

Wimborne Academy Trust consultation on School Admission Arrangements for 2020/2021

Wimborne Academy Trust are running a consultation on the School Admission Arrangements for 2020/2021 with effect from Monday 3rd December 2018 to Monday 14th January 2019 for the following schools:

Allenbourn Middle School, Lockyer's Middle School, Colehill First School, Hayeswood First School, St John's CE First School – the changes in the policies are to keep admissions arrangements for the ex-community and Voluntary Controlled schools aligned with the proposed Dorset County Council admissions policy and oversubscription criteria for 2020/2021.

Emmanuel CE Middle School, St Michael's CE Middle School, Witchampton CE First School – the changes in the policies are to align them with the updated Salisbury Diocesan Board of Education model admissions arrangements.

Details of the consultations are available to view on each schools' website and on the Trust website at: <https://www.wimborneacademytrust.org/page/?title=Admissions&pid=23>

Responses must be submitted either in writing to Ross Bowell, Business Director, Wimborne Academy Trust, c/o Allenbourn Middle School, East Borough, Wimborne BH21 1PL or by email to ross.bowell@wimborneacademytrust.org by Monday 14th January 2019.

Upon the conclusion of the consultation period all responses will be considered carefully and a report will be presented to the Trust Board prior to the determination deadline on 28th February 2019.

The key dates for the consultation are set out below:

- Consultation begins – 3rd December 2018
- Consultation ends – 14th January 2019
- Determine Admission Arrangements - 28th February 2019
- Publish Admission Arrangements - 15th March 2019
- Deadline for Objections to Office of the School's Adjudicator - 15th May 2019

A consultation on the School Admission Arrangements for 2020/2021 for Merley First School is running from 19th November until 9th January 2019, with details available from the Trust website and on the school website:

<https://www.merleyfirstschool.com/page/?title=Admissions&pid=16>