



## Consultation Outcome: New School Provision

### Outline

A consultation on new school provision ran for three weeks, concluding on the 8<sup>th</sup> July. The consultation was organised by The Learning Trust.

The consultation explored the demand for new school provision in the area, and asked respondents to state their preference between part of an existing academy or a free school.

A total of 208 responses were received, 149 of these were from parents. Around 30 parents also attended a public meeting held at Berger Primary School on 22 June.

### Results

- 100% of respondents were in favour of new school provision in the area.
- 69% (144) of respondents were in favour of an Academy running the provision.
- 10% (22) of respondents were in favour of a Free School.
- 21% (42) of respondents didn't express a preference, with some advocating a school maintained by the local authority.

### Next steps

We will work with the Department for Education to identify how the new academy will function and be funded.