

## **2017 Admission Arrangements Trafford Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools**

The amended School Admissions Code, which came into force in December 2014, changed the arrangements for consultation. For admission arrangements for the 2017 academic year and all subsequent year, consultation **must** be for a minimum of 6 weeks and **must** take place between **1 October** and **31 January** of the school year before those arrangements are to apply. For example: for arrangements which are to apply to for entry in September 2017, consultation **must** be completed by 31 January 2016. The final admission arrangements must be determined by **28 February** in the determination year.

The consultation process for Trafford's community and voluntary controlled schools will commence on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2015 and will close on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2015.

The oversubscription criteria for community and voluntary controlled schools are proposed unchanged from the previous year. However the Council is proposing the following changes:

1. an increase to the admission number of Brooklands Primary School from 70 to 90. The Council is currently considering the physical expansion of the School and will undertake the relevant statutory process;
2. The creation of a joint catchment area corridor, between Brooklands Primary School and Springfield Primary School.
3. The inclusion in the admission arrangements of a scheme for the delayed entry of summer born children as required by the School Admissions Code.

Consultees are invited to consider and comment on the proposed arrangements which will be available to view or download from Trafford's website: [www.trafford.gov.uk](http://www.trafford.gov.uk) from 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2014.

The documents to be considered are:

- i) Trafford Primary/Infant/Junior Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools - 2017 admission arrangements;
- ii) Lostock College - 2017 Admission Arrangements;
- iii) 2017 Proposed Admission Numbers (PANs);
- iv) Brookland/Springfield Primary School Catchment Area Proposal
- v) Scheme for the Delayed Entry of Summer Born Children
- vi) 2017 Co-ordinated Admissions Scheme (Primary);
- vii) 2017 Co-ordinated Admissions Scheme (Secondary);

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All comments and objections will be considered through Trafford's democratic process and the final admission arrangements will be determined by 28<sup>th</sup> February 2016.