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Dear Neighbour

We are aware that is not always easy living next to a school. We try our best to be good neighbours and alleviate this wherever we can. Unfortunately, some things have been difficult for us to manage over recent years, for example the number of staff cars that have to park on residential streets.

As part of the recent housing developments locally the school has been awarded some funding to improve facilities and, on this basis, The South Wolds Academy and Sixth Form has recently made a planning application for a new teaching block along with a 40 space car park. In addition an application is currently being prepared for a bus parking bay adjacent to the new building.

The new development will be located on the field area on Wolds Drive to the rear of the leisure centre.

It is our intention that this new development will:

- Improve our teaching facilities for local students.
- Relieve the current parking problem, particularly on Church Drive.
- Allow safer loading and unloading of school buses.
- Improve our offering to community lettings.

We would like to invite you to a meeting to hear about the project, view the plans and raise any questions that you might have.

Date: Thursday 9th December

Time: 6pm

Location - Maths Block (please access via main reception)

If you would like to attend please do let us know at office@southwolds.notts.sch.uk or by telephoning the school office on 0115 937 3506. This will help us to cater appropriately, however it is an open meeting and you can attend without replying.

For your reference I have include a copy of the proposed site plan and imagery of the new building with this letter.

If you have any questions that you would like to ask at this point please contact Mrs Andi Hooker, Operations Manager, at office@southwolds.notts.sch.uk otherwise we look forward to meeting you soon.

Yours faithfully

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