

CONSULTATION REPORT

School Term Dates in relation to the 2023/2024 academic year.

Purpose of the consultation report

1. This report is to inform Members of the outcome of consultation.

Consultation Process

2. The consultation invited comments on proposed 2023/2024 School Term Dates for community schools within Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council. Views were invited from head teachers and governing bodies of community and voluntary aided schools, neighbouring local authorities.
3. Response was received from; Dwr Y Felin Comprehensive School.

Summary of responses to consultation

4. The response received is summarised as follows;

The Head Teacher noted that the term dates were published in a traditional manner and that there hasn't been an alternative schedule which looks at different models especially in light of the discussions that have taken place during 2020-2021.

Officers Comments

5. Members may wish to note that the Welsh Government have issued legislation which gives the Welsh Ministers power to direct authorities and the governing bodies of voluntary aided and foundation schools on the school term dates that they set.