

	<p>iii. Proposed Arrangements for Admission to Community Secondary Schools in 2020/21. Do you have any feedback on the admissions policy and oversubscription criteria for community secondary schools, or feedback on how this is working in practice?</p> <p>AF response – no further comment from AF</p> <p>iv. Proposed Co-ordinated Schemes for Reception, Year 7 and 2020/21</p> <p>AF response – Yes</p> <p>v. Proposed Co-ordinated Scheme for In-Year Admissions and Transfers in 2020/21.</p> <p>AF response – Agreed with the scheme. The AF noted that it had previously agreed that all applications for schools within Tower Hamlets came directly to Pupil Services and agreed that places should not be offered outside of this arrangement.</p> <p>Action: LA to present a report with the numbers of In Year admission applications to each admissions authority (Feb 2019).</p> <p>vi. Published Admissions Numbers for Schools in Tower Hamlets in 2020/21. Do you agree with the proposal to permanently reduce the PAN at Elizabeth Selby Infant School from 75 to 60?</p> <p>AF Response – Yes</p> <p>vii. Do you agree with the proposal to permanently reduce the PAN at Bow School from 270 to 240?</p> <p>AF Response - Yes</p>	MA
7.	<p>Other Admissions Authority Consultations for 2020/2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Central Foundation Girls School, 6th Form. The school is proposing a change to its oversubscription criteria, removing the category 'distance' and replacing with 'application date'. The forum noted that this wouldn't be compliant with the Admissions Code and the school should be advised to keep the current criteria. If application dates were an issue the school could update its timetable to address this. • St Paul with St Luke CE Primary School The school is proposing to include priority for children of staff, in line with the LA's policy. No objections from the forum, however, the school should be advised to include a 'cap' on numbers admitted under this category and limit this to '2' per year group. • Bishop Challoner Federation of Schools The school wasn't proposing any changes to the oversubscription criteria but was seeking views on the evidence required under 'faith' categories. No objections from the forum. • Tower Trust (The Clara Grant and Stepney Green Schools) The Trust is consulting on its admissions policy since becoming an academy in 2018. The schools was proposing to adopt the LA's admissions policy and the forum had no objections. 	Clerk

8.	<p>Coordinated Admissions 2019 Intake:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secondary Transfer 2019 – current Y7 numbers including out-borough ‘imports’ ‘exports’ report tabled. <p>TB highlighted the greater disparity between popular and less popular schools this year. TB noted that application numbers were rising as predicted and TH had a school organisation plan to cope with this increase.</p> <p>JM advised that parents generally only consider 3 or 4 schools to be worthy of their choice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reception 2019: update on applications made - noted • Nursery 2019: update on applications made and feedback from Nursery Working Group (NWG) - noted 	
8.	<p>Free Schools and Academies – report tabled</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The latest pupil roll position across primary and secondary academy schools in the borough was noted by the AF. 	
9.	AOB	
	<p>Next Meeting Tuesday 26th February 2019 10am at The Clara Grant Primary School</p>	Clerk