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Dear Resident

**RE: Proposed Expansion of Sweyne Park School, Sir Walter Rayleigh Drive,  
Rayleigh, Essex SS6 9BZ**

I am writing to you because Essex County Council (ECC), along with the Department for Education (DfE), is proposing to expand this secondary school by 150 pupil places (1 form of entry) in order to meet the forecast need for school places in Rayleigh: ECC are leading on this matter.

The infrastructure required to support the additional pupils involves the construction of a new teaching block consisting of 6 classrooms with storage, wc's, and an office. The classroom design makes provision for teaching pupils with a hearing impairment.

It is on this basis that I would like to invite you to participate in the online exhibition to review the latest build proposals, and to have your say before the plans are submitted to the County Planning Authority as a full planning application. Comment forms are available online and I would be grateful if you could take time to complete one so that we can capture and consider your view.

This online exhibition/consultation will be available from **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July until Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July**, and can be viewed at:

<https://consultations.essex.gov.uk/infrastructure-delivery/consultation-for-sweyne-park-school>

or

<https://consultations.essex.gov.uk/>

ECC will consider all comments received prior to submitting a detailed planning application to the County Planning Authority. A summary of the pre-application consultation responses will also accompany the submitted planning application.

I do hope that you have time to review the proposal and to let us know your thoughts.

Yours faithfully

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