

CONSULTATION NOTICE

Consultation Notice on the proposed Admission Arrangements for 2019/20 St John Bosco College, Parkham Street, London SW11 3DQ

The Governing Body of St John Bosco College review the school's admission procedures annually to ensure that they are fit for purpose. Following a review in July of this year the Governing Body is proposing a change to the pupil admissions number (PAN) for entry to year 7 in 2021-2022 and are now seeking to consult with key stakeholders.

The current PAN of the school is 180 per year group. The governors are proposing to reduce this to 150 for 2021-2022 and subsequent years. It is the belief of the school that this number of pupils is the optimum number for ensuring that the school operates effectively when at maximum capacity. Furthermore current application numbers and future forecasts do not support the need for a PAN of 180.

There are no other changes to the admissions criteria or the order in which preference is given to applicants.

Attached to this note is a copy of our Arrangements for Admissions for 2021/2022.

This consultation is for the attention of:

- a) parents of children seeking a Catholic secondary school place in year 7 from 2021 onwards
- b) other persons in the area who have an interest in the proposed arrangements
- c) all other admission authorities within the local area
- d) the local authority (Wandsworth)
- e) any adjoining neighbouring local authorities, Richmond, Merton, Lambeth, Hammersmith and Fulham
- f) any relevant faith bodies (RC Diocese of Southwark, Salesians of Don Bosco UK)

The consultation period is open from **Friday 22 November 2019** until **Friday 17 January** and comments should be submitted in writing to:

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St John Bosco College
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Alternatively you can email your comments to: info@sjbc.wandsworth.sch.uk

Once public consultation has closed, the Governing Body of St John Bosco College will consider all feedback to the proposed admissions arrangements and make recommendations for final changes, where relevant. The final admissions arrangements will be determined by the Governing Body before 28th February 2019 and published on the school's website.