

May 2023

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

Proposal to increase the capacity of the school and relocate to a new school site in Blofield, from 1 September 2024 (subject to planning permission).

Notice is hereby given that Norfolk County Council **approves** the above statutory proposal as set out in the public notice to increase the capacity and relocate to a new school site, from 1 September 2024.

This approval is conditional on planning permission approval by 31 December 2023.

This proposal under 19 (1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 and The School Organisation (Prescribed Alterations to Maintained Schools) (England) Regulations 2013, is to make a prescribed alteration to increase the capacity of the school from 210 pupils to 420 pupils and relocate to a new school site in Blofield; Plantation Road, Blofield NR13 4PL, from 1 September 2024 (subject to planning permission).

The reasons for this decision are that:

- The statutory procedural requirements have been met
- The proposal meets the criteria laid down in statutory guidance in relation to the likely impact of the proposal on standards and school improvement, local choice and diversity, surplus places, community cohesion and race equality
- The views of all interested parties, including those most likely to be affected, have been considered.
- There was one objection to the proposal during the statutory Public Notice period.

Signed:

Date: 16 June 2023

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