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**Bilston East**

Overview

Existing polling station	Electorate number in 2012	Proposed electorate number	Old polling district	Proposed polling district	Reason for proposed change	Changes after consultation
Gazebo Theatre, The Town Hall, Church Street, Bilston	290	308	HA	HAA		
Holy Trinity RC School, Queen Street	1247	1177	HB HB	HBA		
The Lunt Community Centre, Lunt Road	1418	1389	HC	HCA		
Loxdale Primary School, Loxdale Street	636	550	HE	HEA		
Bradley and District Community centre, Daisy Bank	702	Removed	HF HG		The community centre has now closed down.	
St Martin's Church Centre, Slater Street	731	<b>1143</b>	HH	HFA	The Church will take electors who previously voted at Daisy Bank community centre.	
Temporary Polling Station, Junction of Princess Anne Road and Elizabeth Avenue	739	Removed	HI		Temporary polling station unsuitable for use.	

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Temporary Polling Station, Grassed Area adjacent to 36 Wesley Street	516	Removed	HJ		Temporary polling station unsuitable for use.	
St Martin's Primary School, Wallace Road	1506	Removed	HK HL		To minimise the use of educational premises to reduce disruption.	
Bilston Resource Centre, Wolverhampton Street	298	305	HM	HMA		
Temporary Polling Station, Horning Drive (Off Broadmoor Road)	294	Removed	HN		Temporary polling station unsuitable for use.	This station will be reinstated.
Lower Bradley Community Centre, Wallace Road	Didn't exist	<b>1058</b>		HIA	This double station will replace St Martin's primary school and the temporary polling station off Princess Anne road. Offers excellent facilities and a central focal point in the community.	
Lower Bradley Community Centre, Wallace Road	Didn't exist	<b>1553</b>		HLA		
Bradley Methodist Church, Hallgreen Street	Didn't exist	<b>1169</b>		HJA HNA	This will replace Daisy Bank community centre, which has closed, and the temporary stations off Horning Drive and Wesley Street.	

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<b>Total number of polling stations</b>	Previous: 14 (13 premises) Proposed: 10 (9 premises) [including the reinstatement of Horning Drive station]
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Bilston East Proposals and Returning Officer's Comments

Existing Polling Place	Room Used	Existing Polling District(s)	Postal Voters as at 3/5/12	Polling Station Electorate as at 3/5/12
Gazebo Theatre, The Town Hall, Church Street, Bilston	Foyer of Gazebo Theatre	HA	7	290
Holy Trinity RC School, Queen Street	School Hall	HB HD	106	1247
The Lunt Community Centre, Lunt Road	Main Assembly Hall	HC	108	1418
Loxdale Primary School, Loxdale Street	School Hall	HE	99	636
Bradley and District Community centre, Daisy Bank	Main Community Library	HF HG	56	702
St Martin's Church Centre, Slater Street	Main community room	HH	51	731
Temporary Polling Station, Junction of Princess Anne Road and Elizabeth Avenue	N/A	HI	62	739
Temporary Polling Station, Grassed Area adjacent to 36 Wesley Street	N/A	HJ	46	516
St Martin's Primary School, Wallace Road	School Hall	HK HL	126	1506
Bilston Resource Centre, Wolverhampton Street	Main church room	HM	32	298
Temporary Polling Station, Horning Drive (Off Broadmoor Road)	N/A	HN	18	294

Proposed Polling Place	Proposed Room	Proposed Polling District(s)	Postal Voters	Polling Station Electorate
Gazebo Theatre, The Town Hall, Church Street, Bilston	Foyer of Gazebo Theatre	HAA	7	308
Holy Trinity RC School, Queen Street	School Hall	HBA	93	1177
The Lunt Community Centre	Main assembly Hall	HCA	99	1389
Loxdale Primary School	School Hall	HEA	52	550
St Martin's Church Centre, Slater Street, Bradley	Main Community Room	HFA	78	1143
Lower Bradley Community Centre, Wallace Road	Main Hall	HIA	111	1058
Bradley Methodist Church, Hallgreen Street	Main church room	HJA HNA	91	1169
Lower Bradley Community Centre, Wallace Road	Main Hall	HLA	130	1553
Bilston Resource Centre, Wolverhampton Street	Main Church Room	HMA	35	305

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Poll Dist	Poll Stn	Location of Polling Place	General Location	Topography	Access	Parking for voters	Disabled parking	Path ways	Entrance for disabled	Internal access	Lighting/heating	Kitchen facilities	Room Used	Comments
HA A	BE 1	Gazebo Theatre, The Town Hall, Church Street, Bilston	✓	✓	✓	0	0	✓	✓	✓	✓	0	Foyer	Recently refurbished building, provides excellent facilities for electors, good location and central to town centre, excellent access into polling place for disabled voters, limited parking outside polling place however these facilities are much improved on the previous temporary polling station used for this polling district, no change to boundaries of HA
HB A	BE 2	Holy Trinity RC School, Queen Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	School Hall	No change proposed to this location, central for polling district HBA and offers excellent facilities for all electors. Creation of polling district HBA , will incorporate existing polling district HB and selected properties from HD with an electorate of approx 1300.

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HC A	BE 3	The Lunt Community Centre, Lunt Road	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main Assembly Hall	No change proposed for this location which is fully accessible for all electors, well known amongst the community, good position within polling district. Existing polling district HC remains unchanged, no amendments to boundaries.
HE A	BE 4	Loxdale Primary School, Loxdale Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	School Hall	No proposed change to this polling place which continues to provide excellent facilities for electors. Fully accessible to all voters, will now incorporate the new HEA polling district which is made up of selected streets from both HE and HD districts with an electorate of approx. 550.
HF A	BE 5	St Martin's Church Centre, Slater Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main Community Room	To maintain the use of this existing polling place which provides excellent facilities and accessibility for electors and is well known to the community. It is proposed that this polling place will now incorporate additional polling district HF, (following the closure of Daisy Bank Community Centre), selected properties from HE and existing district HH creating new polling district HFA.

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HIA HL A	BE 6 / 8	Lower Bradley Community Centre, Wallace Road	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main Hall	<p>Proposed relocation of polling place to Lower Bradley Community Centre in Wallace Road to replace existing locations of St Martin's Primary School and the Temporary Polling Station, junction of Princess Anne Road and Elizabeth Avenue. This aims to avoid disruption due to school closures and in the case of the temporary polling station will provide much improved facilities and access for all electors. The future development of the community centre into Lower Bradley Community Hub will allow for even greater facilities and accessibility for electors and will be a focal point for the community. Existing polling districts HI and specific properties in HE (creating HIA) and HK and HL merged (creating polling district HLA).</p>
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HJ A HN A	BE 7	Bradley Methodist Church, Hallgreen Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main Church Room	Proposed change of location to Bradley Methodist Church due to the closure of Daisy Bank Community Centre (HG) and the relocation of electors from the Temporary Polling Station adjacent to 36 Wesley Street (HJ) and Horning Drive (HN) both of which have received negative comments by way of facilities and conditions offered to electors. Polling districts HG and HJ will be merged with no change to external polling district boundaries to create HJA and HN (external boundaries unchanged) known as HNA. Polling place will operate as a single station with approximately 1200 electors.
HM A	BE 9	Bilston Resource Centre, St Michael's Mission hall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main church room	To maintain the use of this existing location which provides good facilities for the local electors and is well known amongst the local community. Geographically well positioned for electors, no change proposed to the district boundaries of HM to which it serves.

✓ Facilities good

0 Facilities acceptable (may be difficult to improve)

? Facilities in need of improvement or change of venue required



# Bilston East

**Key**

- Revised Polling District Boundary
- Existing Polling District Boundary
- Proposed Polling Stations: -**
  - New Polling Station
  - Existing Polling Station - Unchanged
  - Existing Polling Station - Deleted

