

5th November 2024

Re: Symphony Learning Trust Schools Consultation on joint School Admissions Policy and arrangements for entry from Autumn 2026 onwards

Dear Parents, Carers and Stakeholders

Symphony Learning Trust Schools are consulting on their joint School Admissions Policy and arrangements to take effect from Autumn 2026. You are invited to make comment on the proposed policy and any changes as detailed below.

The table below shows the proposed changes by school.

School	Changes
All Schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Criteria will not be applied in combination. Instead, places will now be allocated using a single criterion + distance (as the tie breaker). See section 1.22 Admissions Criteria, 1.3 and Note i
Glen Hills Primary School	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Reduce the Planned Admission Number (PAN) from 74 to 60 as shown in section 1.9
Foxton Primary School	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Change from single school admission policy to shared Trust policy containing individual criteria
Foxton Primary School	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Priority change – Sibling moved up to Priority 2,Priority change - Catchment dropped to Priority 3Criteria 5 – Linked Junior School removed as no longer relevantStaff added as Priority 5Straight line distance dropped to Priority 6

A copy of the proposed policy including the proposed changes can be found on the Symphony Learning Trust website: [Admissions Policy Consultation | Symphony Learning Trust](#)

The governors at Glen Hills Primary School would like to assure the local community that should the numbers increase in the local area, the school will reconsider the PAN of 74.

Schools, parents of children aged 2-18, residents and other members of the public will have the opportunity to have their say on this policy and proposed changes between Tuesday 5th November 2024 and Tuesday 17th December 2024.

Consultation responses:

Your views are important to us. Please be assured that no change will be made until everyone has had the opportunity to have their say. Please respond to admissionsconsultation@symphonylearningtrust.co.uk mark your email as **Consultation Response**. Once the consultation is closed, the Trustees will consider the responses.

Yours sincerely
Symphony Learning Trust