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# Crown Street Primary School

Proposed free school – opening September 2024

Report on Section 10 public consultation

5<sup>th</sup> June – 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023



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## Executive summary

Crown Street Primary School is an inclusive, non-selective, non-denominational one form entry primary school and nursery in the pre-opening phase with a preferred opening date of September 2024. The school will be part of the Laurus Trust, a multi-academy trust that operates five secondary schools and three primary schools including Gorsey Bank Primary School, rated Outstanding by Ofsted in May 2023. This report details the formal Section 10 consultation.

Crown Street Primary School ("Crown Street") will provide outstanding teaching and an environment where every child will feel safe and secure, valued and cared for. School will be an enjoyable, exciting place where every pupil can flourish and succeed.

Manchester Local Authority and the Department for Education selected the Laurus Trust to be the school's sponsor on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2022. The formal statutory consultation ran from 5<sup>th</sup> June – 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023.

The local community has responded very positively throughout this period. We would like to thank all those who have taken the time to give feedback. Suggestions and comments have been considered, responded to in this document and where appropriate incorporated into the proposals for the running of the school.



## The proposer group

The Laurus Trust is a multi-academy trust with Cheadle Hulme High School (“CHHS”), the founder school, and Gorsey Bank Primary School at its centre. CHHS is a hugely oversubscribed academy converter and has been judged Outstanding in every category by Ofsted in 2011 and 2015. Gorsey Bank was judged Outstanding in every category by Ofsted in 2023. Inspectors commented “*Pupils achieve exceptionally well. They leave the school at the end of Year 6 as well-rounded, thoughtful and knowledgeable individuals. Pupils are highly equipped to embrace the challenges of the key stage 3 curriculum.*” Cheadle Hulme Primary was inspected in January 2023 and was judged Good overall with outstanding judgements for the Early Years and for the Personal Development of pupils.

The trust has opened five new free schools to date, all of which are oversubscribed.

School	Local Authority	Year Opened	Ofsted rating
<b>Laurus Cheadle Hulme</b>	Stockport	2018	Outstanding (2023)
<b>Laurus Ryecroft</b>	Tameside	2018	Outstanding (2023)
<b>Cheadle Hulme Primary School</b>	Stockport	2018	Good (2023)
<b>Didsbury High School</b>	Manchester	2019	Not yet inspected
<b>Woodford Primary School</b>	Stockport	2022	Not yet inspected

Hazel Grove High School joined the Trust in September 2019 shortly after it had been judged Requires Improvement. In January 2022, the school was judged a “Good” school by Ofsted and was Outstanding in 3 out of 5 categories. Inspectors commented “*Leaders and staff collaborate very well to set highly ambitious goals for pupils and students. Pupils and students enjoy the wide range of subjects that they study. They receive the high-quality encouragement and support that they need to achieve increasingly well.*”

We were delighted to have been selected by Manchester City Council to operate the new primary school in the city centre.

### Our vision

*For everyone regardless of background or circumstance to be inspired, to thrive in all environments, to recognise what it takes to succeed, to set aspirational goals and work hard to achieve them.*

The vision is shared across all schools in the Laurus Trust and is reflected in every aspect of school life.

# Statutory consultation

The statutory section 10 consultation commenced on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023 and ran for 6 weeks to 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023.

Information provided to stakeholders took the following forms:

1. Public consultation booklet (please see Appendix 1). This booklet was made available in digital and printed form and detailed the Proposer Group, key individuals, the vision, ethos and proposal for the new school and key information on the consultation process. It also provided information on how stakeholders could give feedback as well as come to face to face meetings to have their questions answered and share their views.
2. Laurus Trust and Crown Street Primary School websites carried information about the proposed school, the consultation process, a downloadable consultation booklet as well as an online questionnaire to complete.
3. A leaflet drop to 10,000 local residents and 1,000 local faith groups, nurseries and businesses, took place between 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> May 2023, highlighting the consultation and the drop-in events.
4. Social Media paid advertisements were used to ensure wide reach in a targeted way.
5. Consultation meetings – two events were held both at Manchester Central Library, St Peter's Square, within walking distance of the school site. One was in the morning and one was early evening. The Executive Head Primary, Head of School Designate and Trust senior leaders hosted the events. Large boards provided information about the Trust, our existing schools and our proposed vision, curriculum and admission arrangements for Crown Street.
6. Regular Facebook and Twitter updates throughout the 6-week period reminded stakeholders of the consultation.
7. Tours at Cheadle Hulme Primary School were offered to prospective parents as a means for them to gain more information.

(See the appendices for further information on the above)

# Stakeholders

A wide range of stakeholders was consulted including:

- Local parents and carers;
- Headteachers, governors and staff at local primary and secondary schools;
- Lucy Powell, MP for Manchester Central, and the MPs of neighbouring constituencies;
- Councillors in the ward where the site was located, and neighbouring wards;
- Relevant employees of Manchester Council; and
- Local residents and local community groups.

Further details are provided in Appendix 5.

The following page details the multiple methods of consultation deployed across the wide range of stakeholders.



Stakeholder	Method of consultation deployed	Key dates	Responses
Parents/Carers of prospective pupils	Email announcement sent to all those who had registered interest. Consultation booklet and online questionnaire available on website. <b>11,000 flyers distributed in local area</b> Two public consultation events Email reminders sent to the mailing list ahead of the events, as well as regular social media announcements and advertisement in local press. Tours of Cheadle Hulme Primary School & Gorsey Bank	05/06/23  15/05/23 – 17/05/23 05/06/23 + 28/06/23  01/09/2023	19 questionnaire responses. Approximately 40 attendees at both consultation events. 46 Twitter followers and 1350 impressions, 20 Facebook followers and average Facebook posts reaching 246 accounts, 9 organic posts and 1 paid advert was carried out over the consultation period. 10,000 flyers were distributed across Central Manchester postcodes. 1,506 unique page views on the Section 10 consultation page. Renaker shared the consultation event details with over 2,000 residents via their resident comms app. 2.8k Crown Street website visitors over the consultation period.
Local residents	Email announcement sent to all those who had registered interest. Consultation booklet and online questionnaire available on website. <b>11,000 flyers distributed in local area</b> Two public consultation events Email reminders sent to the mailing list ahead of the events, as well as regular social media announcements and advertisement in local press.	05/06/23  15/05/23 – 17/05/23 05/06/23 + 28/06/23	7 questionnaire responses. 46 Twitter followers and 1350 impressions, 20 Facebook followers and average Facebook posts reaching 246 accounts, 9 organic posts and 1 paid advert was carried out over the consultation period. 10,000 flyers were distributed across Central Manchester postcodes. 1,506 unique page views on the Section 10 consultation page. Renaker shared the consultation event details with over 2,000 residents via their resident comms app. 2.8k Crown Street website visitors over the consultation period.
MP and local ward councillors	Email sent announcing the consultation period Consultation booklet and online questionnaire available on website. Two public consultation events	05/06/23  05/06/23 + 28/06/23	1 questionnaire response.  Councillor Anthony McCaul attended the second information event.
Manchester Local Authority	Email sent announcing the consultation period Consultation booklet and online questionnaire available on website. Two public consultation events.	05/06/23  05/06/23 + 28/06/23	2 questionnaire responses. Tweets from MCC announcing the Laurus Trust as sponsor and the progress of the new primary school



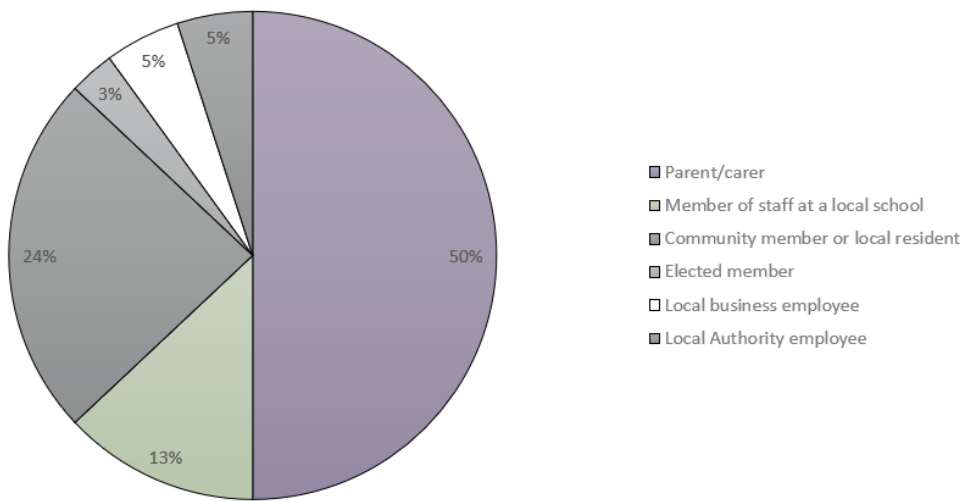
Headteachers of local primary and secondary schools	Email sent announcing the consultation period Consultation booklet and online questionnaire Two public consultation events	05/06/23 05/06/23 + 28/06/23	5 questionnaire responses from staff or governors at local schools.
Local community groups	Email sent announcing the consultation period Consultation booklet and online questionnaire Two public consultation events	05/06/23 05/06/23 + 28/06/23	4 questionnaire responses.



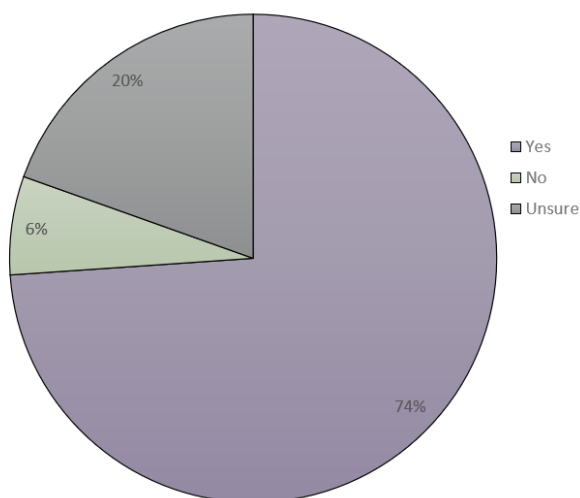
# Statutory consultation results and responses

38 consultation questionnaire responses were received. Replies to the 6 questions asked were as follows:

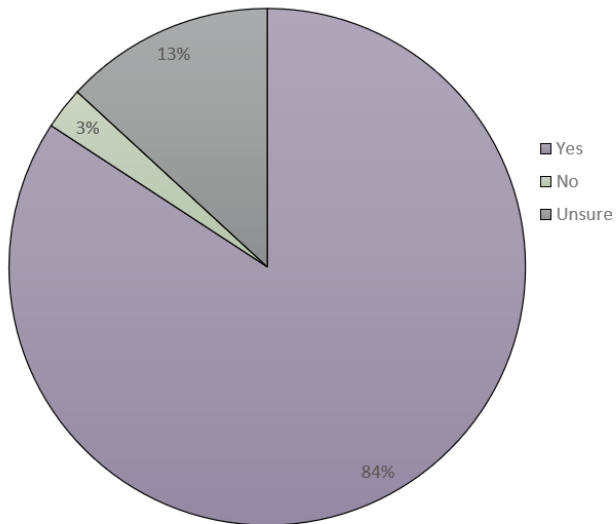
## 1. Which of the following best describes you?



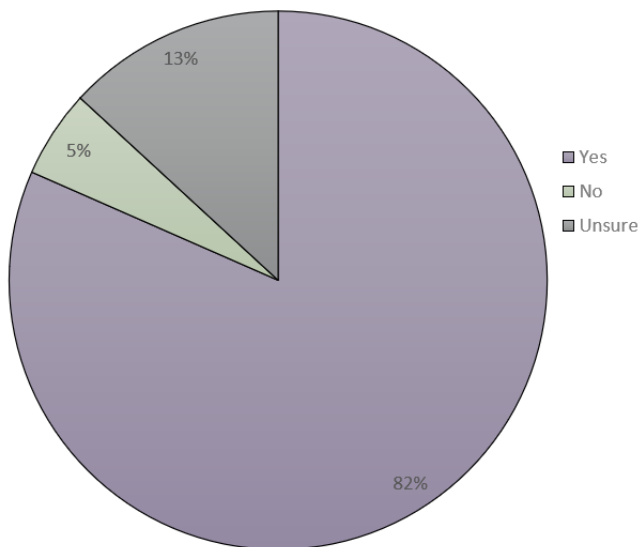
## 2. Do you agree that opening the proposed Crown Street Primary School will meet a need to provide additional primary school places in Manchester City Centre?



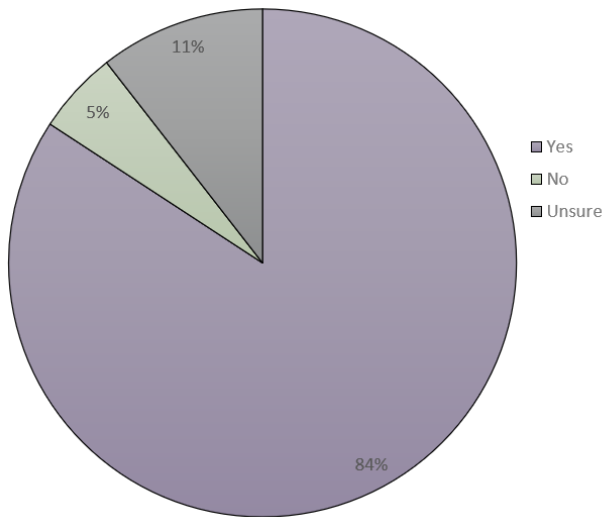
3. Do you agree that the vision and curriculum plan of Crown Street Primary School meets the needs of the community?



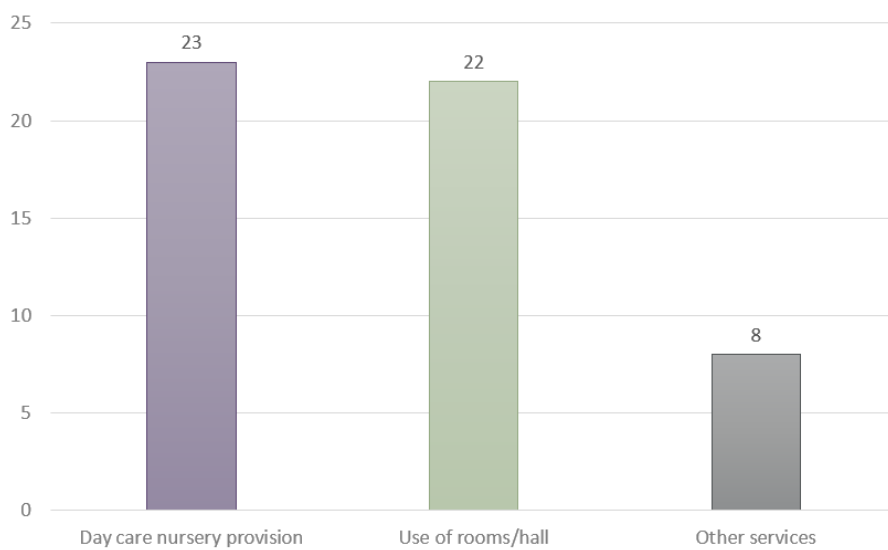
4. Do you support the Admissions arrangements we are proposing for Crown Street Primary School?



5. Should the Laurus Trust set up this new free school?



6. We want the building to be an important part of the local community. Are there any services you would like the building to offer the local community?





## Our response:

We were pleased with the number of responses we had to the consultation questionnaire and that, for each question posed, there was a significant majority in favour. Of the 38 respondents, 30 responded 'yes' to every question.

Only two respondents – both local residents – answered 'no' to the Laurus Trust setting up the free school.

The question asking if respondents were supportive of the proposed admissions arrangements gave the highest number of unsure and negative responses – 7 in total.

All respondents had the opportunity to provide further comments to their answers.

## Sample positive comments

*"There are more and more younger parents living in the city centre than there were before with no schools nearby. So this will definitely be welcomed."*

Parent/carer

*"We are very excited about it!"*

Community member

*"The establishment of a new city centre school and one which is non-denominational meets a fundamental need for us."*

Parent/carer

*"Absolutely! You'll be the only primary school within the inner ring road, and just the second supporting city centre families. You'll enable many families to remain at home in the city centre."*

Parent/carer

*"I find this will benefit many parents that work and live in the area as Manchester City Centre is short in primary schools!"*

Parent/carer

*"Most definitely, in fact I believe considerably more primary school places will eventually be needed to meet the growing needs of the growing number of young families living in the city centre."*

Parent/carer

*"Diversification of city centre dwellers makes for a better city."*

Parent/carer



*“Most definitely. City centre kids must have equal opportunity to great schooling heritage.”*

Parent/carer

Our response: The Laurus Trust’s vision to support Manchester City Council’s strategy to make the city centre a great and sustainable place to live, to provide primary school places and enable every pupil to flourish and succeed is central to our proposal. It is helpful to know that local parents/carers and residents appreciate that the proposed Crown Street Primary School will meet local need.

## Negative comments

Of the 38 respondents, 3 responded ‘no’ and ‘unsure’ to all four questions and provided the following comments:

*“Lots of places unfilled in nearby primary schools where numbers are falling”*

Member of staff or governor at a local school

*“No school needed. Worst and the stupidest idea ever. No1 living here wants this God damn school.”*

Local resident

Our response: Manchester City Council has an extensive and ambitious regeneration agenda, a crucial element of which is major housing development, which the area around Crown Street Primary School is one. The continued attractiveness of the city centre as a place to live and work and the ongoing residential growth will result in additional demand for primary school places as more residents choose to remain in the area when starting a family. This is evidenced in the majority of our consultation responses.

The opening of this new school directly contributes to the Manchester Strategy (Our Manchester 2016) in the following ways<sup>1</sup>:

1. A thriving and sustainable city  
The ongoing growth of the City’s education sector will continue to create opportunities for employment in schools and those businesses which are involved in the supply of goods and services.
2. A highly skilled city  
A sufficiency of high quality education provision will provide future generations with the skills and behaviours to benefit from the City’s economic success.
3. A progressive and equitable city

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<sup>1</sup> Extracts from Manchester City Council’s Director of Education’s report on School Place Planning, 12 February 2020



Schools are environments in which the diversity and talent of Manchester's children and young people is celebrated. Pupils are supported and encouraged to achieve their aspirations and maximise their potential.

4. A liveable and low carbon city  
Investment in modern, energy efficient and high quality education infrastructure drives reductions in carbon across the estate of schools.
5. A connected city  
Investment in existing and new education provision will enhance the City's attractiveness to potential residents and contribute to the development of high quality neighbourhoods.

## Other comments

In respect of the proposed admissions policy:

*"I agree with criteria A-D but I'm not convinced a tie-break based solely on distance from the school supports the objective of providing more primary school places for city centre families/children. Should the catchment area be more skewed over city centre to facilitate this? Nearby St Philips C of E Primary School has criteria prioritising children who live in Hulme. If other nearby schools have a similar criteria to St Philips, and you rely solely on distance, it concerns me that families in the city centre, who are desperately short of school places, will miss out on these places to families in the immediate surrounding areas."*

Parent/carer

Our response:

The admissions policy for this school will be approved by the Admissions Authority (the Laurus Trust's board of trustees) on an annual basis. The trustees believe the best way for a brand new school to operate an oversubscription criteria tie break is through distance as it is reasonable, clear, objective and procedurally fair to decide between two applications that cannot otherwise be separated. We will work closely with Manchester City Council on reviewing school places and consult in future years on the admissions policy should there be consideration for amendment.

*"Although I support the admissions arrangements I think it will limit the schools ability to supporting and helping younger kids thrive, regardless of where they come from. I think although there are a lot of residents who will qualify to apply by using the local authority school system, which of course is of most convenience to them, those who work or will work full time may also benefit from being able to apply for the school. For example, I reside in Cheetham Hill, now whether Crown Street Primary School will be on the list or not, I don't know, but I as a parent, want my child to go to this school, not just because I work in the area, but because it's a breath of fresh air."*

Parent/carer

Our response:

All parents/carers living in the LA will have the option to select Crown Street Primary in the LA's coordinated admissions application process. The Council have a statutory duty to ensure every child in the Local Authority is allocated a school place. The LA's coordinated school admission process takes into account the different admissions policies operated by each school and allows parents to choose preferred schools via the Equal Preference Scheme. It also is the best way to



ensure parents received a single offer of a school place for their child on the same day.

## Conclusion and next steps

There has been extensive ongoing consultation with a wide range of stakeholders. Feedback has been undeniably supportive and positive. We have listened and will now update our website to ensure we provide as much information as possible on the admissions process and the curriculum that we will deliver.

We are confident our school will provide additional much needed places for parents/carers in the city centre community. This has been the most common response received from those in support of the school. The Trust will now begin the process of agreeing a Funding Agreement for Crown Street Primary School with the Secretary of State for Education.

We would like to thank all stakeholders who have taken the time to read and hear about our plans and provide feedback. We will continue to work with all stakeholders to consider further feedback about the development of the school and to address concerns raised.



# Appendix 1



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## Our vision



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Our vision is for everyone, regardless of background or circumstance, to be inspired, to thrive in all environments, to recognise what it takes to succeed, to set aspirational goals and work hard to achieve them.





## Who are the Laurus Trust?

The Laurus Trust is a Multi Academy Trust that was founded in 2016 by Cheadle Hulme High School (an 11-18 secondary school) and Gorsey Bank (a 5-11 primary school, located in Wilmslow).

We have since opened five brand new free schools (two primary and three secondary) including Didsbury High School in Greater Manchester. We have also been approved to open an 80-place Alternative Provision School in Stockport, Laurus Grace, which will cater for secondary students with significant

social, emotional and mental health needs. We currently educate 8,000 young people in the Greater Manchester area. All of our schools are heavily oversubscribed and have a reputation, both locally and further afield, for outstanding teaching and learning.

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**Linda Magrath OBE**  
CEO, Laurus Trust

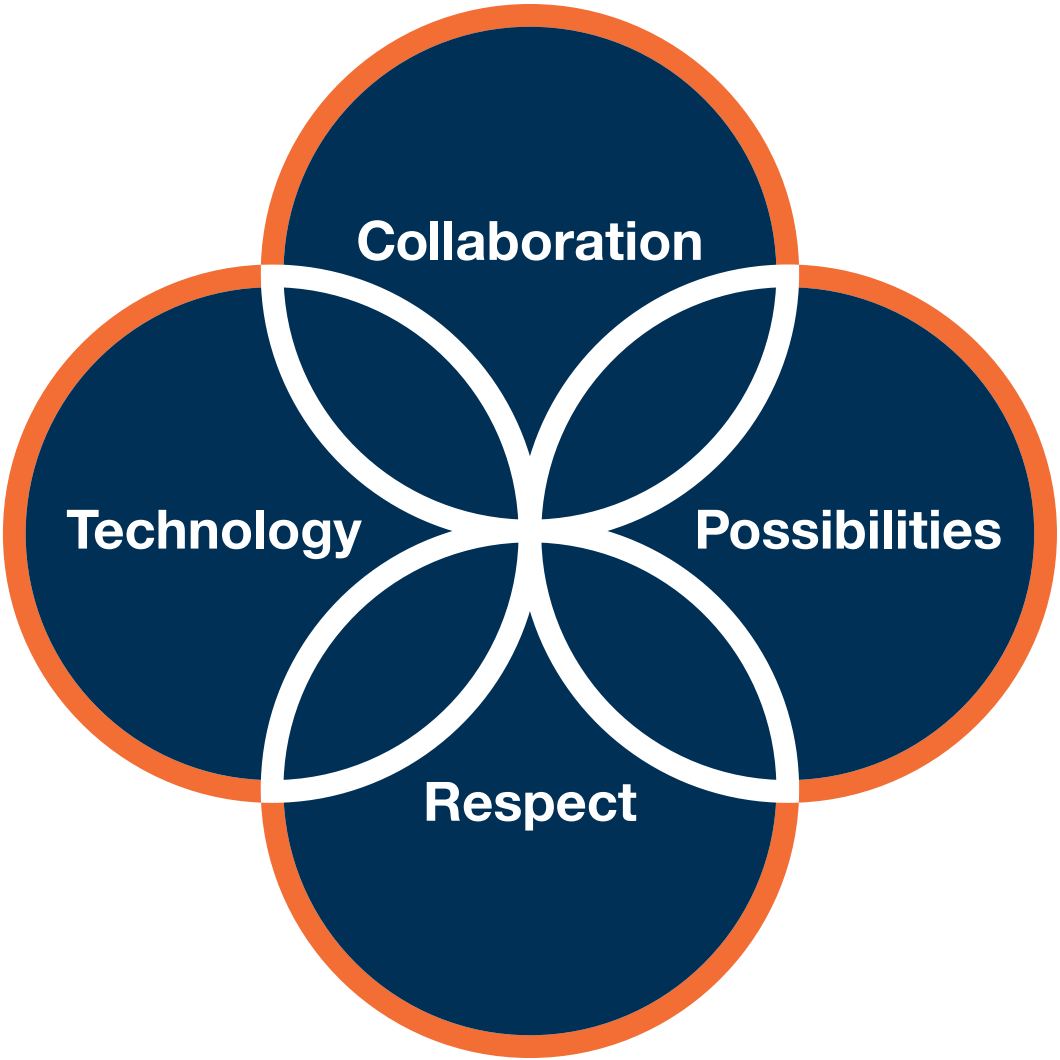


## Our proposal

We are delighted that the Laurus Trust has been selected by Manchester City Council to operate Crown Street Primary School which will open in September 2024.

The school is currently under construction and is located in the new Great Jackson Street development, nestled between Elizabeth Tower and The Blade in the city centre. Our intention is for Crown Street Primary School to serve its local community. It will be an inclusive, non-selective, non-denominational one form entry school where all pupils flourish, regardless of their background or

circumstance. We intend to provide 30 Reception places in the school's opening year and a further 30 Reception places each academic year thereafter until the school becomes a thriving 210-pupil, one form entry school in September 2030. Crown Street Primary School will also be home to a 20 place Pre-School for three and four-year-olds.



# What can you expect from Crown Street Primary School?

At Crown Street Primary School, pupils will feel safe and secure, valued and cared for. School will be an enjoyable, exciting place where every pupil can flourish and succeed.

We believe that the most effective way to achieve self-worth for every child is by being unashamedly academic, unapologetically aspirational and by having uncompromising standards within a culture of:

- valuing hard work – we do whatever it takes for as long as it takes
- continuous improvement
- respect and trust
- high expectations and ambition
- high autonomy, high accountability
- praise and reward – celebrate success and learn from mistakes

## **Laurus Primary Curriculum**

We recognise that the National Curriculum gives children an excellent foundation for learning, but we believe that a school curriculum should go well beyond this. For us, a school curriculum represents the framework through which we impart the core body of knowledge that our pupils will need to lead fulfilling lives.

Our curriculum, and the way in which it is taught, is designed to instil a passion for learning. We teach the essential knowledge our pupils will need, in all curriculum areas, for successful lives beyond our walls – thus opening doors to the futures of their choice, whatever they may be.

Our ambition is for all pupils to develop a full appreciation of the world in which they are growing up. We attach great importance to helping all pupils understand the challenges and opportunities of the world we live in and to use the knowledge they have acquired to discuss, debate and challenge the status quo. We believe this will empower them to be able to change the world for the better.

## **Academic success alone is not enough**

As a Trust, we understand that academic success alone is not enough and that pupils need a progressive enrichment curriculum as well as an ambitious academic one. This is what we will provide at Crown Street Primary School.

Four curriculum drivers (Collaboration, Possibilities, Respect and Technology) embody the ethos that permeates the culture within Laurus Primary Schools. They provide a framework for our enrichment curriculum which is designed to develop the cultural and social capital of all pupils by providing them with opportunities they may not have otherwise had.

# Why does **Manchester** need a new primary school?

Manchester City Council has identified the need to establish a new Primary School in the city centre, and for the school to open in September 2024.

The school is regarded as an essential piece of social infrastructure to support the education and sustainable growth of existing and future communities in the local area. Crown Street Primary will provide school places for families living in and around Great Jackson Street, Deansgate Square and the surrounding areas.

Councillor Garry Bridges, Executive Member for Children and Schools, Manchester Council, said: "This is a big moment for Manchester and a big statement on what we want our city centre to be – a family friendly place with lots of homes and jobs for all. People want to make the city centre their home and so it's important for us to provide the infrastructure they need to enable them to do this through every stage of their lives." (Quoted in the MEN, May 2022)

## **Off to a flying start**

We understand that starting school is a significant moment for a family and we will do whatever it takes to ensure every child gets off to a flying start with us.

We take our responsibility for every child's personal and academic development seriously and therefore place great emphasis on developing and maintaining positive relationships in an inclusive environment that enables every child to flourish. We believe that a strong partnership between home and school is vital in order for every pupil to achieve their best.

This will be the sixth new school our Trust has opened and the first school to be built in heart of the city in over twenty years. With the current city centre population forecast to grow from 60,000 to 100,000 by 2025 (Future Manchester, Manchester City Council, February 2022), we hope Crown Street Primary will serve families living here for many generations to come. As a Trust, we have seen the significant difference that an excellent education can make to the future prospects of young people.



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Pupils benefit from a curriculum which aims to prepare them for the future world. Leaders have high expectations for pupils' academic achievement. Pupils, including those with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND), achieve well. Children in the early years settle quickly and get off to a flying start. They are very well prepared for key stage 1.

– Ofsted Report (Cheadle Hulme Primary School), January 2023



# Crown Street Primary School

## Leadership Team



**Lisa Woolley**  
Executive Head

Lisa has spent 20 years in primary teaching and has a strong track record of securing excellent pupil outcomes. She believes that the best educators are the best learners and having completed a Masters in Education and a Masters in Business Administration, Lisa is now studying for a PhD in Education Research. Lisa leads on Governance for the Laurus Trust, serves as an Expert Advisor for National Professional Qualifications in School Leadership and is a serving Ofsted Inspector.



**Heleyna Thompson**  
Head of School

Heleyna trained at Gorsey Bank Primary School ten years ago, before securing a role as a Class Teacher the following year. Heleyna was the English Lead and Standards Lead before becoming Assistant Head for Pupil Outcomes in 2021. Throughout her time at Gorsey Bank she has taught across the primary phase and has a proven track record of excellent pupil outcomes at the End of Key Stage 1 and End of Key Stage 2.



## Proposed admissions process

If you would like to register your interest in a future Pre-School or Reception place at Crown Street Primary School, please visit our website [crownstreetprimary.org.uk](http://crownstreetprimary.org.uk) to complete the online Registration of Interest Form.

Registering an interest will mean that you will be kept up to date with details of upcoming open events and any other important admissions information.

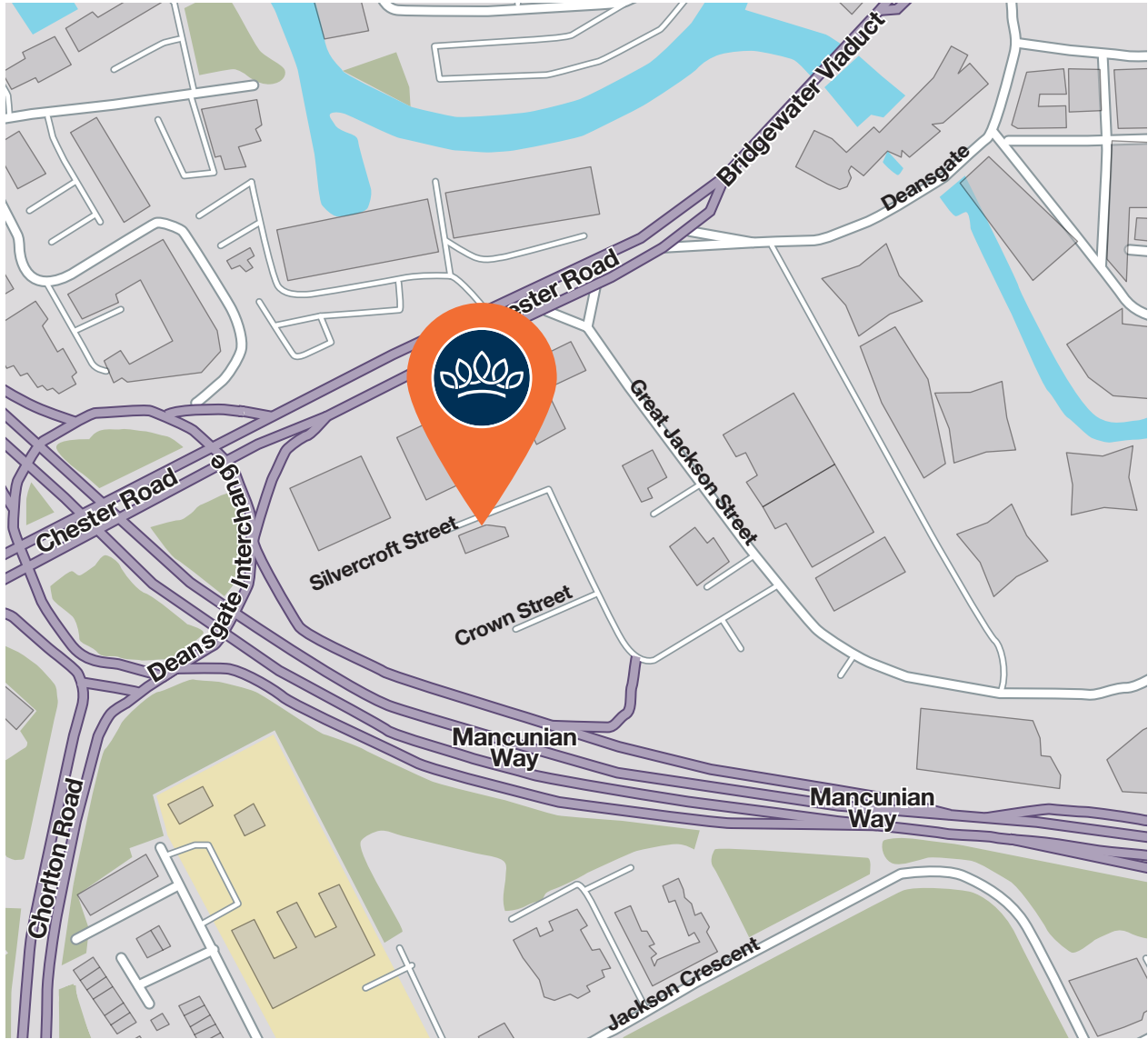
Please note that registering your interest does not mean that you have applied for a place at Crown Street Primary School. The Laurus Trust has drawn up a proposed Admissions Policy after taking into account some initial feedback from local stakeholders. This draft policy details how people can apply, how places will be allocated in the event of oversubscription, and how people can appeal against any decisions. The policy can be found on our website.



**Scan the QR code below to find out more information about the School Admissions Code, which our admissions policy must comply with.**



# Our location



## The consultation process

Over the coming weeks, we would like to hear from the whole community to help inform the Secretary of State for Education's decision on entering a Funding Agreement with the Laurus Trust.

We want to listen to your comments and act on feedback to ensure our school is the best it can be and meets the needs of the community we serve. The consultation will run from **Monday 5th June to Sunday 16th July 2023**.

This is an important step in our journey to opening in September 2024. We will record all views that are shared with us during the formal consultation.



### You can give us feedback in a number of ways:

- **Visit our website**  
[www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk](http://www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk)  
and complete the online consultation questionnaire or return by email to:  
[enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk)  
or by post to:  
**Laurus Trust,**  
Cheadle Hulme High School,  
Free School Consultation,  
Woods Lane,  
Cheadle Hulme,  
SK8 7JY

- **Attend one of the public drop-in events we are holding at:**

**Manchester Central Library,**  
St Peter's Square, M2 5PD on:  
**Monday 5th June** between **10.00am**  
**and 12.00pm** or on **Wednesday 28th**  
**June** between **4.00 and 7.00pm**

- **Follow us on Twitter** or like our Facebook page and join in the conversation.

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## Appendix 2

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Cheshire, SK8 7JY

[laurustrust.co.uk](http://laurustrust.co.uk)



### **Crown Street Primary School - Section 10 Consultation**

As part of the process of opening a new school, the Department for Education require a consultation under Section 10 of the Academies Act 2010. This enables local residents, staff and governors from local schools, nursery and childcare providers, parents, councillors, community groups and any other interested parties to share their views.

The consultation period for Crown Street Primary School will run from **5<sup>th</sup> June – 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023**. This is an important step in our journey to opening in September 2024. We are looking forward to listening to your views in order to provide you with the best school possible.

We would be grateful if you could respond to this consultation by filling in this questionnaire. The questionnaire is available to submit online via our website [www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk](http://www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk).

Alternatively please complete this form and submit via email to [enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk) or via post to:

The Laurus Trust  
Free School Consultation  
Cheadle Hulme High School  
Woods Lane  
Cheadle Hulme  
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# Questionnaire – Crown Street Primary School Consultation



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Thank you very much for completing this form. We welcome your views in order to provide the best school possible.

**1. About You: Which of the following best describes you?**

- Parent / carer
- Member of staff or governor at a local school
- Community member
- Elected member
- Local resident
- Local business owner
- Local business employee
- Local Authority employee
- Other (please state):

**2. Do you agree that opening the proposed Crown Street Primary School will meet a need to provide additional primary school places in Manchester City Centre? (Please select one)**

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Please provide comments and feedback:

**3. Do you agree that the vision and curriculum plan of Crown Street Primary School meets the needs of the community? (Please select one)**

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Please provide comments and feedback:

**4. Do you support the Admissions arrangements (available to view at [www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk](http://www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk)) we are proposing for Crown Street Primary School? (Please select one)**

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Please provide comments and feedback:

**5. Should the Laurus Trust set up this new free school? (Please select one)**

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Please provide comments and feedback:

**6. We want the building to be an important part of the local community. Are there any services you would like the building to offer the local community (please select – more than one is possible)?**

- Day care nursery provision
- Use of rooms/hall
- Any other services? Suggestions:

**Supplementary information (not compulsory)**

If you would like us to stay in touch with you, provide details about the outcome of the consultation and the latest developments with our school, please provide contact details below

Your Name:

Your Address:

Your Email Address:

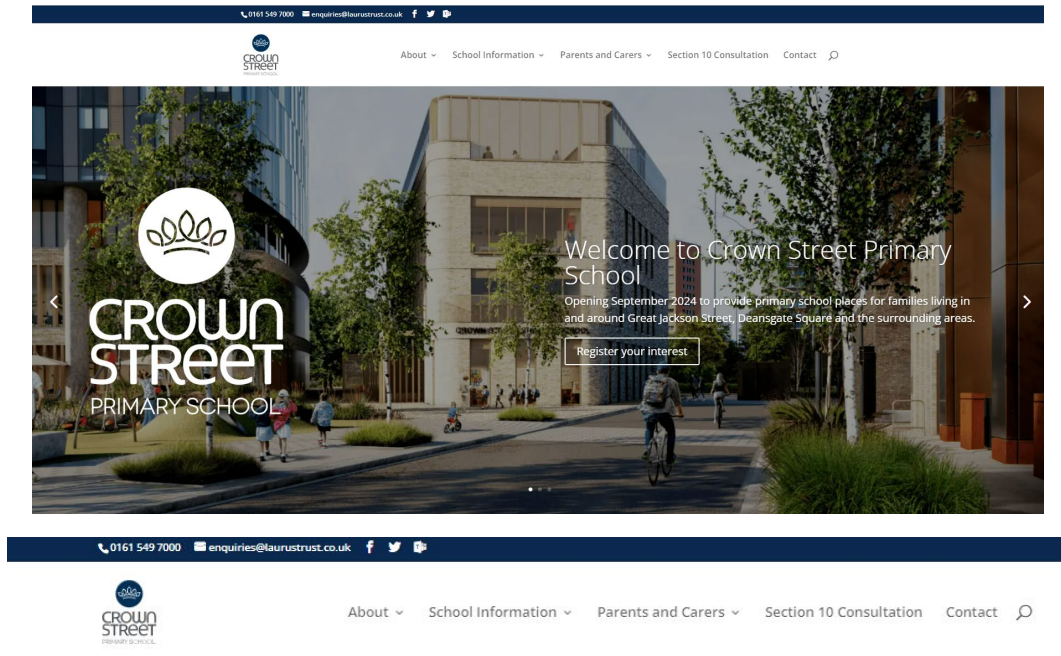
If you are interested in applying for a place at the school, please complete the Register Interest form on the website, [www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk](http://www.crownstreetprimary.org.uk)

If you have a particular question please email [enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@laurustrust.co.uk)

Thank you for completing the consultation.

# Appendix 3 – Promotional Material

## School Website



### School Information Event

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The Laurus Trust will be holding two information events, as part of the Section 10 public consultation process that has to be carried out in the lead up to Crown Street Primary School opening in September 2024.

The information events will take place at **Manchester Central Library, St Peter's Square, Manchester, M2 5PD** on:

- Monday 5th June 2023 10am -12pm
- Wednesday 28th June 2023 4pm – 7pm

Interested parties, including prospective parents/carers, are warmly invited to attend where you will be able to meet senior staff at the Laurus Trust as well as the Head of School for Crown Street Primary School. There will be plans showing the building, information on the vision for the school, curriculum, proposed admissions process and uniform.

### Archives

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**Crown Street Primary School** Sponsored

Opening September 2024. Crown Street Primary School will be the first primary school to open in Manchester City Centre, in almost 20 years.

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Register your interest for one of our information events to find out more about Crown Street Primary School and the Laurus Trust.

**Dates**  
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**Location**  
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St Peter's Square, M2 5PD

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Join us at Manchester Central Library on Monday to discover more about Crown Street Primary School and @LaurusTrust.

To find out more and register your interest, please visit:  
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## Appendix 4 – Consultation Events

Held at Manchester Central Library on 5<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023.





## Appendix 5 – Stakeholders

Stakeholders sent details of the consultation by email

Name	Details
Registered interest through website	130 registered individuals
All Stockport Primary & Secondary Headteachers	
Local Nurseries	Bright Horizons Nursery Group
	Martenscroft Nursery School
	Bright Eyes Day Nursery
	Paintpots Nursery
	Georgie Porgie's Day Nursery
Local Community Groups	Hulme United Reformed Church
	New Hope Fellowship Church
	The Manchester Methodist
	Ascension Church Hulme
	Christ Family Church
	Manchester Central Library
	All Saints Library
	Manchester Poetry Library
	John Rylands Library
	Museum of Science and Industry
	Renaker Build Ltd
	Castlefield Viaduct
	Great Northern
	Z Arts
	Manchester Art Gallery
National Football Museum	
Waterstones	
Amanda Concoran	Director of education
Michelle Devine	Head of Access and Sufficiency
Joanne Roney	Chief Executive
Isobel Booler	Head of School QA and Strategic SEND
John Francoli	Lead for School Places
Paul Marshall	Director of Children's and Education Services
Julie Hicklin	SEND Lead
Sharon Gardner	Education Safeguarding
Barney Harle	Head of Major Projects
Andrea Daubney	Assistant Director of Education
Jane Johnson	Virtual Head
Garry Bridges	Executive Member for Early Years, Children and Young People
Marcus Johns	Labour Member for Designate Ward
Joan Davies	Labour Member for Designate Ward
Anthony McCaul	Labour Member for Designate Ward
Lucy Powell	MP for Manchester Central
Andy Burnham	Mayor of Greater Manchester
Eamonn O'Brien	Portfolio for Education, GMCA