

Deer Park School

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BUILD UPDATE MARCH 2018

New Building

The demolition phase at Ryde House is now nearing completion with construction due to start imminently. This is a promising start to the project and we remain optimistic that the programme will continue in this vein for a planned handover to the school in August 2019.

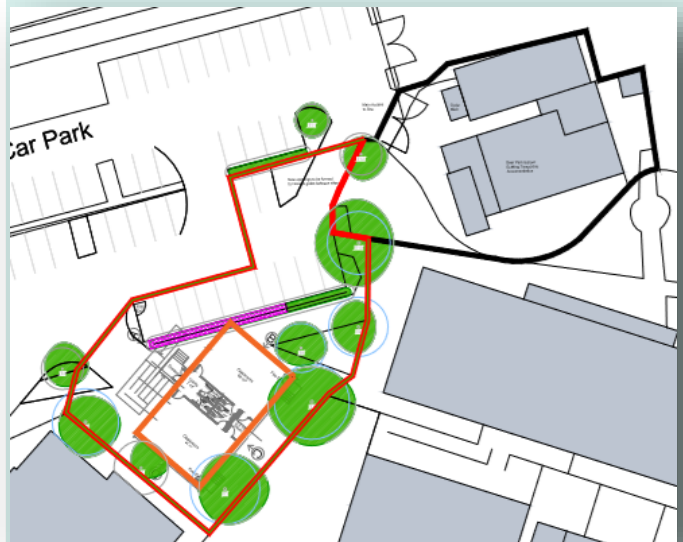


Temporary reduction to PAN—September 2018

Deer Park School was always planned as a two-form entry primary school. The school is currently single-form due to the space available at the temporary location. Our PAN (Published Admission Number) for September 2018 was 60 (as the school was due to have moved to the permanent site at that point) however, as we remain in temporary accommodation for a further year we have made the decision (and had approval from the Regional School's Commissioner) to temporarily reduce our PAN to 30 for September 2018.

Temporary Facilities for September 2018

The planning application for our expansion into Old Deer Park carpark has now been submitted. The black line on the diagram below shows the boundary to our existing buildings and site and the red line shows where our additional outdoor space and classrooms will be located. Once the application has been approved works will commence over the summer holidays.



This expansion will give us much needed additional outdoor space; a classroom for our children moving in to Year 3 and a spare 'hall' for indoor activities/assemblies/lunches etc. We are very grateful for the support extended to us from Richmond Council and the Education Funding Agency in securing this additional space.

We will also be re-locating our main reception/administration area next to our pedestrian entrance so that is easily accessible for all our visitors and parents.

Comments of support for the application are warmly invited from all our existing and prospective parents as well as other members of the community [here](#).