

APPENDIX G
Child consultation notes -

Proposed merger of Park Primary School with Tower Nursery School
 Consultation with pupils

School:	Tower Nursery School
Date of consultation	14/3/11 and 15/3/11

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Don't know, don't know
 ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok, ok
 I'm fine
 Don't mind, don't mind, don't mind, don't mind
 Happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy
 Sad
 Pleased, pleased
 Like
 Good idea, good idea, good idea, good idea
 Good, good, good
 Thumbs up
 Yes, aye, aye, yes, yes, yes, yes
 No, no wouldn't like it
 School is far away
 Part of Park ok
 Sad because I like nursery and don't want to go to school
 Not good idea I like here
 Not ok don't want to

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Then that would be a big group of people
 I think there wouldn't be enough room for everybody
 I want the nursery to assemblies with us
 There won't be enough chairs for everyone
 I want them to come beside us because I like them
 I like the nursery to come because my little pal is there
 I'd like my pal to be in a class beside me
 What if my wee brother tries to find me?
 Easier for mum to drop off my sister at nursery and me at school
 Will they have a padlock on the gate to keep them safe?
 All children agree it would be a good idea to have all the children together -
 'like a family'
 I would be happy to see my wee sister
 I think it's a good idea, I'd get to see my cousin
 The nursery children would get a big playground
 The nursery children would learn more about school before they start
 If one fell bigger children could help them
 I think they'll be nice and not noisy
 We can help them to find things
 We can show them what to do before P1
 They would be scared and shy in nursery but not in P1 because they'd know
 what to do
 Good idea so that I can see my brother more when I'm at school
 Good idea because Sunshine class could be like a nursery
 It would be nice for us to help the children and teach the children to learn
 You could have more friends if they come to our school
 It's a good idea because the children are looking forward to it
 It will be fun because they can play with us at golden time
 Might give them a chance to learn something new
 The little ones in your family can play with you
 The little ones won't know what they are doing
 It will be noisy for the little ones
 They might break the school staff because they don't know what to do with it
 It's a good idea that both have the same headteacher
 Would be happy if nursery moved into Park building
 Nursery should stay where it is, ok for it to have same H/t as Park
 Park pupils could help the nursery children if they moved to Park
 Bad idea if P1 were playing with nursery children in the playground but a good
 idea if they are not in the playground
 Good idea because they can learn from boys and girls in school like in the
 dinner hall
 Good we get to know wee people

Good we can see wee sisters and stuff
Good for having buddies
Good to get more people in our school
We'll know what Nursery are doing and they'll know what we're doing
We have to stop playing football when they walk through our playground already so it would be worse if they moved here. We don't want them getting hurt
We would like more information about where they would be placed and how they will be integrated into the school
They already use the gym and dining hall
Easier for the buddies training- no getting wet in bad weather
Might form new friendships
They would be used to the school rules
Being settled within school already would help build their confidence
Better for meeting buddies
Saves nursery walking for dinner hall/gym hall when raining
Nursery get good space to use
Be able to pick up/drop off family members
Be able to see family members
Nursery children will be familiar with school for moving to P1
Could be scared of so many big people
Might hear noises from classrooms e.g. children/teacher shouting