SCHOOL CLOSURE PLAN

The table below shows the updated BFG Schools Closure Plan. We have advanced the closure dates for both Lister School Herford and Montgomery School Hohne from Dec 15 to Jul 15 to the end of the academic year, and taken the decision to cease termly boarding at King's School Gütersloh in Jul 15. We have worked closely with the Army Basing Team who now have a much greater degree of confidence that the unit rebasing moves from Hohne and Herford will be completed on time and during the essential 2015 summer school holidays period, allowing closure of Montgomery and Lister. We have also worked with HQ British Forces Germany who provide our Firm Base support and confirmed that following the closure of the Detmold estate earlier this year and Elmpt in summer 2015, all the remaining BFG population (Bielefeld, Paderborn, Gütersloh) will be well within daily commuting distance of Kings, allowing boarding to cease.

Area	SCE School	Closure Date
Bergen-Hohne Garrison		
Hohne	Montgomery School	Jul 15 (Firm)
	Slim School	Jul 15 (Firm)
	Gloucester School	Jul 15 (Firm)
Fallingbostel	Shackleton School	Jul 15 (Firm)
	Heide School	Jul 15 (Firm)
Elmpt Garrison		
	Bruggen School	Jul 15 (Firm)
Gütersloh Garrison		
Herford	Lister School	Jul 15 (Firm)
Gütersloh Princess Royal Barracks	Blankenhagen School	Jul 16 (Firm)
Gütersloh Mansergh Barracks	Haig School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
	King's School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
		Boarding ceases Jul 15
Bielefeld	Bielefeld School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
Paderborn Garrison		
Hameln	Weser School	Jul 14 (Firm)
	Prince Rupert School	Jul 14 (Firm)
Paderborn	William Wordsworth School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
	Robert Browning School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
	John Buchan School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
	Bishopspark School	Jul 18 (Provisional)
Detmold	Sir John Mogg School	Jul 14 (Firm)