Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council

Education and Inspections Act 2006

NOTICE OF PROPOSAL

Proposal to Close the Sixth Form at Hyde Community College

NOTICE IS GIVEN in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that the governing body of Hyde Community College have asked the Council to make a prescribed alteration to Hyde Community College, Old Road, Road, Hyde, SK14 4SP from September 2016.

The proposal is to remove the sixth form provision at Hyde Community College, with effect from September 2016. This will mean the sixth form would close when the current Year 12 students have completed their studies in August 2016.

The Council as part of decision making wants to ensure the most appropriate and best options for students. With the small and declining number of pupils in the current provision, Hyde Community College is unable to provide the breadth of courses that larger facilities can offer, including a wide range of A levels subjects that student need. The College have been in contact with local Further Education providers who have assured us of their support in considering applications from students at the college both now and in the future.

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from Paul Thompson, Assistant Headteacher, Hyde Community College, Old Road, Hyde, SK14 4SP or on the website: <http://www.tameside.gov.uk/schools/organisation/reviews>

Within four weeks from the date of publication of these proposals, any person may object to or make comments in writing to the undersigned or by email to p.thompson@hydecc.tameside.sch.uk by no later than midnight on 12 July 2015.

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