

# Whitworth Community High School Planning Application

We are excited to let you know that a planning application will soon be submitted for the redevelopment of Whitworth Community High School. The older buildings that are being replaced will be demolished once the new building has been brought into use. The existing sports hall will be retained.

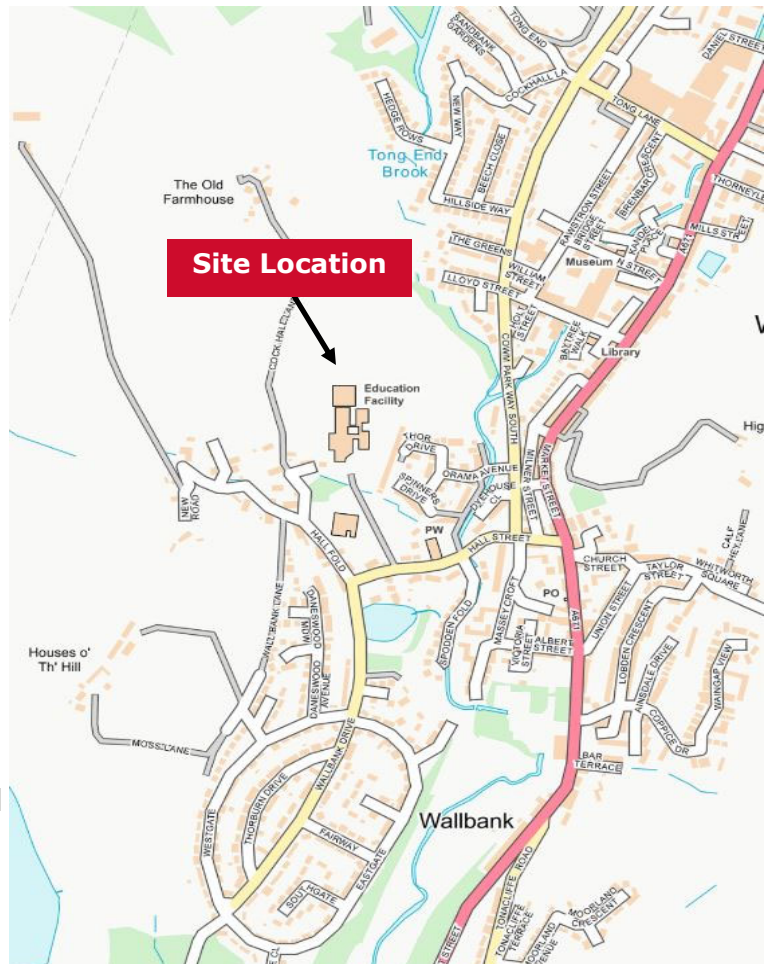
The new main school building will be between two and three stories high, set within a new landscaped setting, and the car parking will also be relocated within the site.

There will be no change to staff and pupil numbers.

The school will remain fully operational during the build process, without the need for any temporary teaching accommodation.

This redevelopment of Whitworth Community High School is funded by the Department for Education as part of their School Rebuilding Programme.

Wates Construction has been selected by the Department for Education to design and build the new building. Wates is a national construction company with lots of experience of building schools.



View our proposals online at: <https://wates-tenders.co.uk/whitworthplanning/>  
Email the design team at: [whitworthhigh.uk@avisonyoung.com](mailto:whitworthhigh.uk@avisonyoung.com)  
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At this pre-application stage the development proposals can be viewed online and you can also contact the Wates design team if you have any queries or comments. Details are at the bottom of this page.

Wates will be submitting the planning application in late April 2021. Once the application has been submitted it will be available to view and comment on online via Rossendale Borough Council's planning portal:

<https://publicaccess.rossendale.gov.uk/online-applications/>

Subject to achieving planning permission, construction will start on site in September 2021. We are aiming to complete the new building by the end of 2022, with the remaining works (building demolition etc.) due to be completed by the beginning of 2024.

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