



OVERSUBSCRIPTION CRITERIA

1. Looked After Children and previously Looked After Children
2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission
3. Baptised Catholic children resident in the designated parish of the school applied for (Please see Primary School Admissions Booklet link in the Get Help Section for further details of schools designated parishes)
4. Other baptised Catholic children
5. Children who are other than Catholic and have a sibling in the school at the time of admission
6. Children from other Christian denominations. Proof of Baptism in the form of a Baptismal Certificate or confirmation in writing that the applicant is a member of their Faith community from an appropriate Minister of Religion is required.
7. Children of other faiths. An appropriate faith leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
8. Children whose parents express a preference for a place at the school.

In the event of any over-subscription in the number of applications made under any of the categories above then the Admissions Committee will offer places first to children living nearest to the school measured in a straight line from the front door of house/flat to the main front door of the school as measured by the Local Authority's computerised measuring system with those living nearer to the school having priority.

For Baptised Catholic children, proof of birth date in the form of a Birth Certificate and proof of Baptism in the form of a Baptismal Certificate is required. Baptism should take place before the closing date for applications. For further information on designated parish boundaries please contact the relevant schools directly.

Definition

A Looked After Child is a child who is (a) in the care of a Local Authority, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a Local Authority in the exercise of their Social Services functions (under section 22 (1) of the Children Act 1989.) A previously Looked After Child is one who immediately moved on from that status after becoming subject to an adoption, residence or special guardianship order.