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FAO: Parents/the Headteacher/Local Authority Director and Local Authority Admissions Service/ Diocese of Durham / St Giles and Belmont PCC / Little Lights

Re: Admission arrangements 2024/2025

I am writing to you on behalf of the governing body as we are opening a consultation on our School Admissions Policy. This consultation is being carried out in line with the School Admissions Code 2021. The main change to the policy is the removal of oversubscription criteria relating to faith. The reasons we have decided to remove this criteria are to reflect the original foundation of the school, to ensure children of the local area have equal access to places at the school. There are also some changes/further detail added to the policy simply to ensure compliance with the School Admissions Code 2021.

Our Consultation with key stakeholders will be open for 6 calendar weeks for the period 16th December 2022 to 27th January 2023. If you have any comments or queries on the policy please submit these in writing to the school office or email them to sthilds@durhamlearning.net The consultation period will end on 27th January 2023.

At the end of the consultation period, all responses will be carefully considered and the final policy will be approved by the St Hild's College CE Aided School Governing Body. For further information regarding the consultation process, please refer to the draft admissions policy, copies of which can be accessed via our school website <https://www.st-hilds.durham.sch.uk/admissions/> or in hard copy on request from the school office.

If you wish to discuss this matter further please contact the school office on 0191 3847451

Yours sincerely,

Alexandra Ryder
Headteacher

