Reference: FS554624032

## Comment on a planning application

## **Application Details**

Application: 22/3004/FUL

Address: Kneller Hall Royal Military School Of MusicKneller RoadTwickenhamTW2 7DU

**Proposal:** The demolition of existing modern buildings on the site and the conversion of and extensions to Kneller Hall and other ancillary buildings associated with the former royal military music school to a day school (Use Class F1), together with the construction of associated new purpose-built buildings including teaching space, indoor sports facilities, sporting pavilion and forest school building. Alterations to the existing playing fields, to include an all weather pitch with fencing, flood lighting to existing tennis courts, sustainability measures and re-turfing. Provision of a new access from Whitton Dene, and other ancillary works including parking areas, hard and soft landscaping, lighting, access alterations and energy centre. Internal and external alterations to Kneller Hall and the curtilage listed buildings to facilitate the day school use, including demolition and rebuilding of single storey extension to the west wing of Kneller Hall, extension to the Band Practice Hall and re-opening of Whitton Dene site entrance.

## **Comments Made By**

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## **Comments**

Type of comment: Support the proposal

Comment: Please see the petition signed by over 550 local residents and parents of children wishing to attend Kneller Hall school on the proposed site. We urge the council to remember that the plans are for a school so therefore time sensitive. Every week that goes by is effectively eating into a school "term" where the children are not getting to use the facilities and having to travel by bus to sports facilities elsewhere. Please grant permission for use as a school and iron out the small items outstanding as conditions or after the permission is granted. The applicant is clearly showing willing to meet the ever increasing demands of the council, but the children are who will suffer in the end as the opening is delayed and delayed while paperwork is being pushed back and forth. Please grant permission ASAP. Thank you (petition link below)

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