



**DIRECTOR GENERAL**

**LETTER CIRCULAR**

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**Subject: The Introduction of Co-Education and Middle Schools in all State Secondary Schools  
- Teachers' Perspective**

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In preparation for the implementation of co-education and the introduction of Middle Schools in all State Secondary Schools, the Ministry would like to consult all teachers in secondary schools, as key stakeholders, by indicating their concerns, opinions and suggestions so that there is a smooth introduction of this initiative.

It is being proposed that each school should have a team of teachers which would collect this information on behalf of the teaching staff and to forward this to the DG (DES) on [dg.des.educ@gov.mt](mailto:dg.des.educ@gov.mt) by Friday 7th February, 2014. Once the Ministry's team has taken note of this information a meeting will be held at your school to address your concerns. The Honorable Minister will attend this meeting when possible.

Ultimately, this feedback will be used in the formulation of an implementation and support strategy that ensures that teachers and students would settle in the new system.

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