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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Admissions Policy Consultation 2022-23

The Directors of St Bartholomew's CE Multi Academy Trust (MAT) are consulting on the admission arrangements for All Saints' CE Primary School, Trysull. The consultation, with regard to the proposed changes to the Admissions Policy for admission to the school from September 2022, is commencing on 2nd November 2020 and will conclude on 14th December 2020.

These arrangements will apply for pupils who will be starting primary school in September 2022, or those requesting admission to the schools from September 2022 onwards.

The main changes being proposed are:

- Inclusion of a new "religious reasons" criteria based on attendance at a place of worship as defined in the draft Supplementary Information Form, in order to prioritise children of faith; and
- Removal of the "catchment area" criteria, in order to prioritise children who live closest to the school.

The admission arrangements will be administered on behalf of the MAT by the City of Wolverhampton Council (CWC).

We would welcome your views on the proposed arrangements, which includes changes from those agreed for previous academic years.

The consultation documents can be viewed on the MAT website (www.stbartsmat.co.uk), the individual school website (<https://www.allsaintstryull.co.uk/>) and the CWC website (<https://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/education-and-schools/school-admissions/consultation-documents>)

The consultation has been communicated on behalf of the MAT by CWC.

Printed copies of the proposed admission arrangements can be made available on request; please telephone the school office via 01902 894452 if you require a paper copy. You are invited to have your say on the Admissions Policy and comments can be made to Lauren Prosser, PA to the CEO, by completing a Survey Monkey questionnaire here: [<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/9CKXN5K>].

Any comments must be received by 14th December 2020 at which point the consultation process will end.

We look forward to receiving your views on our proposal.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R Pithers'.

Mr R Pithers, Chair of Trust Board, St Bart's CE MAT