

## **Salmestone Primary School**

### **2025/6 Admission Arrangements**

#### **Consultation**

#### **Introduction**

The Kemnal Academies Trust (the “Admission Authority”) is the admission authority for Salmestone Primary School (the “Academy”). The Admission Authority is consulting on the Academy’s proposed Admission Arrangements for 2025-2026 in accordance with paragraph 1.45 of the School Admissions Code (September 2021).

#### **Duration of the Consultation**

The consultation process is open from 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023 to 24<sup>th</sup> November 2023. If you wish to comment on the proposal you must submit your response in writing during this period. Details of how to submit your views are set out below (see “How to respond to the Consultation”).

#### **Who is involved in the Consultation?**

- parents of children between the ages of 2 and 18;
- other persons in the area who in the opinion of the Admission Authority have an interest in the proposal;
- all other primary and secondary admission authorities in the local area; and
- the local authority.

#### **The Proposal**

There are no material changes proposed to the policy, this consultation is being undertaken to comply with The Admissions Code’s requirement to consult every seven years. However, O/S criteria 2 has been simplified, reference to Nursery Admissions has been removed (as the information is available on the school website) and clarification to the wording around In-Year Admissions has been made. Please note that the Academy admissions arrangements may look different as they have been updated to a new Admission Authority template, and there has been some rewording to use consistent wording across the Trust or to comply with requirements of the Admissions Code, which does not affect the content of the policy.

A copy of the proposed Admissions Arrangements for 2025/26 can be found on the website on the page entitled “Consultation of 2025-26 Admissions Policy” available from the “Admissions” menu.

#### **How to respond to the Consultation**

You are invited to send any comments in relation to the proposal in writing to Daniel More via email [Daniel.more@tkat.org](mailto:Daniel.more@tkat.org) or via post for the attention of Daniel More, Salmestone Primary School, Margate, Kent CT9 4DB

#### **What happens next?**

Following the consultation period, the Admission Authority will consider any comments received and determine how to proceed.

The Admission Authority will determine the final Admission Arrangements for the Academy by 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024. A copy of the Admission Arrangements will be published on the Academy’s website by 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Any subsequent objections to the published Admission Arrangements will need to be made to the Office of the Schools Adjudicator by 15<sup>th</sup> May 2024.