed alteration the above schools with effect from 1st September 2023.

As part of a commitment to support more Dudley children with *'the right provision at the right time'*; the Council is proposing to change the designation of these mainstream schools to include a Special Educational Needs and Disability Unit (SEND Unit).

The provisions will be designed ~~be~~ to meet the needs of pupils with communication and interaction/cognition and learning needs with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP). Pupils will be supported within a dedicated environment, through an enhanced curriculum and supported by specialist staff. Pupils will have the opportunity to access mainstream lessons and to engage with their mainstream peer group as and when it is felt appropriate to do so.

This Notice is an extract from the full proposal and copies of the proposals can be obtained from:
The Council House, Priory Road, Dudley, West Midlands DY1 1HF or by visiting **www.dudley.gov.uk/council-community/get-involved**

All responses must be received by **30th June 2023**, i.e., within four weeks from the date of publication of these proposals, excluding school holidays, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by sending them to:

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