

St Paul's CE Primary School



Admissions Policy

September 2015

Mission Statement

The Christian family of St Paul's...
Moving forward together.
A Caring, exciting and happy school where everyone succeeds

Our admission number is 40 in Reception. However in Years 4,5 and 6 it is 45.

Aims:

- To follow LCC procedure as outlined in the “Primary School Admissions in Lancashire” booklet and via the LCC website.

Procedure

Many schools in Lancashire can accept all who wish to attend, but if a school is over-subscribed, the following criteria will be applied in priority order:

1. Children in public care who are in public care at the time when preferences are expressed and will still be in public care when admitted to the school.
2. Children for whom the County Council accepts there are exceptionally strong medical, social or welfare reasons for admissions, which are directly relevant to the school concerned.
3. Children with older brothers and sisters who will still be attending the school when the younger child starts.
4. Places will be allocated on a straight line (radial) measure from the school. Those living closest to the school will have priority.
5. Brothers and sisters include step children, half brothers and half sisters, adopted and foster children who are living with the same family at the same address (consideration may be given to applying the sibling rule for full brothers and full sisters only who reside at different addresses

Review and Monitoring

We will review this policy annually or where necessary.

Links to other Policies

Class Structure and Organisation Policy

(This Policy is reviewed annually and is due for review by the Governing Body in September 2016)