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Dear parent/carer

Following a decision by the Council's Cabinet on 22 March 2018 we are consulting on proposed changes to the structure of the Ethnic Minority Achievement Unit (EMAU).

The new model that we are consulting on would look to ensure that minority ethnic learners and those pupils whose first language is neither English or Welsh are supported in all schools to achieve their potential. Schools would have any available devolved funding to independently tailor support to the needs of these learners.

Full details of the consultation (in a number of languages) can be found at [www.swansea.gov.uk/emauconsultation](http://www.swansea.gov.uk/emauconsultation) where you will find all relevant documentation and our online survey.

We have arranged a drop-in session for parents and carers to give you the opportunity to share your views. The session will be held **on 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2018 between 4:30pm and 6:30pm at Bishop Gore School.**

It will be an informal occasion with support being provided by interpreters in the following languages:

Arabic	Bengali	Polish	Mandarin	Russian	
Romanian	Turkish	Farsi	Kurdish Sorani	Urdu	Sylheti

If you have any queries please contact us at [education@swansea.gov.uk](mailto:education@swansea.gov.uk).

Regards

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