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**Ref: Consultation on the Admission Arrangements for September 2025**

Dear Parents/Carers

In accordance with the statutory requirements set out in the School Admissions Code, we are required to undertake a six-week consultation on proposed changes to our admission arrangements.

Due to the unforeseen delay in Central Bedfordshire Council's Schools for the Future Programme (two-tier transition), we are consulting to reduce the published admission number (PAN) at Etonbury Academy as outlined below from September 2025.

Point of Entry (POE)	Current PAN	Proposed PAN
Year 5	180	150

This reduction will enable us to ensure that we can adequately accommodate all current year groups until the two-tier transition arrangements are agreed for the wider cluster.

The consultation will remain open until 12 noon on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2023. Should you wish to comment on the above, please email [admissionsconsultation@bestacademies.org.uk](mailto:admissionsconsultation@bestacademies.org.uk).

Yours faithfully

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