

Consultation on a proposed age range reduction from 3-11 to 2-11 at Windale Primary School, with effect from September 2021

Consultation period: 26th April 2021 to Monday 24th May 2021

Background

Windale Primary School previously had a 2-year-old provision, running both morning and
afternoon sessions until the end of 2019/20 academic year when it closed. However, the demand
in the area has been growing ever since and the Local Authority has directly contacted Windale to
request and support the reopening of the provision as they feel there is a need within the local
community.

Specific Proposal

- United Learning Trust propose to make a significant change application to the Department for Education to extend age range at Windale Primary School from 3-11 to 2-11, with the change taking effect and the two-year-old provision reopening from September 2021.
- The nursery places will be offered from the term after a child turns 2 years old.
- The admission criteria are in line with the Schools Admissions Code and there will not be any change to the number of places available in Reception.

Who is consulted?

This consultation is for the attention of:

- Staff
- Parents of children between the ages of two and eleven years old at the school currently and in the surrounding area
- Other persons in the area who have an interest in the proposed arrangements
- All other admission authorities within the local area
- The local authority
- Adjoining neighbouring local authorities

How to respond

This consultation will run from Monday 26th April 2021 to Monday 24th May 2021. You are invited to submit comments in writing about the proposal above to Tina Arundell, School Manager at Windale Primary School via office@windale.org.uk or to Windale Primary School, Windale Ave, Oxford OX4 6JD.

This consultation will end at 12pm on the 24th of May – please send any comments regarding this change before that time.