

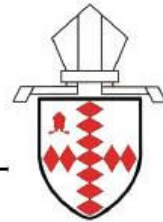


# THE MINSTER NURSERY AND INFANT SCHOOL

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To All Parents/ Carers

## **Re: Proposed Changes to Admissions Arrangements for Sept 2019-2020 consultation period.**

Please look at the school's website [www.minsterinfants.co.uk](http://www.minsterinfants.co.uk) to see the proposed changes to the School Admission Policy which will take effect from Sept 2019.

As a result of the school receiving an updated version of the Southwark Diocese Board of Education school admission code dated May 2017 the main changes are:

- Revisions to defining Christian commitment. The amendments clarify what is and what is not acceptable as qualifying activities over and above regular attendance.
- Revisions to include reference to the provision on our Supplementary Information form (SIF) to allow for a Minister to determine whether or not an applicant faced unavoidable circumstances that prevented their attendance at worship for the specified frequency or duration. Amendments to our SIF allow applicants to detail these circumstances; the relevant Minister is then asked to make a determination.
- Added information regarding Fair Access details for pupils who are hard to place in accordance with the locally agreed fair access protocol.

If you have any views or comments on these changes please forward them via the above email address, to the school office by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Yours sincerely

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