

The Diocese of Salisbury Multi-Academy Trust

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Southbroom Junior School

ACADEMY CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Our children deserve the very best education. The proposal to convert Southbroom CE VC Junior School into an Academy is about creating new opportunities to raise standards and to provide new ways to help all children enjoy learning and achieve their best. You can find out more by reading the overview below or you can visit our website www.salisbury.anglican.org/schools/board-of-education/dsmat

The Governors believe a change in status will provide the School with added freedom and the opportunity to work collaboratively with the Diocese of Salisbury Multi-Academy Trust to develop the standard of education currently offered at the School.

Before the Academy opens, it will be necessary for the Secretary of State for Education to enter into what are known as **“Academy arrangements”**

In this case ‘Academy arrangements’ refer to the Funding Agreement. This is a contract between the Secretary of State and the Trust under which the Trust agrees to establish, maintain and run the school and the Secretary of State agrees to provide funding for it.

The Department for Education publishes “Model Funding Agreements”, on its website: <http://www.education.gov.uk/b0074737/funding-agreement/multi>

If the decision to convert gains approval from the Secretary of State, there may be a proposed change of name.

Would you wish to retain the school’s current name? Yes / No

**If you would like a new name change, do you have a suggestion for this
- or another name which you feel could reflect the school?**

Do you have a view on how the Academy might make a difference to other local schools?

How could the Academy make sure it is really part of the local community?

Do you think the "Academy arrangements" (i.e. the Funding Agreement) for Southbroom Junior School should be entered into?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>
I'm not sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please explain your response above

Is there anything else you would like to say?

About you

Name:
Address:
Postcode:
Phone/mobile:
Email:

I am a:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent/carer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Teacher
<input type="checkbox"/>	Governor

- Parent of a child at another local school (name of school): _____
- Member of staff from another local school (name of school): _____
- Local resident
- Other? (Please specify): _____

How can I return this questionnaire?

You can either drop the questionnaire in the post box at the reception of the school or send your completed questionnaire to the following address.

Southbroom Proposed Academy Project, Cambridge Education, FREEPOST, CB41, Demeter House, Station Road, Cambridge, CB1 2YA

You don't need to use a stamp.

We need your comments by Monday 29th July 2013

How else can I have my say?

Come to our drop in public meeting on:

- **Wednesday 10th July between 2.00pm and 6.00pm at Southbroom Junior School**

You can write to the academy sponsor: Southbroom Proposed Academy Project, Cambridge Education, FREEPOST, CB41, Demeter House, Station Road, Cambridge, CB1 2YA

Or you can email questions to southbroom@camb-ed.com

If you would like to arrange a meeting, please also email. If you would like this leaflet in another language or large print, please write to us at the address above or email.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP