



## OFFICIAL DECISION NOTICE PUBLISHED BY DEMOCRATIC SERVICES ON 24 MARCH 2021

The Cabinet Member for Families, Education and Wellbeing has made the following decision today:

1.	<p><b>CABINET MEMBER FOR FAMILIES, EDUCATION AND WELLBEING</b></p> <p><b>AMALGAMATION OF OAK FARM JUNIOR SCHOOL AND OAK FARM INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL</b></p> <p><b>DECISION:</b></p> <p><b>That the Cabinet Member for Families, Education and Wellbeing approved the amalgamation of Oak Farm Junior School and Oak Farm Infant and Nursery School.</b></p> <p><b>REASONS FOR THE DECISION MADE</b></p> <p>The Federated Governing Body of Oak Farm Junior and Infant and Nursery Schools met on Wednesday 7 October 2020 to discuss the future of Oak Farm Junior School and Oak Farm Infant and Nursery School. Reviewing various options, the Governing Body agreed to amalgamate both schools.</p> <p>The Cabinet Member approved amalgamation consultation for Oak Farm Junior and Infant and Nursery Schools on 25 November 2020. Full stakeholder consultation had concluded with a positive agreement for amalgamation.</p> <p><b>ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED AND REJECTED</b></p> <p>The Cabinet Member could have declined to amalgamate the schools.</p> <p><b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b></p> <p>The detailed report relating to this decision is available to view <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	<p><i>Dan Kennedy, Residents Services</i></p>
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### DECISION AUTHORITY & IMPLEMENTATION

Where required, these decisions have been taken under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.

These decisions, unless called in, will come into effect from 5pm on Wednesday 31 March 2021.

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