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Dear Parents and Carers of children at Newport CE Junior School,

We are writing to inform you of plans for Newport CE Junior School that will be going through planning from Monday.

You may be aware of recent, rapid growth to our school number on roll. This is mainly as a result of housing development in Newport over the past two years. Telford and Wrekin Council have been working with us to look at improving the accommodation at NJS to enhance the facilities and space for this growth in pupil numbers.

The plans are for an extension of three additional classroom bases. The extension block will be connected to the corner of the hall and the bungalow via an atrium. It consists of a new toilet block, stock room and three fully equipped classrooms which will stretch across the piece of land between the hall and upper bar (there will be no site access from here).

Governors feel this is a great opportunity for our school environment. It will increase learning space for our children and enable us to enhance our curriculum offer with this additional space and facility. We will still remain at a capacity of 12 classes but will benefit from increased space to work with.

The plans for this extension and views of the building are attached for your attention.

The proposal is that, subject to planning, building could commence at the end of August for completion around January 2020.

If you have thoughts on this you are obviously welcome to comment on the planning consultation through Telford and Wrekin Council. We will also display the plans in Reception from April 29th and we welcome your thoughts being placed on here.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support.

Best wishes

Mrs N Moody Mr L Boardman
Head teacher Chair of Governors