

APPENDIX E

Consultation with pupils regarding the proposed relocation of South View Primary School to a new site, presently known as the Crowland Site of The University Academy of Holbeach.

The Headteacher and Deputy Headteacher met with class representatives of the School council. They were asked to lead school council meetings with their classes to find out how many pupils thought the move was a good idea and how many thought it was a bad idea. They were also asked to make a note of any concerns or comments that were made during their discussions.

The responses were in favour of the move (87%).

Some of the concerns that children have include;

- Use of the stairs
- Ensuring a swimming pool is provided at the new site
- Traffic issues on Postland Road
- Not wanting mobile classrooms
- A new school might be a bit scary
- Young children getting lost in a big school
- Losing the history of the present site-memories.
- Some families may have to walk further
- School uniform

Things to look forward to;

- Bigger school, more space, more teachers
- Better facilities, including a new hall
- New experiences
- Spending more time outside-learning and playing
- Don't have to walk for school play rehearsals or sports day.