

ADMISSIONS POLICY SEPTEMBER 2013

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Standard Policy (04) (05) (06) (07) (08) (10) (11) (13)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Any other children	

Notes

1. If applying these criteria results in there being more children with an equal right to admission to the school than the number of available places, the tie break will be the distance the pupil lives from the school, measured in a straight line, using the Local Authority's computerised measuring system, with those living closer to the school receiving the higher priority. The Local Authority will measure the distance from the address point of the pupil's home to a point on the school site agreed with the governing body of the school. The Local Authority will not give priority within each criterion to children who meet other criteria.
2. The Local Authority will normally offer a place at the catchment area school if parents apply for a place at that school during the normal admissions round. However, a place at the catchment area school cannot be guaranteed. If a pupil moves into the catchment area outside the normal admissions round (or after the allocation process has begun) it may be more difficult to offer a place at the catchment area school if this would mean exceeding the admission number at the school. In this case, a place will normally be offered at the next nearest school or academy which caters for pupils of the same age and has places available.
3. Pupils who have a Statement of Special Educational Needs are required to be admitted to the school which is named on the statement, even if the school is full. Pupils identified for admission through the Fair Access Protocol will also be admitted even if the school is full.

ADDITIONS TO STANDARD POLICY

* Notes 1,2,3 above will be included after the final criterion for each school

Aspley Guise Lower (04) (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children attending the Aspley Guise Pre- School	Any other children	
#Doverly Down Lower (13)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	<i>Children attending The Acorn Pre- School</i>	Any other children	
Dunstable Icknield Lower (98) (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who have attended the Nursery at Dunstable Icknield Lower School	Any other children	

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Dunton VC Lower (04)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children attending Dunton Pre-School	Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *	Any other children
<i>Everton Lower (13)</i>	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	<i>Children attending Evertots Pre-School</i>	Any other children	
Greenleas Lower (11)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children attending Greeleas Nursery Unit	Children attending Willows Pre-school on the Greenleas School site	Any other children
Harlington Lower (12)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who attend Harlington Pre-School	Any other children	
Hockliffe Lower (11)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Nursery aged children attending Hockliffe Lower School	Children attending Little Bluebells Playgroup at Hockliffe Lower School	Any other children
Houghton Regis Lower (04) (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children attending the nursery provision at Houghton Regis Lower School	Any other children	
Lancot Lower (96) (05)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children currently attending Lancot Nursery Unit	Any other children	

Linslade Lower (96)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children currently attending Linslade Lower School Nursery	Any other children	
Ramsey Manor Lower (97)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children in long term (12 months or more) registered child minding situations, being cared for in the school catchment area	Any other children	
Silsoe Lower (03)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who attend Silsoe Pre-School	Any other children	
St. Andrews (VC) Lower (99)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *	Any other children	
#St Christophers Lower (04) (05) (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who attend St Christopher's pre-school	Any other children	
#St. Mary's (VC) Lower, Stotfold (96)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *	Any other children	

Studham Lower (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who attend Studham Pre-School	Any other children	
Thomas Johnson Lower (98)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children currently attending the nursery unit	Any other children	
Thornhill Lower (07)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who have attended Thornhill nursery	Any other children	
<i>Wrestlingworth VC Lower (13)</i>	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	<i>Children attending Wrestlingworth Pre-School</i>	<i>Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *</i>	Any other children

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Edward Peake Middle VC (99)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *	Any other children	
#Henlow (VC) Middle (96) (04) (11)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children, one or more of whose parents / carers have, at the time of application, shown commitment to the Church of England or another Christian Church by attending a service at least once a month for the year prior to an application being made *	Any other children	
#Kings Houghton Middle (98)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who are currently attending feeder lower schools in Houghton Regis i.e.Hawthorn Park, Houghton Regis, St Vincents, Thomas Whitehead, Thornhill and Tithe Farm Lower Schools	Any other children	

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Leighton Middle School (98)	All 'looked after' children or children who were previously 'looked after'	Pupils living in the catchment area with siblings at the school	Other pupils living in the catchment area	'Very exceptional' medical grounds	Other siblings	Children who have spent a significant time(3 years or more)in a Leighton Buzzard/ Linslade/ Hockliffe Lower School i.e. Beaudesert, Clipstone Brook, Doverly Down, Greenleas, Heathwood, Leedon, Linslade, Mary Bassett, Pulfords, Southcott, St Georges, St Leonards, Stanbridge and Hockliffe Lower Schools	Any other children	
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