



Note of decisions: West Midlands Advisory Board

Date of planned meeting: 20 November 2025

Advice

No AB meeting took place.

Regional Director (RD)

- Susan Lovelock – Regional Director

Decisions taken outside of AB meeting

List of decisions taken outside of AB meetings.

Converter academy orders

Project: An application from Pool Hayes Primary School (URN 104191), Walsall, to convert and become an academy and join Matrix Academy Trust.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: Delivery Officer to inform school / trust of the decision.

Trust changes

Project: A proposal for Lakelands Academy (URN 139102), Shropshire, to transfer from The Lakelands Educational Trust to The 3-18 Education Trust.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: Delivery Officer to inform school / trust of the decision.

Significant changes

Project: Tysoe CofE Primary School (URN 148512), Warwickshire

- To open a 10 place Specialist Resource Provision.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: None.

Project: Birchensale Middle School (URN 146699), Worcestershire

- To increase their physical capacity to accommodate a change in PAN from 150 to 180 pupils.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: None.

Project: Ormiston Shelfield Community Academy (URN 135769), Walsall

- An expansion in physical capacity to accommodate increased pupil demand by 30 places (1FE).

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: None.

Project: Wilfred Owen Primary School (URN 145789), Shropshire

- To add a Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Resourced Provision (RP) at Wilfred Owen Primary School. The provision will cater for a maximum of 12 children between the ages of 2 and 4 from December 2025.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: None.

Project: Regency High School (URN 140261), Worcestershire

- To increase the number of pupils in a special provision academy by more than 20 pupils.

Decision: Approve.

Conflicts: None.

Further actions required: None.