



Glasgow City Council  
City Administration Committee

**Item 1**

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Report by Councillor Chris Cunningham, City Convener for  
Education, Skills and Early Years

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## PROPOSED CHANGE OF NAME FOR LANGSIDE NURSERY

### Purpose of Report:

To update the Committee on the outcome of a ballot on the proposal to change the name of Langside Nursery.

### Recommendations:

The City Administration Committee is asked to:

- (a) consider the outcome of the ballot and the range of responses; and
- (b) agree to the new name of the nursery, in line with the outcome of the ballot.

Ward No(s): 7

Citywide:

Local member(s) advised: Yes  No  consulted: Yes  No

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Langside Nursery School is located in the Battlefield Primary School building. It is a popular nursery in the local area. Parents and staff felt that the name was confusing for families as some reported thinking that the name implied it was co-located with Langside Primary School. It was, therefore, agreed that the nursery community could consult on a new name.
- 1.2 Langside Nursery School is a stand-alone nursery which provides early learning and childcare mainly for 3 and 4 year olds on a part-time or full-time basis. They normally operate from around 8am to 6pm on a school term basis. Wrap around care, lunch cover can be provided and places for 2 year olds. It provides high quality early learning and childcare and has 25 full-time equivalent places for two year olds and 80 full-time equivalent places for 3 to 5 year olds.
- 1.3 Education Services seeks the views of parents, carers, staff and children at the nursery and each family is given a vote on the short list of names.

## 2. Ballots

- 2.1 The parents, staff and children of Langside Nursery School were directed by the Executive Director to propose names for consultation. Three names were agreed upon to go to ballot. The votes were as follows:

Ivy Grove Nursery	34	Votes
Carmichael Nursery	60	Votes
White Cart Nursery	45	Votes

- 2.3 Carmichael Nursery is the name forwarded to the Executive Director to seek approval from City Administration Committee.

## 3 Policy and Resource Implications

### Resource Implications:

*Financial:* Not applicable

*Legal:* Not applicable

*Personnel:* Not applicable

*Procurement:* Not applicable

**Council Strategic Plan:** Excellent and Inclusive Education

**Equality and Socio-Economic Impacts:**

*Does the proposal support the Council's Equality Outcomes 2017-22*

Yes

*What are the potential equality impacts as a result of this report?*

None

*Please highlight if the policy/proposal will help address socio economic disadvantage.*

Not applicable

### **Sustainability Impacts:**

*Environmental:*

Not applicable

*Social, including opportunities under Article 20 of the European Public Procurement Directive:*

The new name will support the development of a stronger community.

*Economic:*

### **Privacy and Data Protection impacts:**

## **4 Recommendations**

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