

# Falmer Academy

## NEWSLETTER

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## Your invitation to see Falmer Academy designs



**Anyone keen to see the proposed designs for the new Falmer Academy is invited to a public exhibition being held in the South Hall, South Buildings at Falmer High School on Monday 22 June 6.00 to 8.00pm.**

After a very competitive bidding process Brighton & Hove City Council have appointed Crawley-based construction company Kier Group to build the new landmark Academy designed by award-winning architects Feilden Clegg Bradley. Kier is proposing an innovative and imaginative scheme to

provide a state-of-the-art Academy building suitable for 21st Century education. The building will also be designed to be energy efficient and as eco-friendly as possible. Kier are seeking comments from the local community on its proposals.

On show at the exhibition will be a proposed layout of the Academy buildings and computer generated imagery (CGI), which will help bring the paper plans to life. The Kier team and representatives from Brighton & Hove City Council and the Academy Project Team will be there to talk about the proposed new building

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# Parents' Council Kicks Off

The first meeting of the new Parents' Council will be held at The Bridge Centre on the Falmer High School site at 10.30am on Monday 22 June 2009.

The group will help the Academy by acting in an advisory capacity on areas like uniform, extra curricula activities and

involvement in the community.

Anybody who wishes to attend should contact [info@proposedfalmeracademy.org](mailto:info@proposedfalmeracademy.org) Following the meeting members of the Parents' Council will be first to see the exhibition about the designs for the new Academy.

and answer any other questions you have about how the Academy will operate.

'The exhibition gives students, their parents, staff and others in the local community the chance to have a preview before the formal statutory planning process begins later in the summer,' explains Nick West, Contracts Manager, Kier Regional.

'Just as importantly it's a chance for us to hear their first impressions and to address any concerns on the impact of the proposed work on the day-to-day life of the school

and to explain how this will be managed so that students and staff are able to focus on learning and teaching,' he adds. 'We will be handing out comment forms on the day to capture people's views and ideas.' A full planning application for the proposals will be submitted this summer, with phase one of the new building ready for staff and students to move into in September 2010.

If you are unable to attend the exhibition day but want to know more, the images and plans a can be viewed online at [www.proposedfalmeracademy.org](http://www.proposedfalmeracademy.org)



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