

Proposal to amalgamate the Student Body of Kings Avenue Primary School with Glenbrook Primary School

To amalgamate Kings Avenue Primary School with Glenbrook Primary School, from September 1st 2026.

Kings Avenue Primary School is located in Kings Avenue, London SW4 8BQ

Glenbrook Primary School is located in Clarence Crescent, London SW4 8LD. It is part of the Gipsy Hill Federation.

The number of children in each year group at Glenbrook Primary School will remain at 30. All pupils attending Kings Avenue Primary School will be offered a place at Glenbrook Primary School and Kings Avenue Primary School will discontinue.

Notice is given in accordance with section 15 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 (as amended by the Education Act 2011) and the School Organisation (Establishment and Discontinuance of Schools) Regulations 2013.

After careful consideration, Lambeth Council propose the amalgamation of Kings Avenue Primary School and Glenbrook Primary School the West planning area.

Why Are We Proposing to Amalgamate the Schools?

This proposal is primarily driven by the ambition to ensure strong and sustainable schools in the area that will provide the highest quality education for pupils. With falling pupil numbers impacting on primary schools across Lambeth, the forecast for the long-term sustainability of current primary school places is of major concern.

Both schools are well led and have managed their budgets as efficiently as possible, however, the continued decline in the number of applications means that the sustainability of the schools is at risk, due to low pupil numbers. This will impact on the quality of education the schools will be able to deliver in the future.

We are committed throughout this proposal and formal consultation, to be clear and transparent, to listen to and consider the views and concerns of those affected. We appreciate the impact this consultation will have on the schools and the communities they serve. However, we believe it is necessary to safeguard the quality of education in Lambeth for the future.

This proposal is published on **9 September 2024**.

The closing date for receipt of responses to the representation period is **7 October 2024**. The Council's Cabinet will meet after the end of the representation period, in **November 2024**, to take the final decision on whether to amalgamate the students of Kings Avenue Primary School and Glenbrook Primary School.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be viewed on the [Lambeth website](#). If you require a paper copy of this, please contact us via email at pppconsultation@lambeth.gov.uk

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Name, address and category of schools:

Kings Avenue Primary School
Kings Avenue
London
SW4 8BQ
Category: Community Maintained

Name and address of school to amalgamate with Kings Avenue Primary School:

Glenbrook Primary School
Clarence Crescent
London
SW4 8LD
Category: Community Maintained

Implementation

Kings Avenue Primary School with Glenbrook Primary School will amalgamate on **1 September 2026**.

Procedure for making representations (objections and comments)

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object, give their view or make comments on the proposal:

- i. Via the online survey, on the Lambeth Council website [here](#). We encourage you to complete the online survey as the most efficient and secure way to give your views.
- ii. by email to: pppconsultation@lambeth.gov.uk
- iii. By hand to the office at Kings Avenue or Glenbrook Primary School in a sealed envelope

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