

From North Somerset Council:

“We are pleased to be able to share our draft commissioning strategy for your review and comment. This draft Education Delivery Plan sets out how we hope to work with our existing and new partners to deliver the right numbers of school and pre-school places in the right locations to meet Basic Need. We are committed to work with the schools, academies and Multi-Academy Trusts serving North Somerset, with the Diocese of Clifton and the Diocese of Bath & Wells, with early year’s private, voluntary and independent organisations, other education stakeholders and with the Regional School’s Commissioner in coequal partnerships. Together we can meet the needs of our local communities to enable all children and young people to reach their academic potential and be ready for the world of employment.

This consultation will run from 5 March to 27 April 2018 inclusive. During this period we hope that you will discuss our plans and make individual or collective comments, sending them to [school.organisation@n-somerset.gov.uk](mailto:school.organisation@n-somerset.gov.uk). Whilst regrettably individual responses are unlikely, all comments will be recorded publically and will be available for scrutiny by decision makers before the final strategy is agreed by the Executive in September 2018. The consultation document is available at <http://consult.n-somerset.gov.uk/consult.ti>

Parts of the document include strikethrough comments. These refer to strategies that have been in previous plans but may or may not be included in future proposals. We would appreciate your specific feedback on whether these should be contained or removed from the final plan.”