

Dear [REDACTED]

I have been asked to reply as I work in the Air Quality Team at City Hall.

The Greater London Authority used the 40µg/m³ NO₂ limit for the modelling and school selection for the school air quality audit programme as it presents a more accurate picture of personal exposure over the course of a year, rather than just peak pollution episodes, which are - by their nature - less frequent and give a less holistic picture of exposure to poor air quality.

There is more information about the schools air quality audit programme available on the GLA website here: <https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/environment/pollution-and-air-quality/mayors-school-air-quality-audit-programme> .

Additionally, please keep an eye on www.london.gov.uk/cleanair for further information on our work on air quality. You can also follow the GLA Environment team on Twitter for regular updates (@LDN_Environment).

Regards,

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Air Quality Team
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