

EDUCATION AND FAMILIES

Proposal to amend the admission policy

PRIORITIES FOR ADMISSIONS: PRIMARY MAINSTREAM

PRIORITIES FOR ADMISSIONS: SECONDARY MAINSTREAM



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Parent/carers who live in North Lanarkshire apply for a Primary 1 place for their child in either the non-denominational or denominational primary school in their catchment area. Arrangements for registration are publicised each year in January. Where there are sufficient places, all those children will be allocated a place at their catchment primary school.

To allow more effective management of placing requests to the school the following priority order for admission to the school is being proposed:

- (a) children who live in the catchment area, including any who previously could not be accommodated in the school in accordance with the following priorities:
 - 1. those children with a specialist request as per section 2.5 that can only be accommodated within the requested school.
 - 2. *In the case of a denominational school, where applications from those living within the catchment area exceed the number of places available, priority will be given to those pupils who have been baptised into the Roman Catholic Church, as evidenced by a Baptismal Certificate.*
- (b) children who live out with the catchment area but within the North Lanarkshire Council area in accordance with the following priorities:
 - 1. those children with a specialist request as per section 2.5 that can only be accommodated within the requested school.
 - 2. those children who have older siblings, in attendance at the school at the time the application for a place in Primary 1 takes effect.
- (c) children who live out with the North Lanarkshire Council area in accordance with the following priorities:
 - 1. those children with a specialist request as per section 2.5 that can only be accommodated within the requested school.
 - 2. those children who have older siblings, in attendance at the school at the time the application for a place in Primary 1 takes effect.

Once applications have been considered, and if there are still more requests than places available, these will be allocated by ballot. The ballot will follow the admission priorities listed above.

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PRIORITIES FOR ADMISSIONS: SECONDARY MAINSTREAM

Parent/carers who live in North Lanarkshire apply for a Secondary 1 place for their child in either the non-denominational or denominational primary school in their catchment area. Arrangements for registration are publicised each year in January. Where there are sufficient places, all those children will be allocated a place at their catchment secondary school.

To allow more effective management of placing requests to the school the following priority order for admission to the school is being proposed:

- (a) children who live in the catchment area, including any who previously could not be accommodated in the school in accordance with the following priorities:
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 - 2. *In the case of a denominational school, where applications from those living within the catchment area exceed the number of places available, priority will be given to those pupils who have been baptised into the Roman Catholic Church, as evidenced by a Baptismal Certificate.*
- (b) children who live out with the catchment area but within the North Lanarkshire Council area in accordance with the following priorities:
 - 1. those children with a specialist request as per section 2,5 that can only be accommodated within the requested school.
 - 2. those children who have older siblings, in attendance at the school at the time the application for a place in Secondary 1 takes effect.
 - 3. those children who attend an associated primary that are out with the secondary catchment area.
- (c) children who live out with the North Lanarkshire Council area in accordance with the following priorities:
 - 1. those children with a specialist request as per section 2,5 that can only be accommodated within the requested school.

2. those children who have older siblings, in attendance at the school at the time the application for a place in Secondary 1 takes effect.

Once applications have been considered, and if there are still more requests than places available, these will be allocated by ballot. The ballot will follow the admission priorities listed above.