

YEAR 6 CONSULTATION -Year 9

My children were more than ready to leave first school. I believe year 6 children should be at middle school.

The middle school system works well and doesn't need changing, if change is made it should involve all schools after consultation. The answers given by the first school re choice do not stand up to examination and would be financially unviable.

By the time some children reach year 5 they get bored of lessons and first school, putting them in middle school for year 6 makes them more interested to learn more.

I feel most children by the end of Year 5 need that progression to mature and achieve more.

We fully support Mr Nichols. The three tier system works and too many children will "grow out of" primary school in Year 6. Middle School is an excellent grounding for High School.

Unless this decision is made on a countrywide basis then we feel it cannot work and will lead to a very disjointed system.

I agree with Mr Nichols. Both my children were ready to join Middle School in Year 6. Did very well in those three years. I have friends whose children have joined in Year 7 in Secondary School and they have had lots of problems as they are having to cope with a lot older children straight away.

This proposed move will only cause confusion. A few schools changing will in fact affect hundreds of children within the local area. The Local Authority either change as a whole or remain as it is.

My daughter went through this system and it has worked well. Things should be left how they are.

I fully support Mr Nichols.