

Possible timelines for the proposed amalgamation of Walmer Science College & Castle Community College

SOAB 1 meeting	8 October 2009			
Consultation period	2 November to 14 December 2009			
Public meetings	Week commencing 19 November			
SOAB Briefing	24 November 2009			
Governors apply for exemption	4 January 2010			
SOAB 2 meeting	7 January 2010			
Cabinet Member decision to support Trust School proposal or initiate a competition	February 2010		Issue invitation to bid notice 1 st Public Notice	25 February 2010
Exemption granted or rejected	15 February 2010	Rejected	Public notice expires	25 June 2010
		Granted and approved by Cabinet Member		
Proposed consultation period	22 February to 6 April 2010		Issue 2 nd Public Notice and closure notice	15 July 2010
Proposer publishes public notice to establish new school and LA publishes closure notice	22 April 2010		Public meeting	20 July 2010
Public Notices expires	3 June 2010		Public Notice expires	25 August 2010
Cabinet Member decision on proposal and closures	14 June 2010		Refer to Adjudicator for a decision if LA has submitted a proposal	by 8 September 2010
			Adjudicator decision	November 2010
Implementation	September 2010		Implementation	September 2011
New Buildings available on Castle site	By September 2013			