

**ADDRESS: Rook Lane/Hilltop Lane/Church Lane/ Doctors Lane/ Leazes Avenue/
Mount Avenue, Chaldon.**

**STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE THE TRAFFIC REGULATION
ORDER**

The land at:

St Peter and St Paul School Rook Lane, Chaldon

Is proposed to be developed to provide:

New classrooms to extend the existing infant school to a primary school increasing the number of pupils by approximately 120

The development comprises the following highway works:

Traffic calming, improved footways, parking bays waiting restrictions and reduced speed limit.

The existing St Peter and St Paul Infant School, Chaldon is to be extended to a junior school increasing the number of pupils attending. Works are to be carried out along Rook Lane to improve the parking and footways and to construct speed reducing features to physically reduce traffic speeds on Rook Lane past the school. Adjoining roads as listed above require speed limits to be reduced to accommodate the 20 mph through Chaldon.

Statement

As a result of the highway works described above, the existing speed limit in Rook Lane needs to be reduced to ensure the safety of increased numbers of vulnerable pedestrians associated with the extended primary school. The speed limit in adjoining streets will also need to be reduced to ensure the safe transition for vehicles from 60mph down to 20mph.