

Name of consultation: Badcaul Primary School

Your comments: I have one child of primary school age p6, and when we moved here there was no option to attend the local school as it was mothballed. At that time I had 2 in primary school. While my children are older and don't mind the commute to Ullapool, it is a worry travelling to school in the winter so early in the morning. There are some mornings in really bad weather I won't put my children to school. It is also a long day for the children, they leave at 7:40 and return at 4:30. They also have homework to do after this and they do get tired, especially the younger one.

If my children were p1-3, I would have had serious second thoughts about moving to the area. It's too far for little ones.

I do realise though, that the demographics of the area don't support a school. There is no housing for families to come into the area, no other amenities for children.

I don't know what the forecasts are for this area in term of demographics, but if you want to attract young families to the area and stop rural depopulation or an ageing population, then closing the school may not be the best idea.

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I am commenting as: Parent

I am commenting on behalf of:

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Title	First name	Last name
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