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Dear Stakeholder

Consultation on admission arrangements for 2027-2028

We are writing to inform you of the upcoming consultation on our admission arrangements for the academic year 2027-2028.

In line with the Department for Education's (DfE's) 'School Admissions Code', we must consult on our admission arrangements at least once every seven years, or whenever significant changes are proposed. The consultation must take place in the 'determination year'- the year in which we determine our arrangements.

It should be noted that this consultation is being held to meet our statutory duty; **no significant changes to the current admission arrangements are being proposed.**

The consultation period will run from **Monday 15th December 2025** to **Sunday 25th January 2026**.

As an interested party, we welcome your feedback on our admission arrangements, which you can view on the school's website, here:

<https://www.benjaminbritten.school/34640/Admission-Arrangements-Consultation>

If you would prefer a paper copy of the arrangements, please contact the school office through email on office@benjaminbritten.school or by telephone on 01502 582312.

All responses to the consultation should be made in writing and submitted before **8pm on Sunday 25th January 2026**. Your response should include your name, address and relationship to the school. You can submit your response by email, on office@benjaminbritten.school, or by writing to us at Benjamin Britten Academy of Music and Mathematics, Blyford Road, Lowestoft, NR32 4PZ. If you are emailing your response, please label the subject 'Admissions Consultation'.

At the end of the consultation period, our governing body will meet to consider the responses received. The outcome of the consultation will then be published on our school website.

If you have any queries regarding the consultation, please contact us through the details provided above.

Yours faithfully

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