

TWYDALL PRIMARY SCHOOL



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2024/2025 Admissions Arrangements Consultation

Introduction

The Rainham Mark education Trust (the “Admission Authority”) is the admission authority for Twydall Primary (the “Academy”). The Admission Authority is consulting on the Academy’s proposed Admission Arrangements for 2024-2025 in accordance with paragraph 1.45 of the School Admissins Code (September 2021).

Duration of the Consultation

The consultation process is open from **Friday 4th November 2022 to Friday 16th December 2022**. If you wish to comment on the proposal you must submit your response in writing during this period. Details of how to submit your views are set out below (see “How to respond to the Consultation”).

Who is involved in the Consultation?

- Parents of children between the ages of 2 and 18;
- other persons in the area who in the opinion of the Admission Authority have an interest in the proposal;
- all other primary and secondary admission authorities in the local area; and
- the local authority

The Proposal

- Our current Admission Arrangements Oversubscription Criteria state that following receipt of parental/carer preferences, if the number of requests received is more than the number of places available, places will be allocated in a priority order. Point 5 on this list is “Multiple birth children, as defined in the Medway co-ordinated admission scheme”.
Our proposed change is that “multiple birth children would be given priority for the last available place(s) to be offered should they be potentially split”.
- Our current PAN is 50, our proposed change is to reduce this to 30.

How to respond to the Consultation

You are invited to send any comments in relation to the proposal in writing to the Head of School via email at Twydall-Office@rmet.org or via post for the attention of The Head of School, Twydall Primary School, Twydall Lane, Gillingham, Kent, ME8 6JS.

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What happens next?

Following the consultation period, the Admisson Authority will consider any comments received and determine how to proceed.

The Admission Authority will determine the final Admission Arrangements for the Academy by 28th February 2023. A copy of the Admission Arrangements will be published on the Academy's website by 15th March 2023.

Any subsequent objections to the published Admission Arrangements will need to be made to the Office of the Schools Adjudicator by 15th May 2023.

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