

Hall Orchard Consultation on

'Making Significant Changes' to an open academy fast track process. February 2023 Wednesday 8th February to noon Wednesday 15th March

Tuesday 7th February 2023

Hall Orchard CE Primary School are now conducting our follow up consultation for the 'fast track' application to the Regions Group of the DfE.

This consultation mirrors the earlier consultation that took place from, Friday 25th November 2022 to Sunday 8th January 2023. This earlier consultation asked for feedback on the schools Admissions Policy for academic year September 2024 to August 2025. We had no adverse responses.

We are specifically asking all those consulted if they have any objections to the school formally increasing PAN from 75 to 90. Over time, this possibly will lead to school NOR moving from 525 to 630. This permanent change would take effect from academic year September 2024.

Any responses received will be part of our submission to the East Midlands Regions Group DfE. Equally, the absences of responses will be seen as evidence that there are no objections to the proposed increase to PAN.

When the consultation is complete, the school will liaise with the East Midlands Regions Group DfE and submit the fast track application.

The school will consult with partners at the LA, the Diocese Board of Education, schools in the local area, local groups such as the parish council and parents. The school will also organise an open evening.

Consultation response forms are located on our website: https://www.hall-orchard.leics.sch.uk/page/?title=Admissions+Consultation&pid=99

Public Meeting

A public meeting will be held at the school on Tuesday 14th February 2023 from 5.30pm to 6.30pm.

The meeting will take place in the school hall - all stakeholders are welcome.

Any written submissions in response to the proposed changes should be received no later than Wednesday noon 8th March 2023 and addressed to:

Mr Paul Browning Chair of Governors Hall Orchard CE Primary School Church Street Barrow upon Soar Loughborough LE12 8HP

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