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**Blakenhall**

Overview

Existing polling station	Electorate number in 2012	Proposed electorate number	Old polling district	Proposed polling district	Reason for proposed change	Changes after consultation
Blakenhall Community & Healthy Living Centre, Bromley Street	1577	1709	JA JC JF JG	JAA		
Royal Air Force Association Club (RAFA), 26 Goldthorn Road	671	1159	JB	JBA		
Shri Guru Ravidass Community Centre, Dudley Road	971		JD JE		Electors will now vote at the more centrally located Blakenhall Community and Healthy Living Centre within the new polling district.	
Phoenix Nursery School, Phoenix Street	655	1189	JH	JHA		
Assembly Hall, Himley Crescent	1467	1513	JI JJ	JIA		
Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward Road	921	1806	JK	JKA	Merged with other station in the same location to reduce the required number of electoral staff needed.	
Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward Road	885		JL			

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St Teresa's RC Primary School, Malins Road	479	490	JM	JMA		
<b>Total number of polling stations</b>	Previous: 8 (7 premises) Proposed: 6 (6 premises)					

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<b>Existing Polling Place</b>	<b>Room Used</b>	<b>Existing Polling District(s)</b>	<b>Postal Voters as at 3/5/12</b>	<b>Polling Station Electorate as at 3/5/12</b>
Blakenhall Community & Healthy Living Centre, Bromley Street	Community Rooms 1 & 2	JA JC JF JG	165	1577
Royal Air Force Association Club (RAFA), 26 Goldthorn Road	Front Room of Club	JB	98	671
Shri Guru Ravidass Community Centre, Dudley Road	Foyer	JD JE	114	971
Phoenix Nursery School, Phoenix Street	Main room	JH	57	655
Assembly Hall, Himley Crescent	Main room	JI JJ	156	1467
Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward Road	School Hall	JK	59	921
Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward Road	School Hall	JL	91	885
St Teresa's RC Primary School, Malins Road	School Hall	JM	65	479

<b>Proposed Polling Place</b>	<b>Proposed Room</b>	<b>Proposed Polling District(s)</b>	<b>Postal Voters</b>	<b>Polling Station Electorate</b>
Blakenhall Community & Healthy Living Centre, Bromley Street	Community Rooms 1 & 2	JAA	151	1709
Royal Air Force Association Club (RAFA), 26 Goldthorn Road	Front Room of Club	JBA	156	1159
Phoenix Nursery School, Phoenix Street	Main Room	JHA	101	1189
Assembly Hall, Himley Crescent	Main Room	JIA	151	1513
Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward Road	School Hall	JKA	151	1806
St Teresa's Primary School, Malins Road	School Hall	JMA	60	490

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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
JAA	BO 1	Blakenhall Community & Healthy Living Centre, Bromley Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Community Rooms 1 & 2	<p>No change proposed to this location, a new building with excellent facilities for all local electors, good access both externally and internally. Creation of community hub at the healthy living centre will re-affirm the building as a focal point in the community. Boundaries of existing polling districts have been amended to now include JA, and JF part, JD, JE creating JAA. The remaining electors from JF and JG complete will attend alternative polling places.</p>

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JBA	BO 2	Royal Air Force Association Club (RAFA), 26 Goldthorn Road	✓	✓	✓	✓	0	✓	0	✓	✓	✓	Front Room of Club	To maintain the use of this existing location as a polling place which is centrally placed within the new district of JBA. Facilities offered are of a good standard. JBA will consist of existing polling districts JB and JC along with selected streets from JF. Polling place to operate as a single station with an approximate electorate of 1200.
JHA	BO 3	Phoenix Nursery School, Phoenix Street	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main Room	No change proposed to this location which continues to offer good facilities for voters in the local area. Well established building amongst the community. Good access into location. It is proposed that existing polling district JH be merged with JG to create new district JHA.

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JIA	BO 4	Assembly Hall, Himley Crescent	✓	✓	✓	0	0	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Main room	To maintain existing polling place which offers a conveniently placed location for voters, disabled access into polling place (externally and internally), existing polling districts JI and JJ to be merged to create JIA, no change to boundaries of these polling districts.
JKA	BO 5	Goldthorn Park Primary School, Ward	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	School Hall	No change to polling place which provides excellent facilities for voters, well established and well known amongst local community, good access externally and internally, to operate as a single polling station with polling district boundaries of JK and JL remaining externally unchanged but will be merged to become one area JKA.

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JMA	BO 6	St Teresa's RC Primary School, Malins Road	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	School Hall	To maintain existing polling place which provides a high level of facilities and accessibility for electors, well known in immediate polling district and well established location, no change to polling district JM boundaries.

✓ Facilities good


0 Facilities acceptable (may be difficult to improve)


? Facilities in need of improvement or change of venue required




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## Key

 Revised Polling District Boundary

 Existing Polling Districts Boundary

### Proposed Polling Stations: -

 Existing Polling Station - Unchanged

 Existing Polling Station - Deleted

