

# Tettenhall Regis

This is the proposal document for Tettenhall Regis. Within this document there is district and ward data relating the number of registered voters (ward/district context), and the reasons for proposal.

There are currently 9388 electors registered to vote in Tettenhall Regis ward. A station operates at its optimum level at approximately 2500 voters. Therefore to operate at an optimum level, in numerical terms this ward requires no more than 5 stations, assuming that the number of voters could fluctuate to over 10,000. There are currently 7 stations and 6 buildings in the ward, which is not an optimum use of resources. Reduction of a station would make a saving of £500 per election.

## Ward/District Context

The table below ranks the polling stations in Tettenhall Regis according to the proportion of the registered electors in the ward that use the stations. The percentage is colour coded according to the performance quartile the station fits into across the City.

- Lowest quartile: **0% - 11.03%**
- Lower middle quartile: **11.30% -14.40%**
- Upper middle quartile: **14.47% – 17.17%**
- Upper quartile: **17.21%- 31.18%**

Ward	Polling District	Station	Registered Electors	Ward Size	Proportion of ward
Tettenhall Regis	SGA	St Michael`s Parish Centre	505	9396	<b>5.37%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SBA	Palmers Cross Primary School, Windermere Road	1,161	9396	<b>12.36%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SHA	St Michael`s CE School, Lower Street	1,171	9396	<b>12.46%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SCA	Christ The King Church, Pendeford Avenue	1,535	9396	<b>16.34%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SJA	The King`s School, Regis Road	1,635	9396	<b>17.40%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SIA	The King`s School, Regis Road	1,650	9396	<b>17.56%</b>
Tettenhall Regis	SEA	Claregate Primary School, Chester Avenue	1,739	9396	<b>18.51%</b>

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## See Tettenhall Regis – Proposal Map

- Redraw the SJA boundary to absorb the SGA district south of Wergs Road (SJB).
- Redraw the SHA boundary to absorb the SGA district north of Wergs Road (SGB).
- Remove the St Michael's Parish Centre (SGA) polling station.

Polling Districts affected in Tettenhall Regis	Number of registered voters	Proportion of ward registered to vote
SGA – St Michael's Parish Centre	505	<b>5.37%</b>
SHA – St Michael's CE School	1171	<b>12.46%</b>
SJA – The King's School	1635	<b>17.40%</b>
SIA – The King's School	1650	<b>17.56%</b>

## Reason

St Michael's Parish Centre (SGA) has a very small number of registered voters and therefore does not reflect efficient use of resources. Voters south of Wergs Road live within a reasonable distance of the King's School (SJA/SIA) polling place, which is a dual station with capacity. Properties north of the road currently travel down to St Michael's Parish Centre (SGA) in Tettenhall Wightwick, which is located relatively near to the SHA station, St Michael's CE School. It would not be overly unreasonable for these residents to travel to St Michael's CE School (SHA) to vote and would be a much better use of a station. It should also be noted that the electoral commission advocates sending voters to a different ward to vote where possible, and this proposal would help resolve this practice.