

## Consultation form

**Consultation for all projects:** list the groups that the local authority has consulted with and the date of the conversation. Local authorities are required to consult with parents and carers and should consult with other groups about how they plan to use their funding and set out information in the box below before they will receive their allocation.

Group	Date and method of discussion i.e. meeting or online consultation	Topic(s) of discussion	Outcome including any changes as a result of the consultation
Our Voice Parent Forum	March 10th 2016- Presentation	Presentation to parents concentrated on the pressures on SEND school places in Enfield, the over reliance on out of borough placements and the emerging plans to develop more SEND provision in the borough.	Parental view expressed in relation to being 'forced' to return their child to in borough provision once it had been created. The LA reassured parents that this would be done in discussion with them and would be mindful of any imminent transitions that might impact on the decision to be made.
School's Forum Meetings	March 8th 2017: High Needs Places Update report June 14th: High Needs report September 20th: High Needs Update report	Papers presented at these 3 meetings that describe the position outlined above with the strategic plan to expand existing provision to reduce over reliance on costly out of borough placements	

Termly Our Voice Meeting	February 2nd 2018	Capital updates presented as an agenda item. All projects discussed.	Board agreed that the right provisions were being developed in relation to numbers and level of need.
Enfield SEN Strategy group	March 2nd 2018	Capital updates presented as an agenda item. All projects discussed.	Board agreed that the right provisions were being developed in relation to numbers and level of need. Concern expressed over the number of placements being proposed on one project. Consultation with the HT needs to ensue.
Our Voice Parent Forum	March 16th 2018- Presentation	Presentation to parents concentrated on the pressures on SEND school places in Enfield, the over reliance on out of borough placements and the emerging plans to develop more SEND provision in the borough. Update as to progress so far. Consultation paper to elicit views to be given out, closing date for responses noon Thursday March 29th.	Parents were supportive of the Council's plans to increase special provision at the schools specified within the presentation. They were also keen to see more increases where possible. In particular parents were keen to see more places within mainstream settings.