

## Comment on a planning application

### Application Details

**Application:** 22/0902/FUL

**Address:** The Stag Brewery Lower Richmond Road Mortlake London SW14 7ET

**Proposal:** Erection of a three-storey building to provide a new secondary school with sixth form; sports pitch with floodlighting, external MUGA and play space; and associated external works including landscaping, car and cycle parking, new access routes and other associated works

### Comments Made By

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### Comments

**Type of comment:** Object to the proposal

**Comment:** We oppose to the development of a secondary school as there is no borough need in pupil numbers for another secondary school. We ask the council to rather invest in the existing secondary schools to increase higher local intake.

Thompson House primary school, however, is in dire need of more outside space and would thrive on the brewery site.

Additional concerns are that the plans for a new secondary school will result in significant traffic generation. Due to the closure of Hammersmith Bridge - which hasn't been taken into account in the current plans - and the nearby level crossing that is closed for 40 minutes every hour, there is simply no doubt that an additional secondary school of this size lead to more traffic and therefore lead to anmore congestion, and potentially dangerous situations at the level crossing where pupils will be impatiently waiting and motorist are trying to push through during morning rush hour.