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Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Consultation on proposed changes to Castleford Academy's Admissions Policy 2021/2022**

The Governing Body of Castleford Academy is currently consulting on proposed changes to the Academy's Admissions Policy for the 2021/2022 school year.

The area for consultation surrounds the oversubscription criterion which is used to determine a child's priority for a school place from September 2021.

The proposed changes include the addition of two new oversubscription criterion giving priority to children who are attending a school within the Castleford Academy Trust or feeder primary school for Castleford Academy and to give priority to children of staff members employed by Castleford Academy.

Applicants to Castleford Academy would continue to apply using the Wakefield Council's online application system.

This consultation will run from Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019 through until Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020. Responses to the consultation are invited to be made to the Headteacher and/or the Chair of Governors by Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020 using the e-mail [admin@castlefordacademy.com](mailto:admin@castlefordacademy.com)

Please contact N Frost for further information about the proposed changes to the Admissions Policy using the e-mail [admin@castlefordacademy.com](mailto:admin@castlefordacademy.com).

The Academy's proposed Admissions Policy is available on the Academy's website. A copy is also available for request from the School Office.

We look forward to receiving any responses from interested parties and in response will decide on our final admission arrangements. Those decisions will be published on our website by the 15<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

Yours faithfully

**Mr G Panayiotou**  
Headteacher

