

Appendix 2

Nottinghamshire County Council's consultation on admission arrangements for community and voluntary controlled schools for 2023-2024 – summary of responses

Background information

The School Admissions Code 2021 states that all admission authorities must consult for a minimum of 6 weeks between 1 October and 31 January in the determination year when changes are proposed to their admission arrangements. Nottinghamshire County Council, as the admission authority for all community and voluntary controlled schools in Nottinghamshire, consulted from 4 October 2021 to 28 November 2021 on the following:

- Relevant areas
- Change to reduce the published admission number (PAN) for Carnarvon Primary School

Who did we consult with?

- parents of children between the ages of two and eighteen
- other people in the area who may have an interest in the proposed admission arrangements
- all other admission authorities within the relevant area
- all community and voluntary controlled schools in Nottinghamshire
- chairs of governing bodies of Nottinghamshire schools
- diocesan representatives (relevant religious authorities)
- admission authorities in neighbouring local authority areas
- all registered early years providers within Nottinghamshire

Responses to the consultation

Full details of the proposed admission arrangements for 2023-2024 were available on Nottinghamshire County Council's public website for the duration of the consultation period.

Responses could be made up to 28 November 2021 by:

- completing the online response form on the public website
- emailing admissionsconsultations@nottscc.gov.uk

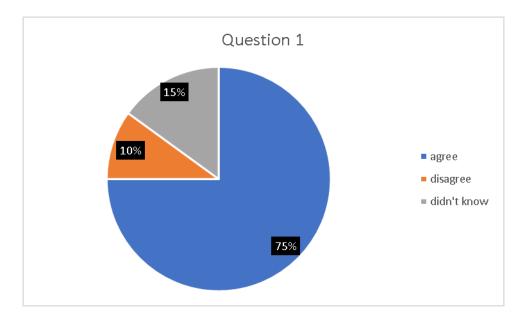
The online questions sought the views of respondents about specific aspects. A total of 59 responses were received, 56 using the online response form and 3 email responses. An analysis of the responses is detailed below.

Proposal 1 – review of relevant areas

Q1: Do you agree with the relevant areas as outlined above?

Responses and comments:

- 44 (75%) agreed
- 6 (10%) disagreed
- 9 (15%) didn't know



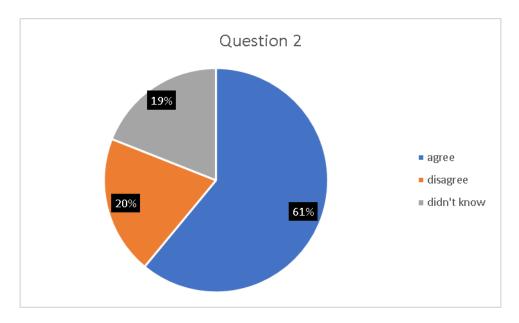
6 respondents submitted comments. 1 comment respondent suggested the use of road measurement instead of district boundaries. All other comments related to catchment areas and not relevant areas.

Proposal 2 – change to the admission number for Carnarvon Primary School

Q2: Do you agree with the proposal to reduce the PAN for Carnarvon Primary School for the 2023-2024 admission year?

Responses and comments:

- 36 (61%) agreed
- 12 (20%) disagreed
- 11 (19%) didn't know



13 respondents submitted comments:

- 4 comments were in favour of the reduction to PAN
- 5 comments were not in favour of the reduction to PAN
- 3 comments did not know as they live outside of this district
- 1 comment related to the level of education across all schools.