

**Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council Local Plan Examination -
Draft Programme (V4)18.12.17**

Stage 1

Thur 21 Sept	10:00-13:00 14:00-17:00	Session 1 Session 2	Inspector's Opening Statement Council's Opening Statement Legal Soundness & Duty to Co-operate
Fri 22 Sept (Reserve)	10:00-13:00	Session 3	Legal Soundness & Duty to Co-operate

Stage 2

Tues 24 Oct	10:00-17:00 14:00-17.00	Session 3 Session 4	Objectively Housing Market Area Objectively assessed needed Employment
Wed 25 Oct	10:00-17:00 14:00-17.00	Session 5 Session 6	Green Belt Green Belt
Thur 26 Oct	10:00-13:00 14:00-17:00	Session 7 Session 8	Spatial vision and Targets Spatial Vision and Targets
Fri 27 Oct	10.00-13.00	Session 9	Housing Land Availability
Thur 2 Nov	10:00-17.00		Reserve
Fri 3rd Nov	10:00-17:00		Reserve

Joint Session - Birchall Garden Suburb

Tues 30 Jan	10.00-17.00	Joint Session WHBC & EHDC	Site Allocation: SDS2 and EWEL 1
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Stage 3

Tues 20 Feb	10.00-17.00	Session 10	SP4 Transport & Travel & SADM 2-3 inc SP5 Retail development & SADM 4-6 inc SP6 Community services and facilities & SADM 6-8 inc SP 7 Type & Mix of Housing & SADM 9
Wed 21 Feb	10.00- 17.00	Session 11	SP8 Local economy & SADM 10 SP9 Place Making & High Quality Design & SADM 11-12 inc SP10 Sustainable Design & Construction & SADM 13-14 inc SP11 Protection and enhancement of Critical environmental assets

Thur 22 Feb	10.00-13.00	Session 12	SP12 Strategic Green Infrastructure & SADM 15-18 inc SP13 Infrastructure delivery SP14 New Schools
Thur 22 Feb	14.00-17.00	Session 13	Reserve/round up
Stage Four - Site Allocations - details to be announced.			

This is a draft programme and is subject to change based on the nature and number of hearing statements that are received for Stage 3.

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