



**To: Headteachers/Chairs of Governors  
of all Dorset Schools**

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Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2014  
Ask for:  
My ref:  
Your ref:

Dear Headteacher/Chair of Governors

**FOR INFORMATION: ADMISSION ARRANGEMENTS CONSULTATION – 2016/2017**

In accordance with statutory requirements, Dorset Local Authority is required to consult on changes to admission arrangements annually.

The consultation period for the academic year 2016/2017 will commence on **Monday, 5 January 2015** for a period of 8 weeks, ending on **Friday, 27 February 2015**.

Full details of the proposals will be published on the School Admissions website at [www.dorsetforyou.com/schooladmissions](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/schooladmissions) from **5 January 2015**.

Any comments on the proposals for 2016/2017 must be lodged with the Local Authority by **27 February 2015**. You will be kept informed as to the final determination of the proposed changes during March/April 2015. If I do not hear from you by the specified date then I will assume that you have no comment to make on the proposals.

Parents need to be made aware of the consultation process and therefore we would be grateful if you could add a reference in any newsletter you may send out as well as on your website. I would like to thank you for your support in this regard.

Yours Sincerely

*Ed Denham*

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Sufficiency School Places Manager