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Dear planners,

As a and former teacher I would like to register great interest and excitement at the possibilities of improving the education chances of our children attending Joseph Hood Primary School.

As you know, the building under consideration has always been part of that educational hub. It has pathways on either side leading to the primary school and a popular private nursery which is separate from the school.

The school provision, although well managed, is cramped and seriously lacking in facilities for sport. This surplus educational building is a wonderful opportunity to hugely enhance the children's education and indeed, life chances. The school has an excellent reputation but families are put off by the inadequate grounds.

Should you decide to sell off for housing, to the obvious detriment of the pupils and staff, there would be even more children wishing to attend. Traffic issues need no emphasis.

This is a massive opportunity for our children. Please maintain the site as an educational resource.

Yours sincerely