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Dear Parents and Carers,

## Consultation on the SEND Sufficiency Strategy 2023-28

Nottingham City Council is holding a public consultation on how it plans to strengthen education and provide additional school places for children and young people with special educational needs/disabilities (SEND) in Nottingham over the coming years, using the SEND Sufficiency Strategy 2023-28.

The Council, our partners and providers, want children and young people with SEND to achieve their full potential in education, learning and future employment. We propose to invest capital funding received from the Department for Education (DfE), to create additional high quality inclusive places and to improve existing provision for children and young people with complex needs or who have an education, health and care plan (EHCP). The funding can also be used to support SEND pupils without an EHCP and pupils who require alternative provision without an EHCP, where appropriate.

The consultation is open from 25<sup>th</sup> January to 28<sup>th</sup> February 2023. The consultation survey and proposal information is detailed here:

https://www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/engage-nottingham-hub/open-consultations/send-sufficiency-strategy/Please note, this link will also be sent over via the Class Dojo app.

We are particularly interested in feedback from parents, carers, young people, as well as schools, settings, local providers and other stakeholders. This is your opportunity to tell us what you think about the SEND capital priorities and help to shape proposals.

Thank you for your support,
Miss S. Cao
Head Teacher

