
Report To:	Education & Lifelong Learning Committee	Date: 25 January 2011
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Subject:	The naming of the following amalgamated school: St Gabriel's Primary School and Sacred Heart Primary School	

1.0 PURPOSE

- 1.1 The purpose of this paper is to request a decision, from the Education & Lifelong Learning Committee, on a name for the new primary school following the amalgamation of St Gabriel's Primary School and Sacred Heart Primary School in August 2011.

2.0 SUMMARY

- 2.1 St Gabriel's Primary School and Sacred Heart Primary School will amalgamate in August 2011 on completion of a refurbishment of the former Earnhill Primary School.
- 2.2 Both school communities have been working together and have consulted the wider parent body, staff and pupils of both schools regarding the name of the amalgamated school.
- 2.3 A subsequent ballot was held and the results are listed below:
- St Andrew's Primary School – 303 votes
 - St Christopher's Primary School – 3 votes
 - St Bernadette's Primary School – 2 votes
 - St Gabriel's Primary School – 2 votes
 - St Jude's Primary School – 2 votes
- 2.4 The name decided upon by the Education & Lifelong Learning Committee will be the name applied to the amalgamated St Gabriel's Primary School and Sacred Heart Primary School.

3.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 3.1 Education & Lifelong Learning Committee members are asked to agree that St Andrew's Primary School be the name of the amalgamated St Gabriel's Primary School and Sacred Heart Primary School.

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