

SCHOOL ADMISSION ARRANGEMENTS 2027-2028

CONSULTATION NOTICE

Proposed Changes to School Admission Arrangements for Tenbury CE Primary Academy

Dear Parents and Stakeholders,

In accordance with the DfE's statutory 'School Admissions Code' guidance, admission authorities must consult on admission arrangements when changes are proposed, and at least once every seven years even if no changes are proposed.

The highest priority is given to children in public care and those with an Education, Health and Care Plan which names a specific school are automatically admitted, as required by the Schools Admission Code.

The Diocese of Hereford Multi-Academy Trust and the local governors of the schools listed above are proposing the following change to its oversubscription criteria within its admission arrangements to include:

3. Children of staff^(ix) in either or both of the following circumstances:

- a. Where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time for which the application for admission is made**
- b. The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.**

(ix) Children of staff: criterion 2 applies to all staff, who work on site at the school; it does not apply to sub-contracted staff (e.g.: catering/cleaning/maintenance, supply teachers).

4. Children of service personnel^(v) with a confirmed posting to their area, or crown servants returning from overseas to live in that area.

The consultation is open to any person(s) or body who may have a reasonable interest in the admission arrangements at the schools listed above. The consultation must be for a minimum of 6 weeks between 1st October and 31 January in the determination year.

The consultation period for these schools will commence on 20th October 2025 to 30th November 2025

Details of the proposed admission arrangements 2027/28 for individual school can be found on each of the relevant school's website and the Diocese of Hereford MAT website

[Tenbury CE Primary Academy](#)

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Any comments on the consultation should be submitted in writing no later than 30th November 2025

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A review of all comments received will be carried out to determine the outcome of the consultation. The final admission arrangements for 2027-28 will be determined by 28th February 2026 and published on the school website no later than the 15th March 2026.

