Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope this letter finds you well. We are reaching out to inform you about an important opportunity to help shape the future of library services in Birmingham.

Birmingham Libraries are currently conducting a consultation to gather input from residents, workers, and students in Birmingham. Your voice matters, and this is your chance to share your thoughts and ideas regarding the future of our library services.

The consultation is now live and will continue until the 17th July 2024. We encourage you to participate by taking part in the online Libraries Consultation Be Heard Survey. Your input will play a vital role in influencing decisions that will impact our community's access to library resources and services. Libraries Consultation 2024 - Birmingham City Council - Citizen Space (birminghambeheard.org.uk)

Additionally, Birmingham City Council is hosting various online and in-person sessions where you can contribute to the discussion. Dates and details can be found on the Be Heard link provided below and on the Libraries consultation page at this link Libraries consultation | Consultations to help us reshape | Birmingham City Council

For those who prefer paper copies of the survey, standard and large print versions are available upon request from any Birmingham City Council Library.

As a school, we believe it is crucial for young people to have a voice in shaping the services available to them. Therefore, we kindly ask for your support in encouraging your children to participate in the survey. Their perspectives are invaluable, and we are eager to gather as many views from young people as possible.

If you have any questions or require further information about the consultation, please don't hesitate to contact <u>LibrariesPublicConsultations@birmingham.gov.uk</u>

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and we appreciate your contribution to shaping the future of Birmingham Libraries.