



## The Federation of St Francis Special School Lincoln and Lincoln St Christopher's School

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Dear Local Resident

### **RE: St Christopher's building project**

As you may be aware, a package of investment to improve school provision and support for children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) has been approved by the council's Executive with the support of all special schools and the Lincolnshire Parent Carer Forum.

As part of this investment package, St Christopher's School will be subject to significant improvements, including the building of a new primary site at the former Usher School on Skellingthorpe Road, Lincoln and extensive redevelopment to the current school which will become a secondary provision. This is an exciting opportunity for children and young people in Lincoln with SEND to be educated in modern, updated facilities which will enable them to fulfil their potential.

This investment will provide enhanced premises and facilities and additional places for local children and young people with SEND, ensuring they can be educated in their local community.

As you reside in the vicinity of St Christopher's school, you may be interested to find out more about the proposed developments. Due to Covid-19 we are unable to hold a pre-planning engagement event which we would usually do in advance of any school development project. Therefore we would like to invite you to find out more about the development scheme and view the plans virtually. From 15<sup>th</sup> February, you will be able to view the proposed plans on the website [www.lincolnstchristophers.com](http://www.lincolnstchristophers.com).

Your contributions are important to us and will help shape the final planning application. Therefore, we would like to invite your comments and questions via email at [SENDCommunities@lincolnshire.gov.uk](mailto:SENDCommunities@lincolnshire.gov.uk) alternatively, please contact the school on 07990 070653 or [kyna.adkins@lincolnstchristophers.com](mailto:kyna.adkins@lincolnstchristophers.com) where a member of the Head teacher will be happy to discuss your comments. All contributions will need to be submitted by 26<sup>th</sup> February 2021.

Yours faithfully

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