

**STATUTORY NOTICE TO DISCONTINUE SHOTTON INFANTS SCHOOL  
AND TALIESIN JUNIOR SCHOOL AND TO ESTABLISH A NEW  
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** in accordance with Sections 28(1)(a) and 29(1)(a) of the Schools Standards and Framework Act 1998 and the Education (School Organisation Proposals) (Wales) Regulations 1999 (SI1999/1671) as amended, that Flintshire County Council of County Hall, Mold, having consulted such persons as appeared to them to be appropriate, propose to:-

- Discontinue Shotton Infants School
- Discontinue Shotton Taliesin Junior School
- Establish a new 270+ Nursery place community school for boys and girls aged 3 – 11 years at the site of the existing Taliesin Junior School. (Insert address and Post Code)

It is proposed to implement the proposals to discontinue the above two schools on the 31<sup>st</sup> August 2014 and to implement the proposal to establish a new school on the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014.

It is proposed that all pupils registered at Shotton Infant School and Shotton Taliesin Junior School as at 31<sup>st</sup> August 2014 may attend the new school due to be established on the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014.

The proposed new school will be a Community Primary School. Admission arrangements will be dealt with in line with the LEA's Admission Policy. No provision will be made for either selection by aptitude or pupil banding.

Transport of pupils shall be dealt with by reference to the LEA's Home to School Transport Policy.

The number of pupils to be admitted to the new school at age four years in the first school year of which the proposals have been implemented is 30. Flintshire County Council as the LEA will be the admission authority.

Within a period of one month after the date of publication of these proposals, that is to say by ..... any person may object to the proposals. Objections should be sent to the Director of Lifelong Learning, Flintshire County Council, County Hall, Mold, Flintshire, CH7 6ND.

The Authority will send copies of any such objections made (and not withdrawn in writing) within the objection period, together with their observations thereon, to the Welsh Government within the period of one month after the end of the objection period.

The proposals will (unless withdrawn) require the approval of the Welsh Assembly Government if :-

- (a) Within two months after a copy of them is sent to the Assembly it gives notice that they require such approval; or
- (b) Objections have been made within the objection period and have not been withdrawn during that period.

Where proposals do not require such approval, Flintshire County Council acting as LEA will decide whether to implement them.

Signed .....

Director of Lifelong Learning

Dated January 2013