

Dear families and colleagues

As you may be aware the government are currently consulting on wide ranging reforms to SEND provision in schools. The full consultation document is here <https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/send-reform-putting-children-and-young-people-first> and summaries of the proposals under consultation (including for all parents and specifically for parents of children with SEND) are at this link <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-send-reforms-sheets>.

We are working with our schools on a Trust wide response to the consultation and would very much wish to reflect any views from families and our staff when preparing this response. If you wish to send any feedback or thoughts on this please send to SENDResponse@dndlt.co.uk so that this can be taken into account when drafting our response. The deadline for response to the consultation is 18th May so please do let us have any views before 14th May if possible.

Many Thanks

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