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Dear Parents/Carers

You may be aware that Wetherby High School has been working with the Department for Education on a new state of the art building for the school community. We are pleased to let you know that things are progressing as planned. The detailed designs of both the building and site have been created and we are successfully navigating the local authority planning process. The next stage of this is for us to hold an informal planning consultation at WHS on Wednesday 17th September 3.30-7.30pm. At this you will be able to see exciting detailed plans of the new school building. Please see attached flyer for further information regarding this. We will also be able to share images with you via your primary school following the consultation on Wednesday.

For those Year 5 parents/carers attending WHS Open Evening on Wednesday 27th September, this will also be an opportunity to see images and find out more about the new building.

Yours faithfully

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Headteacher



## New School Building, Wetherby High School

**We want to share the latest design for our state-of-the-art new school build at Wetherby High School**

The project involves construction of a new Net Zero Carbon in Operation education facility to replace the existing 1960's blocks, which will be demolished. The works include providing new hard and soft sports areas, and sports pitches.

The new school building includes all the amenities of a modern school, including teaching spaces, sports facilities and social areas.

Building work is due to begin in Spring 2026 and the new building is expected to be completed in Summer 2027. Demolition of the redundant buildings will follow, with all building works anticipated to be complete in Spring 2028.

The project has been carefully planned to ensure the school can remain fully operational throughout construction and ensure minimal impact on neighbours.

We will shortly be submitting a planning application for the development and would like to get your views on the proposed development before finalising the detailed design.

We therefore invite you to a drop in event at the school to review the plans, ask any questions and give us your important feedback. Details below:

**Date: 17 September 2025**

**Time: 3:30 to 7:30**

**Location: Wetherby High School**

Full details of the development will be available via the Leeds City Council website once the application has been submitted.

If you are unable to attend the drop in event and have any initial questions or concerns about the development, please email us at: [wetherbyhighschool@adas.co.uk](mailto:wetherbyhighschool@adas.co.uk)



