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Consultation on Robert May's School admissions arrangements for 2023-2024

As its own admissions authority, Robert May's School is seeking your views on its proposed admissions arrangements for the school year 2023-2024.

The School Admissions Code (September 2021) published by the Department for Education, requires that we consult regarding any proposed changes to admissions arrangements we are seeking to make. Consultation must be for a minimum of 6 weeks between October 1st 2021 and January 31st 2022.

We have published the proposed admissions policy for 2023-2024 on the school website [here](#) and are notifying you as an interested party as detailed in Hampshire County Council's relevant area and in the schools Admissions Code.

Specifically, the proposed change, on page 1 of the draft policy, is to add a new admission criterion at number 3 as follows:

3. Children of UK Service Personnel who have a confirmed posting to RAF Odiham, living in the catchment area of Robert May's School and who can provide an official letter declaring that the relocation date is within six weeks from the date of application.

The proposed change is designed to ensure that Robert May's School serves the local community and in particular those children of UK Service Personnel posted to RAF Odiham requiring an in-year admission to secondary school.

How to respond to the consultation

To respond to the consultation, please send your comments by email to admissions@rmays.com or in write to Mrs J James, Admissions Officer, Robert May's School, West Street, Odiham, Hampshire RG29 1NA by no later than **24th January 2022**.

All responses will be considered by the Academy Trust who will determine the final arrangements which will be published on the school website by 15 March 2022.