

SLOUGH SCHOOLS' FORUM
9th December 2015

Consultation on Fair funding formula changes for 2016-17
(Directorate of Wellbeing)

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1** To consult with the school forum on the changes proposed by the Local authority on the Fair funding formula budget for 2016-17

2 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1** Please see the attached consultation documents, which includes a consultation form which School Forum members can use to make comments, please ensure you state that you are commenting as a School Forum member and sent it to Coral **by 18th December 2015**.

3 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

The Council in partnership with the School Forum members commissioned an independent consultant to produce a report that shows the average cost of a Primary school and a Secondary school in Slough. It was agreed at the Steering group that this information would be used to produce the 16-17 budget on an evidence based criteria. The report produced, was used to inform changes to the Funding formula.

4 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

- 4.1** None.

5 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 5.1** Appendix A. Graphs and tables.

6 ADVICE RECEIVED FROM STATUTORY AND OTHER OFFICERS

Borough Solicitor

- 6.1** None.

Section 151 Officer – Strategic Director of Resources

6.2 None.

Access Implications

6.3 There are no access implications.

7 CONSULTATION

Principal Groups Consulted

7.1 None.

Method of Consultation

7.2 Not applicable.

Representations Received

7.3 Not applicable.

Background Papers

None

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