

Woodhill Primary School statutory consultation on the admission arrangements for the academic year September 2027

Consultation period: Monday, 1st December 2025 to Monday, 12th January 2026 at 5pm

The Admissions Code of Practice 2021 requires an Admissions Authority to consult each time it proposes to make significant changes to its admissions arrangements. Inspire Partnership Academy Trust, the Admission Authority for Woodhill Primary School, Woodhill, London, SE18 5JE, is consulting on the proposed change to the admissions criteria at Woodhill Primary School for September 2027.

The proposed change is to reduce the Published Admission Number (PAN) from 60 to 30. Woodhill Primary School currently has an informal cap of 30 in Reception with Local Authority (LA) support. This consultation is initiated due to a significant and sustained decline in demand for primary school places, consistent with a wider trend across London. Primary school demand is expected to decline continually through 2028/29.

There are no other material changes to our proposed arrangements, so although the full draft document is included for completeness, we are not seeking feedback on any other aspect of these arrangements.

The full arrangements can be viewed [here](#).

Consultation responses

The Trustees of Inspire Partnership Trust invite you to submit your views or make comments, in writing, by 5pm on Monday, 12th January 2026. Responses to this consultation can be made by email to our Governance Administrator, Julie Newman - jnewman@inspirepartnership.co.uk submitted by 5pm on Monday, 12th January 2026.