

Daventry Hill School Impact Assessment

Daventry Hill School will be a special all-through school and is due to open in Daventry, Northamptonshire, in September 2016. The school will offer provision for PMLD, SLD and ASD, including those with physical disabilities. We have looked at 20 schools, of which 12 are special schools/provisions and 8 are mainstream schools with an SEN Unit, within a 13 mile radius from the site of Daventry Hill – all located in Northamptonshire, except Avon Park School and Brooke School (both in Warwickshire). We have concluded that Daventry Hill will have a minimal impact on all 20 of these schools/provisions.

There is another all-through special free school in pre-opening, Green Oaks Academy Special School, which is due to open in Northamptonshire in September 2017. The school will cater for 100 pupils with ASD and SLD and will be located 11.6 miles away.

| School name | School type | Headcount | Capacity | Special Needs | Ofsted grade | Impact rating |
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| The Grange School, Daventry | Community School (3-11) | Data not available | 10 (DSP) | 1) SLCN 2) ASD | Good (Sept 2013) | Minimal. This school is 0.9 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with a specially resourced provision for SEN in a Designated Special Provision (DSP). The DSP is for 10 pupils with SLCN and autism. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Avon Park School | Other Independent Special School (6-16) | 28 | 70 | 1) ADHD, ASD, Asp, SEMH | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This school is 7.4 miles from Daventry Hill and located in Warwickshire. It caters for pupils with a range of complex educational needs, communication difficulties and challenging behaviours. Although the school is undersubscribed, Daventry Hill is unlikely to |

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| | | | | | | affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on PMLD and SLD, and the extended age range. |
| Brooke School | Community Special School (2-19) | 166 | Unknown | 1) SLD | Good (Oct 2013) | Minimal. This school is 8.2 miles from Daventry Hill and located in Warwickshire. It specifically caters for pupils with SLD and currently has 166 pupils on roll. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because there is a wider focus on pupils with PMLD and ASD, as well as SLD. |
| Thornby Hall School | Other Independent Special School (12-18) | 14 | 15 | 1) SEMH | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This school is 10 miles from Daventry Hill and specifically caters for pupils with SEMH at secondary age. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| St James Church of England Primary School | Academy Converter (3-11) | Data not available | 5 (SEN Unit) | 1) SEMH | Requires Improvement (Jan 2014) | Minimal. This school is 10.6 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that caters for 5 pupils with SEMH. Although it has a RI Ofsted rating, Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Hunsbury | Community | Data not | 5 (SEN | 1) SEMH | Good | Minimal. This school is 10.7 miles from |

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| Park Primary School | School (Pre-pipeline academy) (4-11) | available | Unit) | | (Nov 2012) | Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that caters for 5 pupils with SEMH. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| The Gateway School | Community Special School (11-18) | 56 | 55 | 1) SEMH | Outstanding (Jun 2015) | Minimal. This school is 11 miles from Daventry Hill and caters specifically for pupils with SEMH at secondary age. It has an outstanding Ofsted rating and is currently oversubscribed. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| Hospital and Outreach Education | Pupil Referral Unit (3-18) | Data not available | Unknown | No SEN priority recorded | Outstanding (Oct 2014) | Minimal. This PRU is 11.1 miles from Daventry Hill and has an outstanding Ofsted rating. It provides educational support for pupils with complex medical and mental health conditions and most pupils are dual registered with their own mainstream or special school. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is a special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Cambian Northampton School | Other Independent Special School | 8 | 24 | 1) SEMH, MLD | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This school is 11.2 miles from Daventry Hill and caters for pupils with SEMH and MLD at secondary age. Although it is undersubscribed, Daventry Hill is unlikely to |

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| | (11-16) | | | | | affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| Northgate School Arts College | Academy Special Converter (11-18) | 185 | 130 | 1) MLD | Outstanding (Feb 2013) | Minimal. This school is 11.2 miles from Daventry Hill and caters for pupils with MLD at secondary age. It has an outstanding Ofsted rating and is heavily oversubscribed. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| Kingsthorpe Grove Primary School | Community School (Pre-pipeline academy) (4-11) | Data not available | 24 (SEN Unit) | 1) ASD | Good (Jun 2014) | Minimal. This school is 11.3 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that caters for pupils with ASD. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Green Oaks Primary Academy | Academy Sponsor Led (3-11) | 29 | 30 (SEN Unit) | 1) ASD | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This school is 11.6 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that currently caters for 29 pupils with ASD. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Education & | Other | 17 | Unknown | 1) SEMH | No Ofsted | Minimal. This provision is 11.7 miles from |

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| Youth Services Ltd | Independent Special School (13-16) | | | | inspection | Daventry Hill and caters for pupils with SEMH aged 13-16. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| East Hunsbury Primary School | Community School (4-11) | Data not available | 35 (SEN Unit) | 1) MLD | Good (Jul 2013) | Minimal. This school is 11.7 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that caters for pupils with MLD. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Fairfields School | Community Special School (3-11) | 115 | Unknown | No SEN priority recorded | Outstanding (Mar 2014) | Minimal. This school is 11.7 miles from Daventry Hill and has an outstanding Ofsted rating. It currently caters for 115 pupils with PMLD, SLD, ASD, and communication and physical difficulties. Although Daventry Hill caters for similar needs, it is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the extended age range and the need for additional places in the Daventry area. |
| Include Northampton | Other Independent Special School (5-16) | Data not available | 42 | No SEN priority recorded | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This provision is 12.7 miles from Daventry Hill and caters for pupils who have difficulties in mainstream school due to behavioural or educational reasons or who have been excluded from their previous school. |

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| On Track Education Centre Northants | Other Independent Special School (11-19) | 27 | 32 | 1) SEMH | No Ofsted inspection | Minimal. This school is 12.9 miles from Daventry Hill and caters specifically for pupils with SEMH at secondary age. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| Caroline Chisholm School | Academy Converter (4-18) | Data not available | 15 (SEN Unit) | 1) ASD | Good (Sep 2012) | Minimal. This school is 13.1 miles from Daventry Hill and is a mainstream all-through with an SEN Unit that caters for pupils with ASD. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
| Kings Meadow School | Community Special School (5-11) | 35 | Unknown | 1) SEMH | Outstanding (Mar 2012) | Minimal. This school is 13.1 miles from Daventry Hill and caters specifically for pupils with SEMH at primary age. It has an outstanding Ofsted rating and Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because of the focus on a different set of needs and the extended age range. |
| Headlands | Academy | Data not | 28 (SEN | 1) SLCN, | Good | Minimal. This school is 13.3 miles from |

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| Primary School | Converter (4-11) | available | Unit) | ASD, SLD 2) ASD | (Jul 2014) | Daventry Hill and is a mainstream primary with an SEN Unit that caters for pupils with SLCN, ASD and SLD. Daventry Hill is unlikely to affect the long term viability of the school because it is an all-through special school with a focus on complex learning difficulties. |
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Key

SLCN = Speech, Language and Communication Needs

ASD = Autistic Spectrum Disorder

ADHD = Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

Asp = Asperger Syndrome

SEMH = Social, Emotional and Mental Health

SLD = Severe Learning Difficulty

MLD = Moderate Learning Difficulty

PMLD = Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulty