

## ST BRIDGETS RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Proposal to replace the existing boundary galvanised high chain-link fencing and gates, declutter/ remove redundant boundary fencing and walling and reconfigure/ improve the main entrance approach to the school building. This is to provide a more inclusive and positive appearance whilst maintaining robust security for the school site.

The new fencing along St Bridgets Lane would comprise 2.4m high black powder coated V Mesh security fencing (and matching gates) – with an arched main entrance approach.



Proposed entrance arch and 2.4m high black V Mesh security fencing

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EXISTING PHOTOGRAPHS



View from St Bridgets Lane towards the school building.

Existing 4m high galvanised chain link fencing, powder coated bow top fencing and plinth brick wall.

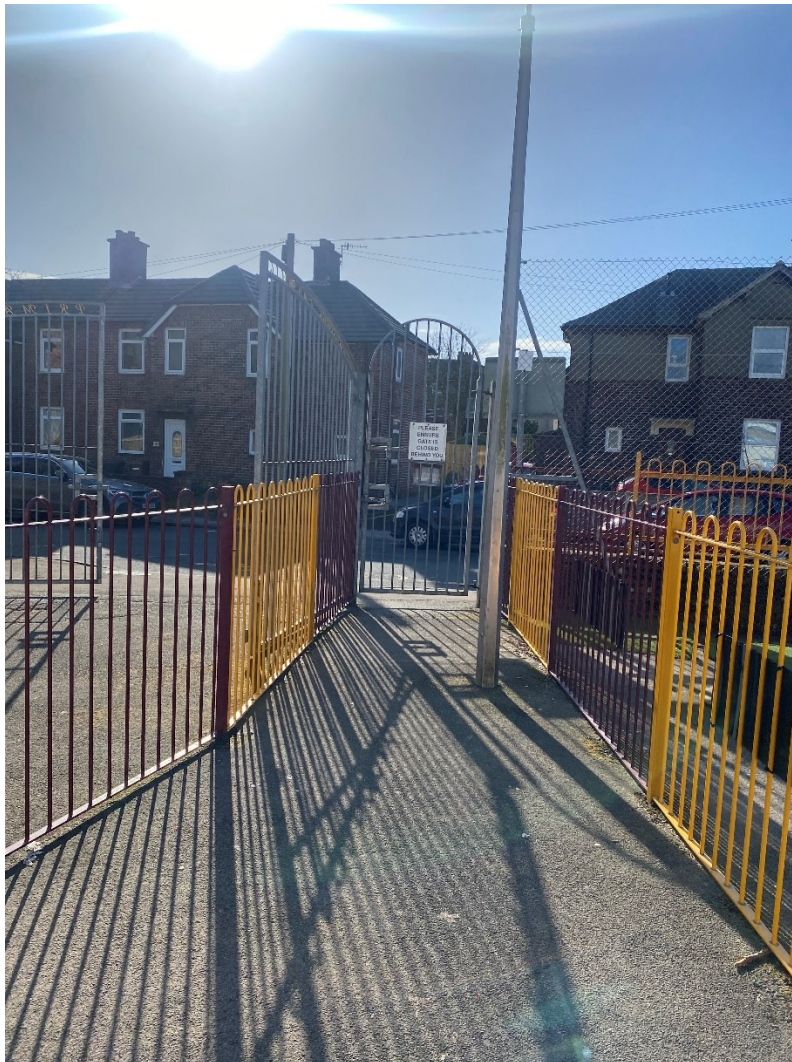
This section of boundary is to be removed complete and replaced with 2.4m high black V Mesh security fencing.



Existing main entrance high galvanised gates to be removed – the gate line is to be moved back to allow for larger area for parents to congregate off the pavement.



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Existing fencing arrangement to main entrance creates bottle neck – proposed to reconfigure with a wider approach – with an archway to clearly demarcate the main entrance to the school.



Existing 4m high galvanised chain link fencing to the righthand side of the main entrance to be replaced with black V Mesh security fencing. The brick wall is to remain along this section.

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View of staff carpark with 4m high fencing and gates from St Bridgets Lane.

New gates to match the proposed black 2.4m V Mesh security fencing

New inner security fencing will provide a safe separation between the school grounds and the staff carpark – allowing for the carpark gates to be opened before the staff arrive and stay open through out the school day (improving safe site vehicle manoeuvres)