REPORT FOR: EDUCATION

CONSULTATIVE FORUM

Date of Meeting: 7 November 2011

Subject: INFORMATION REPORT -

Outcomes of Rising 5 and 11+

allocations for 2011-12

Responsible Officer: Adrian Parker, Head of Education

Strategy and School Organisation

Exempt: No

Enclosures: Appendix 1 - Rising 5 allocation

Appendix 2 - 11+ allocation

Section 1 – Summary

This report sets out the outcome of the allocation of places for the 2011-12 academic year.

To provide Members of the Education Consultative Forum with information about the allocation of places in Harrow community and voluntary aided schools for the 2011-12 academic year.

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Section 2 – Report

This report updates members of the Forum on the outcomes of the allocation of places for Reception class and 11+ transfer for the 2011-12 academic year.

Appendix 1 gives details of how places were allocated to reception classes in Harrow's community primary schools. This year is the first year that rising 5 applications have been co-ordinated across 33 London Boroughs. Parents had to apply through their home authority and each applicant only received one offer.

Appendix 2 gives information about the 11+ transfer allocation. All Harrow applicants were offered a high school place to start in September 2011.

The overall successful first preferences over the past three years for transfer to Harrow community schools are as follows:

ALLOCATIONS	2011-12	2010-11	2009-10
Reception	79%	77%	74%
11+ transfer	81%	87%	N/A

To meet the demand for reception places, 8 bulge classes were opened for September 2011. All on time Harrow applicants were offered a school place to start in September 2011.

Section 3 – Further Information

All relevant information is detailed in the report.

Section 4 – Financial Implications

There are no financial implications arising from this report.

Section 5 – Equalities Implications

There are no equalities implications arising from this report.

Section 6 – Corporate Priorities

This report supports the Corporate Priority to improve support for vulnerable people. Monitoring the admission arrangements to ensure there is consistency and reliability in the approach to school admissions supports the vulnerable and hard to reach in the community.

on behalf of the Name: Emma Stabler X Chief Financial Officer

Date 20 October 2011

Section 7 - Contact Details and Background Papers

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Background Papers: None