

Impact Assessment : NAS Church Lawton

We have looked at 19 special schools within an 11 mile radius from the site of NAS Church Lawton. We have concluded that NAS Church Lawton will have a minimal impact on all 19 of these schools.

School name	School type	Total number of pupils on roll	Capacity	Special Needs	Ofsted grade	Impact rating
Middlehurst Special School	Community Special School (2-19)	160	140	1) MLD, PD, PMLD, SLD	Good (May 2013)	Minimal – this school is 3.8 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for a range of SEN needs. It is oversubscribed (20) and has a good Ofsted rating. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD.
Roaches School	Other Independent Special School (7-16)	39	58	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 4.2 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty and has a surplus of places (19). Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on ASD and its post-16 offer.
Pace Education Ltd	Other Independent Special School (14-16)	21	30	1) ASD 2) BESD 3) MLD 4) SpLD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 5.2 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for a range of SEN needs for pupils aged 14-16, including Autistic Spectrum Disorder as its first priority. There is a surplus of places (9) and it may lose some pupils to Church Lawton. However, given that Church Lawton is specifically aimed at pupils aged 2-19 with ASD, the impact on Pace Education Ltd should be minimal.

Springfield School	Community Special School (2-19)	112	Unknown	1) ASD 2) SLD	Outstanding (November 2013)	Minimal – this school is 5.7 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for pupils with Autistic Spectrum Disorder and Severe Learning Difficulty and has an outstanding Ofsted rating. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD.
Oracle	Other Independent Special School (7-18)	9	20	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 5.7 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty. There is a surplus of places (11), however, Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on Autistic Spectrum Disorder.
Merryfields School	Community Special School (2-11)	86	Unknown	1) SLD	Good (March 2011)	Minimal – this school is 5.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Severe Learning Difficulty at primary school age. It has a good Ofsted rating, with some outstanding features. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Buglawton Hall School	Community Special School (7-16)	22	Unknown	1) BESD 2) SLD	Inadequate (February 2013)	Minimal – this school is 6.8 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty and Severe Learning Difficulty. It has an inadequate Ofsted rating, however, Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD, and it has a post-16 offer.

Cedar Independent School	Other Independent Special School (10-16)	0	3	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 6.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty at secondary school age, although it does not currently have any pupils. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Blackfriars School	Community Special School (2-19)	184	Unknown	1) ASD, BESD, MSI, PD, PMLD, SLCN, SLD	Outstanding (January 2013)	Minimal – this school is 6.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for a broad range of SEN needs, including Autistic Spectrum Disorder. It has an outstanding Ofsted rating and a relatively high number of pupils on roll. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on ASD.
Adelaide School	Academy Special Converter (11-16)	35	Unknown	1) BESD	Pre-academy conversion: Outstanding (February 2011)	Minimal – this school is 6.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty at secondary school age. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Coppice School	Community Special School (11-19)	106	Unknown	1) BESD 2) MLD	Good (May 2011)	Minimal – this school is 7.4 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Social and Emotional Difficulty and Moderate Learning Difficulty at secondary school age and post-16. It has a good Ofsted rating, with some outstanding features. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term

						viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD and it has a primary offer.
Abbey Hill School and Performing Arts College	Community Special School (2-18)	229	Unknown	1) ASD, MLD, SLCN, SpLD	Outstanding (June 2010)	Minimal – this school is 7.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for a range of SEN needs and has an outstanding Ofsted rating. With a relatively high number of pupils on roll and a focus on performing arts, the long term viability of this school is unlikely to be affected by Church Lawton.
Horton Lodge Community Special School	Community Special School (2-12)	57	Unknown	1) PD	Good (February 2013)	Minimal – this school is 8.5 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It is a boarding school and caters for pupils with Physical Disability. It has a good Ofsted rating, with some outstanding features. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of this school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Cicely Haughton School	Community Special School (4-11)	51	Unknown	1) BESD	Outstanding (May 2013)	Minimal – this school is 9.5 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty at primary school age. It has an outstanding Ofsted rating and Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Young Options Pathway College Stoke	Other Independent Special School (11-19)	6	15	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 9.9 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty at secondary school age and post-16. There is a surplus of places (9), however, Church Lawton

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Hopedale School	Other Independent Special School (7-16)	14	32	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 10.2 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty. There is a surplus of places (18), however, Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD and it has a post-16 offer.
Kemball Special School	Community Special School (2-19)	64	140	1) PD, PMLD, SLD	Good (November 2012)	Minimal – this school is 10.3 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for a range of SEN needs and has a significant number of surplus places (76). However, given that Church Lawton will focus on pupils with ASD, it is likely to have minimal impact on the school.
The Hedges Independent School	Other Independent Special School (10-16)	0	4	1) BESD	No Ofsted inspection	Minimal – this school is 11.2 miles from NAS Church Lawton and caters for pupils with Behaviour, Emotional and Social Difficulty at secondary school age, although it does not currently have any pupils. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it will cater specifically for pupils with ASD at primary, secondary and post-16.
Springfield Community Special School	Community Special School (2-11)	45	Unknown	1) SLD	Good (May 2012)	Minimal – this school is 11.2 miles from NAS Church Lawton. It caters for pupils with Severe Learning Difficulty at primary school age and has a good Ofsted rating. Church Lawton is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the

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