

Lincoln UTC: Enhanced Impact Assessment

Secondary Schools

School name	School type	Capacity	Attainment in 2012	Ofsted grade	Impact rating
Lincoln Christ's Hospital School	11-18 Academy converter	1465	Below national average. 53% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	Moderate. A larger than average school with a growing sixth form and a designated specialist language college. The school has a small number of surplus places and attainment just below the national average. The school is in the closest proximity to the UTC (0.8miles). The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy. <u>See further note below.</u>
Lincoln Castle Academy	11-18 Academy converter	900	Below national average. 51% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	High. Approx. 1 mile away with existing surplus palaces and attainment below national average. The UTC is likely to affect the long term viability of the Academy. <u>See further note below.</u>
The Priory Academy LSST	11-18 Academy Sponsor led	1680	Well above national average. 99% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Outstanding	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
St Peter and St Paul	11- 18 Voluntary Aided School (Academy Converter -May 2013)	591	Below national average. 44% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	Moderate A Catholic High School and specialist science college, which is a smaller than average size and which is only marginally undersubscribed (0.3%). Attainment is below national average and has remained broadly static in the last 3 years. However, the number of students on roll has grown in the last two years, particularly in the sixth form where numbers have increased by around 300%. As the school is faith based with nearly maximum occupancy and is approx. 2 miles away, it is not expected to lose significant numbers to the UTC. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the School.

Priory Witham Academy	3-18 Academy Sponsor led	970	Well below national average. 25% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Requires Improvement	Moderate. The Academy opened in 2008 as part of the Priory Federation of Academies. The school has attainment well below national average and performance is declining. However the academy is over 2 miles away from the UTC, the number of surplus places is low (11%) and the school was oversubscribed in its entry year for 2011/12. Whilst some parents/pupils may be attracted to an alternative, the UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
Cherry Willingham Community School	11- 16 Foundation School	634	Just above national average. 60% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Requires Improvement	Moderate. The school was downgraded from 'Good' in April 2013. The school is much smaller than average and draws most of its students from four villages to the east of Lincoln. The proportion of students supported through school action plus or a statement of special educational needs is high. Although the school has 28% surplus places, the school does not have a sixth form and is over 3 miles away, so is not expected to lose significant numbers to the UTC. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the School.
Priory City of Lincoln Academy	11-18 Academy Sponsor led	900	Well below national average. 32% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	Moderate. The Academy opened in 2008 as part of the Priory Federation of Academies, specialising in engineering, sport and health. The school has a 'good' Ofsted rating (assessed 2010) but has attainment well below national average. Although performance is improving, 2012 attainment results have decreased from 46% to 32%. The Academy was undersubscribed for entry in 2011/12, but the number of surplus places is low (8%) and the academy is over 3 miles away from the UTC. Whilst some parents/pupils may be attracted to an alternative, particularly given that the school is offering an engineering specialism the UTC is

					unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
Branston Community Academy	11-18 Academy converter	1125	Above national average. 69% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Outstanding	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
Sir Robert Pattinson Academy	11-18 Academy converter	1409	Just above national average. 62% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	Moderate. An improving school with attainment results above national average. The Academy has less than 10% surplus places and is approx. 4 miles away, so is not expected to lose significant numbers to the UTC. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
North Kesteven	11-18 Academy converter	1461	At national average. 59% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Good	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.
William Farr CofE Comprehensive School	11 -18 Academy converter	1496	Well above national average. 51% 5 A*-incl English & Maths	Outstanding	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the Academy.

Post 16 Colleges

College name	Ofsted	Number of learners aged 16-18	Proportion of learners aged 16-18	Average Point Score per student 2012	Impact Rating
Lincoln College	Outstanding	3500	34.7%	529.3	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the College.
Grantham College	Good	1251	58.6%	531.4	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the College.
John Leggott Sixth Form College	Requires Improvement	2059	99.9%	821.4	Minimal. The UTC is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the College.

Secondary schools with a high impact rating

Lincoln Castle Academy has a small existing surplus of places of 10% of capacity and was undersubscribed for entry in 2011/12 by 17%. The school was assessed as 'good' by Ofsted in October 2011 and although performance is improving, attainment is below the national average. It is our view that a number of parents/pupils may be attracted to an alternative provider and the loss of even a few pupils could exacerbate the existing surplus issue in this school and may have a significant impact on the school's overall attainment, viability and ability to improve. It is considered unlikely that any negative impact will be mitigated by an increased demand for secondary school places in the local area, as the secondary school aged population is projected to remain relatively stable over the next few years.

However, the admissions arrangements for the UTC are predicated on a 'nodal' recruitment model and recruitment from the Lincoln area is set at 14% of recruited students. This equates to a total of 20 students (out of a PAN of 140). Based on the 10 schools in the local area, the likely average loss per school to the UTC is approx. 2 students.

Lincoln Christ's Hospital School was close to being assigned high impact, as it is the nearest school and has a high surplus at entry point (year 7). However the attributes of its 'Good' Ofsted rating (assessed in March 2009) and the overall surplus being less than 5% mean that its impact is assessed within the Moderate range. The school had long term aspirations to occupy the property where UTC will be sited and were part of the Foundation of Chris's Hospital at Lincoln, from which the land for the UTC was purchased. Although initially resistant to the UTC, the school is now in favourable dialogue with the UTC sponsors and reciprocal resource sharing arrangements have been agreed, where the school will share German teaching staff and the UTC will allow access to their high class engineering facilities.

Attainment within the school (2012) is just below national average (having been just above national average in the previous two years). It is considered that that a number of parents/pupils may be attracted to an alternative provider and the loss of even a few pupils could exacerbate the existing surplus issue in this school. However, the overall surplus numbers in the school is small (5%) and the surplus places at the Y10 entry point in 2011 was 1% (4 pupils).