**RBWM Schools Forum** 

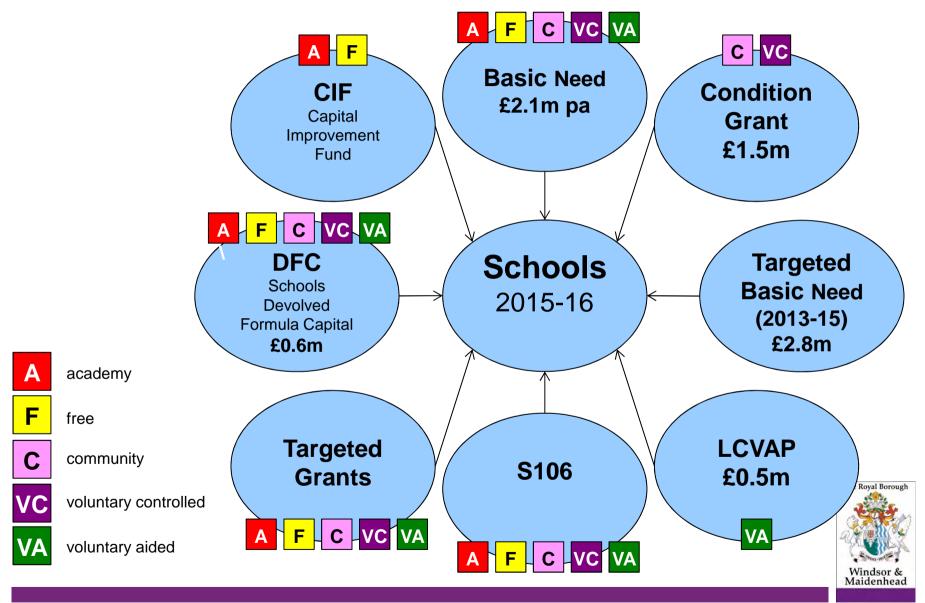
**Briefing on Capital funding in schools** 

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## **Annual Schools Capital Funding**



### **Condition projects**

#### • Identify works

- Condition, kitchen refurbishment, IT, suitability.
- o Building Services / condition survey / local knowledge / AMPs.
- Liaise with Building Services about costs or alternative solutions.
- Schemes are spread over 3 years based on funding available and ranked in order of priority.
  - o Condition grading
  - Links to school expansion programme
  - o Impact on curriculum or school operation
  - H&S or access factors.
  - Scope for preventing more serious repairs.
  - Length of time on list.
- Discussed with CS DMT, Lead Member, CS O&S, Cabinet.
- Schemes reviewed and subject to change



### **Condition Improvement Fund**

- For academies & sixth form colleges
- To address poor building condition, building compliance, energy efficiency and health and safety
- Small proportion of expansion projects for Ofsted-rated good or outstanding academies to:
  - o increase the number of admissions in the main year of entry.
  - o address overcrowding.
- CIF 2015-16 4 times oversubscribed.
- CIF 2016-17 deadline for submitting applications 16 Dec 15
  - Primary applications >£20k
  - Secondary applications >£50k
- Assessment criteria and weightings:
  - Project need (70%)
  - Project planning (15%)
  - Value for money (15%)



## S106 Funding

### • Cabinet approve S106 expenditure

- o via the Capital Programme process
- Outside the CP process when sufficient funding available.
- Spend must be in line with legal agreement with developer.
- Use of S106 monies must be related to projects to increase the capacity of schools to admit more pupils
- Education S106 monies received is scheduled to be spent e.g. basic need programme
- Unallocated S106
  - Collected from different developments in an area and pooled until sufficient funding for identified project.
- 25 Sep 2015 Cabinet report: "S106 Income / Expenditure report 2014-15"



### **Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)**

- Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) from April 2015.
- Simple levy to meet RBWM new infrastructure needs to mitigate impact of development.
- Funds not specifically assigned to any type or location of infrastructure.
- How will monies be prioritised between services?
- Implementation in RBWM expected in late 2016.
- Old S106 arrangements no longer in use.
- More limited circumstances for collecting S106 under CIL.
- Interim S106 arrangements to be considered by Nov Cabinet.



# DfE Devolved formula capital 2015-16

#### Same rates for all publicly funded schools

|                 | Per non<br>boarding pupil | Per boarding<br>pupil | Lump sum per<br>school |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Nursery/Primary | £11.25                    | £33.75                | £4,000                 |
| Secondary       | £16.88                    | £33.75                | £4,000                 |
| Post-16         | £22.50                    | £33.75                | £4,000                 |
| Special/PRU     | £33.75                    | £33.75                | £4,000                 |



# **Recent schools capital projects 1**

#### A selection of capital projects from last four years

| School                         | Scheme            | Cost   | Funding                                |              |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------|--|--------------|
| Manor Green                    | Increase capacity | £1.3m  | Targeted Basic Need<br>Programme, S106 |              |
| Riverside<br>Primary           | Increase capacity | £2.3m  | Targeted Basic Need<br>Programme, S106 |              |
| St Edward's First<br>& Middle  | Increase capacity | £3.4m  | Basic Need, LCVAP, S106                |              |
| Oldfield Primary               | Increase capacity | £8.5m  | Basic Need, S106                       |              |
| South Ascot<br>Village Primary | Bulge class       | £0.2m  | S106, school contribution              |              |
| Datchet Primary                | Bulge class       | £0.2m  | Basic Need, S106, school contribution  |              |
| Homer First                    | Bulge class       | £0.1m  | Basic Need, S106, school contribution  | The Royal Bo |
| Holyport College               | Increase capacity | £0.48m | S106                                   | Windso       |

# **Recent schools capital projects 2**

| School                         | Scheme                     | Status   |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| Newlands Girls'                | Rewire                     | Completed summer 2015                              |
| All Saints Junior              | Expansion on existing site | Phase 2 planning permission granted - on site      |
| Waltham St<br>Lawrence Primary | Kitchen extension          | Planning permission granted - on site Q2 - 2015/16 |
| The Windsor Boys'              | Expansion on existing site | Design stage                                       |
| Windsor Girls'                 | Expansion on existing site | Design stage                                       |



# **Future capital schemes**

#### Some future schemes

| Scheme                                | Schools  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Maidenhead secondary sector expansion | Cox Green, Furze Platt Senior  |
| Ascot secondary sector expansion      | Charters   |
| Windsor secondary expansion           | Windsor Boy, Windsor Girls, Dedworth Middle                              |
| Capital Programme 2016-17             | To Children's Services Overview & Scrutiny Nov 2015 and Cabinet Dec 2015 |

