



Liverpool College

## Consultation on Proposed Changes to Liverpool College's Admissions Policy from September 2020

### Why are we consulting?

The School Admissions Code (2014) requires admission authorities to consult when changes are proposed to admissions arrangements. This process allows stakeholders to raise comments or concerns about the proposed arrangements.

### When are we consulting?

The consultation will run from **Thursday 20 December 2018 – Thursday 31 January 2019**.

If you would like a hard copy of the proposal, please contact the school on 0151 724 4000.

### How to return your comments

If you would like to comment on any of the proposed changes you can email [consultation@liverpoolcollege.org.uk](mailto:consultation@liverpoolcollege.org.uk) or you can send them in writing to: Miss S Bamber, Principal's PA, Liverpool College, Queens Drive, Liverpool L18 8BG.

All comments must be received by **31 January 2019**.

Following the consultation period, the Governing Body will consider any comments received and how to proceed. Admission arrangements for 2020 will be determined by 28 February 2019.

## **What changes are being proposed?**

Liverpool College is seeking to consult on the elements of our admissions policy where changes have been made. The full proposed admissions arrangements for 2020 is set out on the Admissions Page on the school's website ([www.liverpoolcollege.org.uk](http://www.liverpoolcollege.org.uk)) and a summary of the proposed changes is outlined below:

### **A. Year 3 Admissions**

Liverpool College proposes to remove the Year 3 PAN that was introduced in the 2018 Admissions Policy.

Liverpool College added a PAN for Year 3 in its Admission Policy for September 2018 as a third class was added to make a year group of 81 pupils. This was part of a phased growth of the school to a three form primary phase in response to the substantial changes in funding as well as the overwhelming oversubscription and demand for places. We set out in our admissions consultation document for the 2018 Admissions Policy, when the Year 3 PAN was proposed, that this was a temporary inclusion. We specified that the admission arrangement at Year 3 would only be in place for two years (ie. for 2018-19 and 2019-20) until the Year 2 group due to move up to Year 3 also has 81 pupils in it. In 2019-20, Year 2 will have 81 pupils.

### **B. Waiting Lists**

Change to wording (section 6.3):

The wording in this section has been amended to remove references to Year 3 oversubscription criteria.

### **C. Casual Admissions (section 8.1)**

This section has been updated to remove reference to oversubscription criteria for Year 3.