







## Current Singlegate Primary School reach\*...



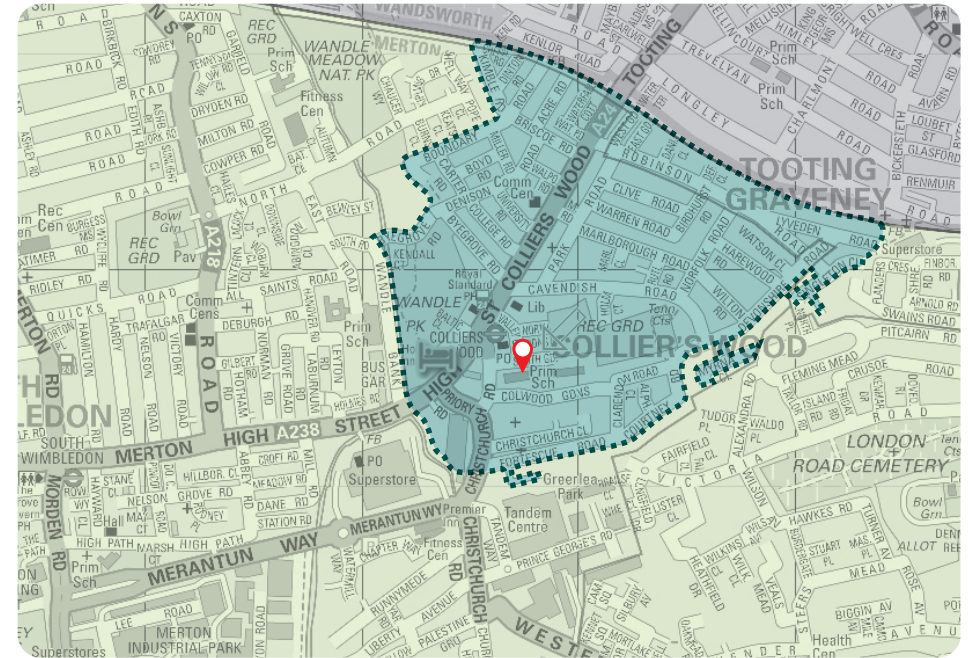
-  Singlegate Primary School, Colliers Wood
-  Current Singlegate Primary School reach\*
-  Not in reach\* of any schools within reasonable access
-  Only in reach\* of Singlegate Primary School
-  In reach\* of other primary schools
-  Wandsworth



\* **Reach** is the distance from home to school, used to prioritise admission.

- Families living towards the end of Lyveden Road are **only 800 metres** from the school, but are not in the **reach**\*
- Most schools in **Wandsworth** in the area bordering London Borough of Merton **already have admissions priority areas**. In practice this has excluded children from Colliers Wood.



## Establishing a catchment area by having an Admissions Priority Area...



-  Singlegate Primary School, Colliers Wood
-  Proposed Singlegate Primary School Admissions Priority Area

An admissions priority area (APA) would help to secure a place for those living within it as a priority. **IT WON'T EXCLUDE THOSE WHO LIVE OUTSIDE IT.** They would have distance from home to school in the usual way once the applications from families within the APA have been met.

Colliers Wood Residents Association believes the APA would ensure fairer access for Colliers Wood children and families.



**From December 2017 a significant growth in the Colliers Wood population will begin.**

**180 flats** will become available in the completed Tower building very close to Singlegate. There will be over **50 further flats** above the new library building when it is completed. The new development off Fortescue Road is close to Singlegate.

The very significant growth of population will primarily be close to Singlegate. Therefore, the distance offered from home to school will be very significantly reduced.

**A request for Singlegate to be awarded an admissions priority area would relieve this situation for those families living in Colliers Wood where access to other nearby schools is already restricted.**

## Should Singlegate Primary School have an Admissions Priority Area?



# YES

I AGREE

# NO

I DON'T AGREE



## WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Please email **YES** or **NO** as soon as you can to [hellocwra@gmail.com](mailto:hellocwra@gmail.com)

or write to:

Chair of CWRA, Colliers Wood Community Centre,  
66 - 72 High Street, Colliers Wood, SW19 2BY



Please also include any experience you have of getting a school place for your child at the start of their reception\* year.

\*Reception being for children four years old by 1st September.



Everyone should be able to walk to school

## Singlegate Primary School is the only Primary School in Colliers Wood\*

All children who live in Colliers Wood should have a chance to go there. However, children who live towards the north/north east end of Colliers Wood High Street do not gain places under the current admissions system. **These children and their families DO NOT have fair access to a school.** The red circle on map inside shows the radius of the current reach.

## Colliers Wood is a government designated AREA OF INTENSIFICATION

The number of homes in Colliers Wood is **EXPANDING RAPIDLY** e.g. **The Tower, The Library building, Provenance House, the development by Waterfall Cottages, the development off Fortescue Road.**

Increased density of population close to the school is likely to reduce the current reach for admissions to Singlegate as the radius will shrink.

**Fewer Colliers Wood children will therefore gain a place.**

Colliers Wood Residents Association (CWRA) believes that Singlegate Primary School should have an **Admissions Priority Area (APA).**

This is a defined area with boundaries within which children receive priority ahead of those living outside of it.



**The map inside shows a suggested boundary line** (see dotted green line).

\* Admission has increased to 90 places each year.

