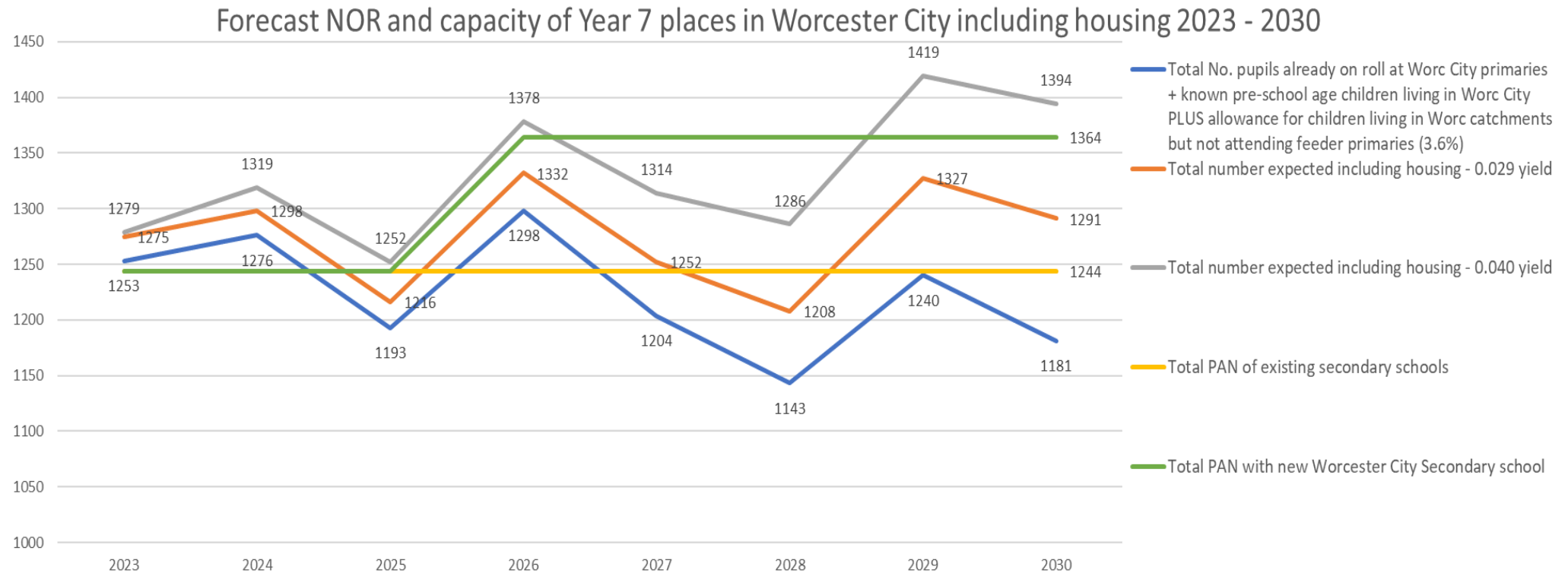
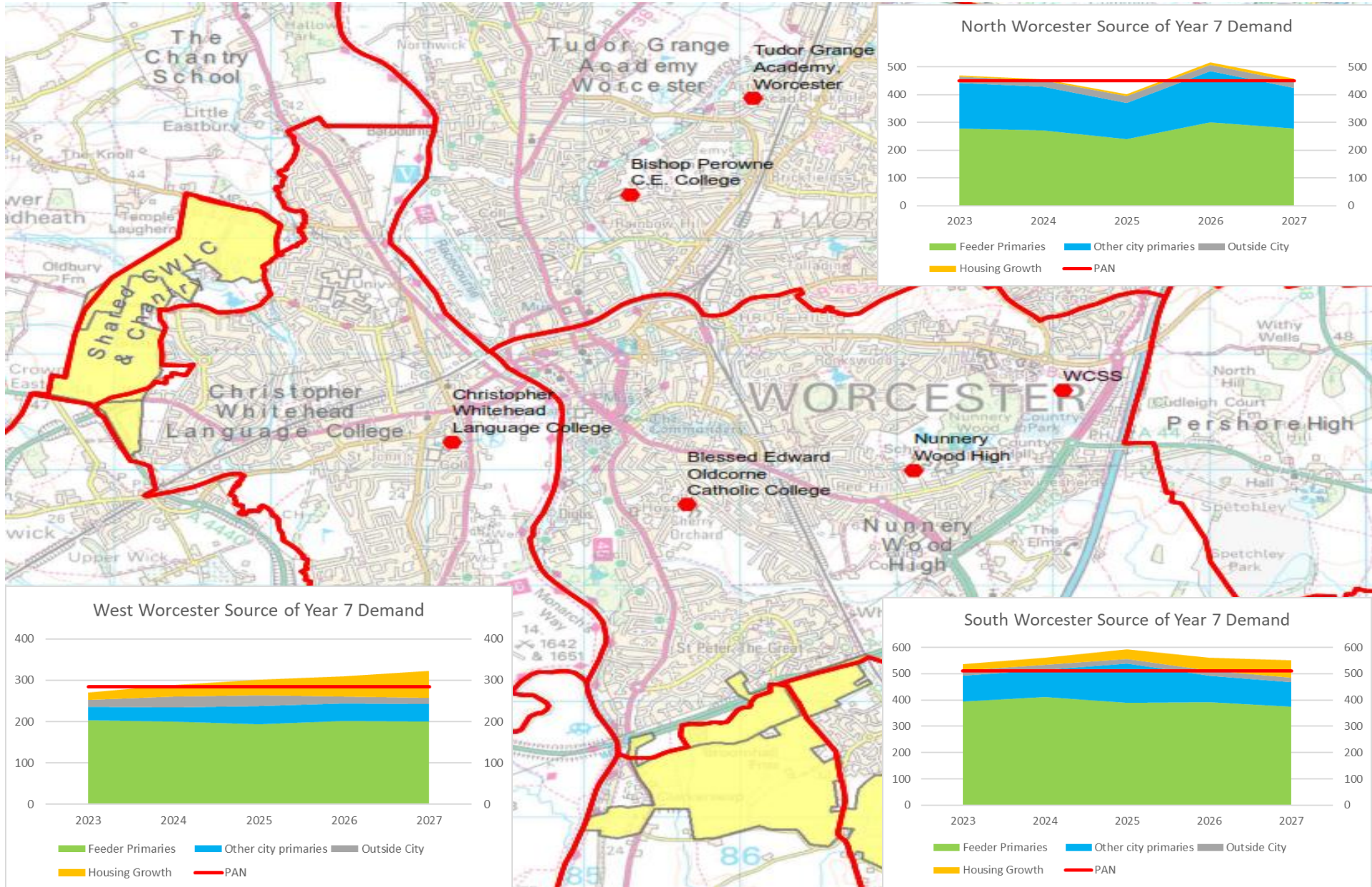


## Appendix 5 – Worcester City Secondary forecast demand



The number of pupils currently on roll in Worcester City primary schools and the known pre-school age children living in Worcester City is forecast to reduce over the next 7 years, however, the forecast number of additional children from the significant amount of new housing within and surrounding Worcester is forecast to exceed the number of secondary school places provided. For the past two years, we have already seen demand exceed supply of places and existing secondary schools have needed to admit more pupils than their published Pupil Admission Number (PAN). The requirement for additional secondary school places is certain, and the permanent delivery of an additional 120 places per year group (4FE) across the planning area would allow us to meet this requirement and enable in year movement. Therefore, we need to find solutions that ensure children living in Worcester can access a secondary school place between now and delivery of a new school.

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The locations of existing pupils are spread across the areas of the city, as are the existing secondary schools. The demand for secondary school places exceeds the supply particularly in the South Worcester area served by Nunnery Wood High School and Blessed Edward Oldcorne Catholic College. Additional provision in this area will support the meeting of parental preferences and also the reduction of travel times across the city. Demand in the West is also forecast to exceed supply in the longer term due to additional secondary age pupils moving into the West Worcester Urban expansion new housing.