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1st October 2024

Dear Stakeholder

Statutory consultation on school admission arrangements at Atwood Primary School

The Directors of the Pegasus Academy Trust are consulting on a proposed change to the admission criteria (how school places are allocated) at Atwood Primary School, Limpsfield Road, Sanderstead, South Croydon, CR2 9EE. These changes are proposed to take effect from September 2026. You are being contacted because you may have an interest in this matter. Atwood Primary School joined the Pegasus Academy Trust on 1st September 2022 and is now an established member of the Trust. The consultation details are as follows:

Consultation period: Tuesday 1st October 2024 to Friday 29th November 2024 – 9 weeks in total.

Proposed change: The Directors of the Trust propose that Atwood Primary School would adopt the admission criteria used by the other schools in the Trust. The existing Atwood admissions policy and the Pegasus policy are already very similar. The most notable change is that a staff criteria for admissions would be introduced as explained at section [3.8] of the policy and in note 4 at [4.4]. The proposed policy is published on our web site here: https://www.pegasusacademytrust.org/media/Proposedadmissions-Policy-2026-7.pdf

Why is this change being proposed? The Directors of the Pegasus Academy Trust are undertaking this change to align the admission criteria of the school with those currently used at the other five schools in the Trust.

Your opinion is important to the school and the Directors of the Pegasus Academy Trust. This is a formal consultation process that gives you your say in how Atwood Primary School will offer places at Atwood Primary School from September 2026.

Respond to this consultation. If you would like to participate in this consultation, please tell the Trust if you agree or disagree and if you disagree your reason why. All comments will be given serious consideration before the Directors determine (set) their arrangements.

Consultation responses. The Directors of the Pegasus Academy Trust invite you to submit your views or make comments, in writing, by 5pm on Friday 29th November 2024. Responses to this consultation can be made by email to our Executive Principal, Lynne Sampson -Isampson@pegasusacademytrust.org

Yours faithfully

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Chair of Directors – Pegasus Academy Trust