

Ref to Petition 3

PROPOSED LETTER TO HINCHLEY WOOD SCHOOL
FOR LOCAL COMMITTEE AGREEMENT

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Dear Sir

As the result of a petition received at the meeting of the SCC Elmbridge Local Committee on Monday 18th November 2013, I am writing to you on behalf on the Committee. The petition signed by 38 residents of postcode KT6 requested that 'the Elmbridge Local Committee write to Hinchley Wood School to exert the strongest possible influence on the School to ensure that their admission policy remains fair and balanced and not one which disadvantages Long Ditton, Elmbridge KT6 children. Long Ditton KT6 is in closer proximity to the school than most of the areas which the school attempted to prioritise through an inappropriate in year variation earlier this year.'

As a Local Committee we are appreciative of the difficulties currently experienced by the school with the oversubscription for places, but would like to reinforce the need for your admissions policy to be fair and balanced.

Yours faithfully

Margaret Hicks
Chairman, Elmbridge Local Committee

Cc Mr Ben Bartlett

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