

## Heritage Asset Survey

<b>Heritage Asset Survey</b>	
<b>Building Name:</b>	<b>Building Reference Number:</b>
West End Infants School	LL5180
<b>Building Address:</b>	<b>Listing Grade:</b>
York Road Aldershot Hampshire GU11 3JG	I <input type="checkbox"/> II <input type="checkbox"/> II* <input type="checkbox"/> Locally Listed <input type="checkbox"/> +
<b>Listing Criteria Met</b> (see Box B of the SPD)	B, F, H, J
<b>Date Listed:</b>	10-12-13
<b>Conservation Area:</b>	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>School. Dated 1898. Built by the Aldershot School Board. Red brick in English Bond with steeply pitched clay tile roof with exposed rafter ends. A complex grouping three buildings, linked by later single storey extensions. To the west; long range along York Road with prominent gable facing Queens Road, with tripartite window arrangement, with scrolled terracotta pediment in relief above. Above this date plaque and inscription 'Aldershot School Board' also in terracotta. To the east of this a separate building (now connected by a single storey brick link). The east building comprises a gabled range with two gabled cross-wings which strongly define the east elevation to Arlington Terrace. The gable to Queens Road matches that of the west range but is set further forward to Queens Road. To the south, there is a further building group comprising a range running east-west across the site with a further gable facing Arlington Terrace matching those to the other building groups. Timber side opening casements throughout, multi-paned with fixed top lights and divided by a wider transom. To gables, cills are linked by a moulded terracotta string course with decorative wainscoting under the central higher window. Chimneys have been truncated or removed.</p> <p>A good survival of a purpose built Board school remaining in its original use. A very important and imposing building in townscape terms particularly with regard to the strongly defined gables. The cast iron boundary fence to the school and playground forms an important group with the school buildings.</p>	
<b>Condition Survey: 1 - 5</b>	
(1) Very Bad    (2) Poor    (3) Fair    (4) Good    (5) Excellent	
<b>Roof</b>	4
<b>Walls</b>	4

Weather Penetration	5	Stability	5
Spread	5	Plumb	5
Sag	5	Local Building Cracking	5
Covering	5	Pointing	3/4
Abutments	5	Roofspread	5
Weathering Detail (Valleys etc.)	5	Spalling	5
Flashing	5	EV. Rising Damp	4
Rain Water Goods	5	Settlement	5
Chimneys	n/a	Lintels	5
Other Features	5	Timber Frame	n/a
Windows / Doors	5	Nogging	n/a
Front Principal Windows	5	Post Joints	n/a
Other Windows	5	Masonry	n/a
Doors and Surroundings	5	Stucco / Render-Plaster	n/a
Boundary Walls or Gates	5	Outbuildings	n/a

**Historical Context:**

An fine example of the building type in its original use. Despite some alterations and extension this building retains a high degree of historic and architectural integrity and is a prominent and attractive local landmark within the streetscene.

This building is included on the List of Buildings of Local Significance due to its high historic, aesthetic and community values.

The School is noted in the Hampshire Book of treasures, Vol 3 p.194. It is also discussed in the latest Pevsner Guide (p.107. Bullen, M [et al.] – 2010. The Buildings of England "Hampshire: Winchester and the North". Yale University Press.)

**Ownership Type (please tick the appropriate box below):**

Private	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	+
Religious / Charity	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stat Undertakers	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Company	<input type="checkbox"/>	Crown	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Photographs**

Date Taken: 12.07.2011

Any Further Comments:

Surveyor: J Webb Date: 01.03.2012