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Secondary School Admissions in South Lancashire 2025/26

This information should be read along with the main booklet
“Admissions to Lancashire Schools - Information for Parents 2025/26”

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The closing date for applications is
Thursday 31 October 2024

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**DATES OF PARENTS' OPEN EVENINGS FOR PUPILS
TRANSFERRING TO SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN 2025**

Please contact the school(s) for full details. Are you a parent of a child(ren) due to transfer to secondary school in September 2025? If so, you are invited to attend the Open Evenings / Days as follows:

PRESTON SECONDARY SCHOOLS

SCHOOL	For further details	PLANNED DATE
Fulwood Academy	School website	Thursday 12 th September 2024 4pm-7pm
Broughton High School	School website	Thursday 19 th September 2024 6pm-9pm
Ashton Community Science College	School website	Thursday 26 th September 2024 6pm-9pm
Moor Park High School & Sixth Form	School website	Thursday 19 September 2024 6pm-8pm
Longridge High School	School website	Wednesday 25 th September 2024 6pm - 8.30pm
St Cecilia's Roman Catholic High School	School website	Thursday 12 th September 2024 5pm-7.30pm
Christ the King Catholic High School	School website	Thursday 12 th September 2024 3.30pm-6.30pm
Our Lady's Catholic High School	School website	Thursday 3 rd October 2024 6pm-8.30pm
Corpus Christi Catholic High School	School website	Wednesday 18 th September 2024 6pm-8.30pm
Archbishop Temple School	School website	Thursday 10 th October 4pm-7pm
Preston Muslim Girls High School	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
Eden Boys' School, Preston	School website	Thursday 26 th September 2024 5pm-8pm

SOUTH RIBBLE SECONDARY SCHOOLS

SCHOOL	For further details	PLANNED DATE
Hutton Church of England Grammar School	School website	Thursday 3rd October 5.30pm-7.30pm
All Hallows Catholic High School	School website	Thursday 26 th September 5.30pm
Penwortham Priory Academy	School website	Thursday 19 th September 4pm-8pm
Penwortham Girls' High School	School website	Thursday 3rd October 5pm-8.30pm
Lostock Hall Academy	School website	Thursday 26 th September 4pm-8pm
Brownedge St Mary's Catholic High School	School website	Wednesday 2nd October 6pm
Walton-le-Dale High School	School website	Thursday 3rd October
St Mary's Catholic High School, Leyland	School website	Wednesday 25 th September 2024 4.30pm-8pm
Wellfield Academy	School website	Thursday 19 th September 4.30pm-7pm
Academy @ Worden	School website	Thursday 26 th September 6pm-9pm
Balshaw's Church of England High School	School website	Thursday 3rd October 6pm-9pm

WEST LANCASHIRE SECONDARY SCHOOLS

SCHOOL	For further details	PLANNED DATE
Ormskirk School	School website	Thursday 19th September 2024
Burscough Priory Academy	School website	Thursday 26th September 2024 4pm
St Bede's Catholic High School	School website	Thursday 3rd October 2024 6pm-8pm
Up Holland High School	School website	Thursday 3rd October 2024 5pm-7.30pm
Lathom High School	School website	Thursday 26th September 2024 5pm-7.30pm
Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Engineering College	School website	Tuesday 24th September 2024 5pm-7pm
Tarleton Academy	School website	Wednesday 2nd October 2024 5pm-7pm

CHORLEY SECONDARY SCHOOLS

SCHOOL	For further details	PLANNED DATE
Bishop Rawstone Church of England Academy	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
Parklands Academy	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
Southlands High School	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
Holy Cross Catholic High School	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
Albany Academy	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.
St Michael's Church of England High School	School website	Please check the school website for up-to-date details.

**Open Evening details are correct at the time of printing.
Parents are advised to check with the school or in the local press for any changes.**

Secondary Schools in the Preston Area

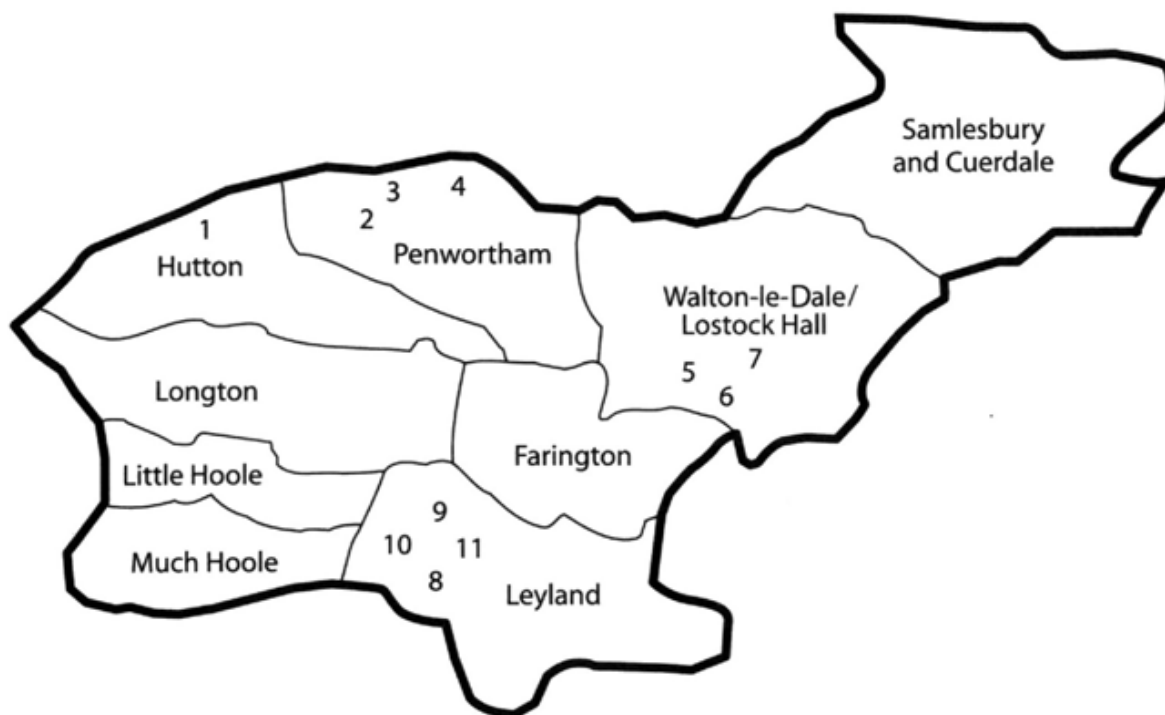
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Parents are advised to look at the LCC website in case of change:
www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools**

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6.	Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Engineering College	Voluntary Aided	43
7.	Tarleton Academy	Academy	45



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4.	Holy Cross Catholic High School	Voluntary Aided	51
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Information about Admission to Secondary Schools in Preston, South Ribble, West Lancashire and Chorley

This information is about secondary schools in Preston, South Ribble, West Lancashire and Chorley. Similar information about other areas is available from Area Education Offices listed on the first page of the booklet "Admissions to Lancashire Schools – Information for Parents". It is possible for you to state a preference for schools in different areas. You should, however, only submit one application form.

In this information, you will find brief details about each school including the admission number. This is the number of children who can be offered a place at the school in September 2025. Further information you may need is available if you contact either the school concerned or the Area Education Office.

Information provided about each school

You are given the basic details about each school – name, address, Headteacher's name etc, plus the total number of pupils who attend. You will be particularly interested in the number of places available for September 2025 – **the admission number**.

For Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools, there is additional information given below the main school details. This refers to the intake of pupils in September 2024. On the left-hand side, it states the number of places that were available for that year (i.e. the admission number) and the number of preferences that were received for the school.

For Voluntary Aided, Foundation, Free Schools and Academies similar information is given about the number of preferences expressed. You are also given some details of the admissions policy. This is individual to each school. Details about how the criteria were applied can be requested from the individual school.

For Voluntary Aided, Foundation, Free Schools and Academies please note that this booklet contains summaries of the policies only. You must approach the school for a copy of their full policy if you are thinking of applying.

Please note that for secondary schools in Lancashire's co-ordinated admission scheme, information is given about preferences expressed for 2024. Given the variety of Admission Authorities involved and additional schools outside the co-ordinated system, the figures may need further interpretation for individual schools.

Parents for whom the previous level of application is an important issue are advised to discuss the matter with the Admissions Team at the Area Education Office or with the individual school concerned.

CONFIRMATION OF OFFERS

For September 2025, offers will be confirmed online only for all those who apply on Lancashire's online system (this was around 95% of applicants for the previous year). For those who do not receive a first preference offer, links to reserve list and appeal forms will be available.

Lancashire's online system will go live on morning of 1 March 2025 to allow online applicants to view their school offer.

Letters will be issued by second class post on 1 March 2025 to any applicants who submit a paper form.

Apply online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

Admission Policy & Criteria for Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools in Preston, South Ribble, West Lancashire & Chorley Districts

(This can also apply to schools that are in transition to Academy status)

An admission number will be published showing the maximum number of pupils that the school will admit in the Autumn Term 2025. Parents are given the opportunity to express three preferences for a secondary school. Published criteria are used to decide which children should be offered the available places. In secondary schools an equal preference system operates, whereby the three parental preferences are given equal status. Each preference will be considered equally against the admissions criteria.

When a secondary school is oversubscribed the following priorities apply in order:

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Local Authority accepts that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned. (See note (i) below) then
3. Children eligible for services premium, then
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, (see note iii below).
5. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start (See note (iii) below) then
7. Children living outside the school's Geographical Priority Area (see note (iv) below).

Notes

- (i) The medical, social and welfare criterion will consider issues relevant to the child and/or the family. This category may include children without a statement who have special needs.
- (ii) As required by law, all children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs/EHC naming a school will be admitted before the application of the over-subscription criteria. Children who have a statement for special needs have their applications considered separately.
- (iii) Brothers and sisters includes step children, half brothers and sisters, fostered and adopted children living with the same family at the same address (consideration may be given to applying this criterion to full brothers and sisters who reside at different addresses). The priority does not apply to siblings whose brothers and sisters transferred into a sixth form at 16+.
- (iv) The distance criterion which will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria; is a straight line (radial) measure. The distance measure is a straight-line measurement (radial) between the applicant's home address points and the address point of the school (co-ordinates provided by Ordnance Survey data).

- (v) A child's permanent address is the one where he/she normally lives and sleeps and goes to school from. Proof of residence may be requested at any time throughout the admission process, (including after a child has accessed a school place).
- (vi) The Local Authority will keep waiting lists for all Lancashire schools until 31 August 2025. These are kept in priority order using the school's published admission criteria. From 1 September 2025 for one school term only waiting lists will be retained by individual admission authorities (the Local authority for community and voluntary controlled schools and individual voluntary aided and trust schools will each retain their own list).
- (vii) Children will not normally be able to start school other than at the beginning of the term unless they have moved into the area or there are exceptional circumstances.
- (viii) Applications for school places which are received late will not necessarily be dealt with at the same time as those received by the set deadline. The reasons for a late application may be requested and where these are not exceptional the relevant admission criteria will be initially applied to all others received on time. The late application will be dealt with after this process.

Application forms received after the published closing date, will only be considered at that time if the following conditions apply:

- (a) if the number of preferences received for the school is below the published admission number or:
- (b) there are extenuating circumstances justifying a late application.

These may include:

- (a) parents moving into the County after the closing date;
- (b) parent/carer illness which required hospitalisation for the major part of the period between the publication of the composite prospectus and the closing date for applications.
- (ix) Where a child lives with one parent for part of the week and another for the rest of the week only one address will be accepted for a school admission application. This will normally be the one where the child wakes up for the majority of school days (Monday to Friday). Proof of residence may be requested at any time throughout the admissions process.
- (x) the highest priority **must** be given to looked after children¹ and children who were looked after, but ceased to be so because they were adopted² (or became subject to a residence order³ or special guardianship order⁴). Further references to previously looked after children in the Code means children who were adopted (or subject to residence orders or special guardianship orders) immediately following having been looked after. This includes children who are legally adopted from overseas. Relevant legal documents must be provided to evidence the adoption.

**The Authority has a duty to co-ordinate admission arrangements for all Lancashire maintained schools.
The Authority will ensure that all Lancashire parents whose children are transferring to reception or Year 7 classes, receive the offer of one secondary or primary school place on the agreed date.**

¹ 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 (see the definition in section 22(1) of the Children Act 1989).

² Under the terms of the Adoption and Children Act 2002. See section 46 (adoption orders).

³ Under the terms of the Children Act 1989. See section 8 which defines a 'residence order' as an order settling the arrangements to be made as to the person with whom the child is to live.

⁴ See section 14A of the Children Act 1989 which defines a 'special guardianship order' as an order appointing one or more individuals to be a child's special guardian (or special guardians).

Ashton Community Science College

Ashton Community Science College
 Aldwych Drive
 Ashton
 Preston PR2 1SL
 01772 513002

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Ms S Asquith
 Number on Roll January 2024: 859
 Admission Number: 160

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		160	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	173	Education, Health & Care Plan	1
	2nd	101	LAC and previously Looked After	3
	3rd	93	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	49
			In GPA no sibling	107
			Out GPA with sibling	0
			Out GPA no sibling	0
Total preferences received:		367	LA Allocated	0
			Total	163

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is a Community School. Admission details are on page 13.*

Ashton Community Science College has SERF provision for deaf pupils. It also has a small unit for Speech, Communication and Language Needs (SLCN). A SERF is a Special Educational Resource Facility attached to the school. It provides extra resources for certain pupils who have additional needs. Pupils who use this resource will have an Educational Health Care Plan (EHCP) Pupils are allocated places in the SERF by the Area Inclusion and Disability Team. These places are in addition to the school's published admission number.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Ingol & Tanterton, Lea and Preston*

*The Broadgate area bounded by the Preston dock branch railway line, the West Coast Main Line (railway line), the Penwortham Parish boundary (River Ribble) and Guild Way is not included.

*The area bounded by Lea Lane, Sidgreaves Lane, Hoyles Lane and the Woodplumpton parish boundary. This area is shared with Ashton Community Science College's Geographical Priority Area.

**The area bounded by the Woodplumpton parish boundary, the West Coast Main Line (railway line), and the B6241 (Lightfoot Lane/Tom Benson Way) in a westerly direction back to the Woodplumpton parish boundary. This area is shared with Ashton Community Science College's Geographical Priority Area.

TRANSPORT (YEARS 7-11) ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Broughton High School

Broughton High School
 Woodplumpton Lane
 Broughton
 Preston PR3 5JJ
 01772 863849

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr D Botes
 Number on Roll January **2024**: 912
 Admission Number: 180

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		180	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	321	Education, Health & Care Plan	8
	2nd	301	LAC and previously Looked After	4
	3rd	285	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	43
			In GPA no sibling	130
			Out GPA with sibling	0
			Out GPA no sibling	0
Total preferences received:		907	LA Allocated	2
			Total	187

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is a Community School. Admission details are on page 13.*

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Barton, Broughton, Inskip with Sowerby, Lea (part of*), Preston (part of**) and Woodplumpton

*The area bounded by Lea Lane, Sidgreaves Lane, Hoyles Lane and the Woodplumpton parish boundary. This area is shared with Ashton Community Science College's Geographical Priority Area.

**The area bounded by the Woodplumpton parish boundary, the West Coast Main Line (railway line), and the B6241 (Lightfoot Lane/Tom Benson Way) in a westerly direction back to the Woodplumpton parish boundary. This area is shared with Ashton Community Science College's Geographical Priority Area.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Longridge High School

Longridge High School
 Preston Road
 Longridge
 Preston PR3 3AR
 01772 782316

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Ms J Green
 Number on Roll January **2024**: 823
 Admission Number: 210 -agreed by committee item.

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		165
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	124
	2nd	114
	3rd	79
Total preferences received:		317

Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Education, Health & Care Plan	0
LAC and previously Looked After	1
Social/Medical/Welfare	0
In GPA with Sibling	23
In GPA no sibling	62
Out GPA with sibling	17
Out GPA no sibling	62
LA Allocated	0
Total	165

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ This is an Academy. *Please contact the academy for full admission details*

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust :

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Governors accept that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children eligible for Services Premium, then,
4. Children living within the school’s geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, then.
5. Children living within the school’s geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school’s geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
7. Children living outside the school’s Geographical Priority Area, below.

Tie-breaker:

The distance criterion will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria; it is a straight line (radial) measure.

If the Governors unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (eg. siblings, those living the same distance from home to school, or families residing in the same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw.

The distance measure is a straight line measurement (radial) between the applicant’s home address points and the address point of the school (co-ordinates provided by ordnance survey data).

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Chipping, Goosnargh, Thornley with Wheatley, Whittingham, Houghton, Grimsargh, Longridge, Hothersall, Ribchester and Dutton.

Ribchester is in both Longridge and Ribblesdale School's Geographical Priority Areas.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Archbishop Temple Church of England High School

Archbishop Temple Church of England High School

St Vincent's Road
Fulwood
Preston PR2 8RA
01772 717782

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr I Catlow
Number on Roll January **2024**: 779
Admission Number: 210

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	119
	2nd	272
	3rd	246
Total preferences received:		637

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

In the event that there are more applicants than places, after admitting all children with a statement of educational need naming the school, the governing body will allocate places using the criteria below, which are listed in order of priority.

1 Looked after children and previously looked after children. This includes children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and have ceased to be in state care due to be adopted.

2 Children with special medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this school. Professional supporting evidence from, for example, a doctor, psychologist, or social worker, is essential if admission is to be made under the criterion for special medical or social circumstances, and such evidence must set out the particular reasons why the school in question is the most suitable school and the difficulties which would be caused if the child had to attend another school.

3 Children of staff who have been employed by Archbishop Temple School for two years prior to the closing date for applications, or where the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. This applies to all staff, full and part time, who are employed by the school.

4 A maximum of 40 children who attend our partner primary schools allocated as outlined below:

- A maximum of 10 children who attend Ashton-on-Ribble St Andrew's Church of England Primary School at the time of application
- A maximum of 10 children who attend Broughton-in-Amounderness Church of England Primary School at the time of application
- A maximum of 10 children who attend Fulwood, St Peter's Church of England Primary School at the time of application
- A maximum of 10 children who attend Grimsargh St Michael's Church of England Primary School at the time of application

Where there are more applicants than the available places within this category, then applications will be ranked firstly on church attendance as in category 5, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for Archbishop Temple school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones.

5. Worship in a church which is in full membership of Churches Together in England or the Free Churches Group or the Evangelical Alliance.

The lists of Churches can be found on the Churches Together in England Website at www.cte.org.uk; and for the Free Churches Group at www.freechurches.org.uk; and for the Evangelical Alliance at www.eauk.org.

a. Children who have a parent/carer who has attended public worship in a Christian church **at least fortnightly for two years** leading up to the 1st September 2024.

b. Children who have a parent/carer who has attended public worship in a Christian church **at least fortnightly for one year** leading up to the 1st September 2024.

c. Children who have a parent/carer who has attended public worship in a Christian church **monthly for one year** leading up to the 1st September 2024.

The governors will require confirmation of this from the relevant member of the clergy. Parents/carers should ensure that clergy have responded to this request. Parents/carers who have changed their place of worship within the previous two-year period should seek verification from all who can vouch for them, to be submitted together with the supplementary information form.

Within each subsection A, B, C of this category, the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the Archbishop Temple Church of England High School and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones.

6. Remaining places shall be allocated to other children whose parents/carers wish them to attend the school with the determining factor being distance from school, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones.

Where there are more applicants than the available places within any of the categories, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s). This will also be the case for applications from different addresses which are exactly the same distance from school.

For the avoidance of doubt, matters which the Governors do not take into account in the allocation of places include the following:

- a. Attendance at church as part of normal school activity**
- b. Whether a child is confirmed or being prepared for confirmation**
- c. Whether a child is baptised**
- d. Academic abilities**
- e. The presence of a sibling in the school.**

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Christ the King Catholic High School

Christ the King Catholic High School
Lawrence Avenue
Frenchwood Preston PR1 4PR
01772 252072

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr S Corless
Number on Roll January **2024**: 398
Admission Number: 100

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	71	
	2nd	76	
	3rd	68	
Total preferences received:			215

This is an Academy. Please contact the school for full admission details

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Baptised Catholic looked after children or children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children who live in the parishes of St John XXIII (covering the former parishes of St Augustine, St Ignatius, St Joseph and St Teresa), St Walburge, St Wilfrid with a sibling in the school at the time of expected admission *and attend an associated primary school.*
3. Baptised Catholic children who live in the parishes of St John XXIII (covering the former parishes of St Augustine, St Ignatius, St Joseph and St Teresa), St Walburge, St Wilfrid with a sibling in the school at the time of expected admission.
4. Other Baptised Catholic children who live in the parishes of St John XXIII (covering the former parishes of St Augustine, St Ignatius, St Joseph and St Teresa), St Walburge, St Wilfrid and attend an associated primary *school.*
5. Other Baptised Catholic children who live in the parishes of St John XXIII (covering the former parishes of St Augustine, St Ignatius, St Joseph and St Teresa), St Walburge, St Wilfrid.
6. Other Baptised Catholic children with a sibling in the school at the time of expected admission.
7. Other Baptised Catholic children.
8. Other looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
9. Other children with a sibling in school at the time of expected admission and attend an associated primary school.
10. Other children with a sibling in school at the time of expected admission.
11. Other children.

Associated schools are:

St Augustine's Catholic Primary School
St Ignatius' Catholic Primary School
St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
St Teresa's Catholic Primary School

In the event of oversubscription in any of the above criteria places will be allocated according to the following tie breaker criterion:

Applicants living nearest to the school. The distance measure is a straight line (radial) measure from the centre of the building that is the applicant's home address to the centre of school building. Distances are measured using the Councils' Geographic Information System.

If the Governing Body is unable to distinguish between applicants in any of the oversubscription criteria using this distance tie breaker (e.g. applicants in the same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Corpus Christi Catholic High School

Corpus Christi Catholic High School
St Vincent's Road
Fulwood
Preston PR2 8QY
01772 716912

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr J Hankin
Number on Roll January 2024: 807
Admission Number: 160

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	249
	2nd	252
	3rd	264
Total preferences received:		765

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Catholic looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Catholic children who attend a feeder Catholic primary school, namely, The Blessed Sacrament, English Martyrs', St Clare's, St Gregory's or St Maria Goretti's.
3. Other Catholic children having a brother or sister already at the school in the September of the year of admission.
4. Other Catholic children.
5. Other looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
6. The children of staff employed at the school for two or more years, or who have been recruited to meet a school skills shortage.
7. Children of other Christian denominations and children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion or other religious leader, having a brother or sister already at the school in the September of the year of admission.
8. Children of other Christian denominations and children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion or other religious leader.
9. Any other children having a brother or sister already at the school in the September of the year of admission. (See note 6)
10. Any other children who attend feeder primary schools.
11. All other children.

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provision will be applied:

Where evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral need of the child which can be most appropriately met at this school, the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made (See note 8).

In the event of applications exceeding the number of places in any of the above categories, the following tie-breaker will apply:

If there are more children in any of the individual categories than there are places remaining, then those pupils who live nearest to the school by a straight line (radial) measure, will have priority. The distance is measured using a geographical information system and the measurement is taken from the centre point of the property to the centre point of the school.

In the event of a tied distance measurement between address points the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Parents may wish to know that Corpus Christi Catholic High School has organised its own travel arrangements with Preston Bus which will be less costly for parents than the Local Authority package. Please contact the school for details.

Our Lady's Catholic High School

Our Lady's Catholic High School
 St Anthony's Drive
 Fulwood
 Preston PR2 3SQ
 01772 326900

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr R Charnock
 Number on Roll January 2024: 898
 Admission Number: 180

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	186
	2nd	231
	3rd	272
Total preferences received:		689

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked after Children and previously looked after Children. This includes Children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in states care as a result of being adopted.
2. Catholic children living in a nominated parish and attending an associated primary school
3. Catholic children living in a nominated parish and attending other Catholic primary schools
4. Catholic children attending an associated primary school
5. Catholic children living in a nominated parish
6. Catholic children having a brother or sister already in attendance at the school in the September of the year of admission
7. Catholic children who attend other Catholic primary schools
8. Non-Catholic children having a brother or sister already in attendance at the school in the September of the year of admission
9. Non-Catholic children who attend an associated primary school
10. Other Catholic children
11. Children of members of staff who have been employed at the school for at least 2 years or employed due to a skills shortage.
12. Children of other faiths who show written evidence of commitment to that faith
13. All other children

If the acceptance of all the children in a given criterion were to take the number of places offered to above the admission number, then places will be offered first to those pupils living nearest to the school by a straight line (radial) measure. The distance will be measured using the Lancashire County Council's geographical information system, the measurement being taken from the central point of the property to the central point of the school until the admission number is reached. In the event of a tied distance measurement between address points the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

Parishes and Primary Schools

Our Lady's serves, in the first instance, the Catholic community living in the nominated parishes (set out below) or attending their associated primary schools:

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| Hill Chapel - Goosnargh | St Mary's, Newhouse – Barton |
| Holy Family – Ingol and St Anthony's - Fulwood | |
| Our Lady and St Edwards - Fulwood | Saint Mary and St Michael's - Garstang |
| St John Paul II – Ashton | |
| St Andrew's – Cottam and St Mary's - Lea Town | Saint Robert's - Catforth |
| Saint Mary's - Fernyhalgh | Saint Thomas' - Claughton |

TRANSPORT ▼ Please also see section 4 of the main booklet.

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

St Cecilia's Roman Catholic High School

St Cecilia's Roman Catholic High School

Chapel Hill
Longridge
Preston PR3 2XA
01772 783074

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs H Hall
Number on Roll January 2024: 563
Admission Number:120

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	126
	2nd	116
	3rd	73
Total preferences received:		315

This is a Voluntary Aided school. Please contact the school for full admission details

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

Admissions will be in accordance with the following criteria:

- (1) Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
- (2) Roman Catholic pupils with special medical circumstances where these needs, can only be met at this school.
- (3) Roman Catholic pupils, living in a contributory Parish:
 - CHIPPING - ST. MARY'S
 - ALSTON LANE - OUR LADY AND ST. MICHAEL'S
 - LONGRIDGE - ST. WILFRID'S
 - RIBCHESTER - ST. PETER AND ST. PAUL'S
- (4) Roman Catholic pupils, attending an associated Catholic primary school:
 - CHIPPING - ST. MARY'S
 - ALSTON LANE - OUR LADY AND ST. MICHAEL'S
 - LONGRIDGE - ST. WILFRID'S
- (5) Roman Catholic pupils, who attend **St Francis, Hill Chapel** Primary School.
- (6) Other Roman Catholic pupils, who have a brother or sister at the school.
- (7) Other Roman Catholic pupils, in other Catholic primary schools.
- (8) Other Roman Catholic pupils
- (9) Non-Catholic pupils, who have a Catholic brother or sister in the school.
- (10) Other Non-Catholic pupils with proven and exceptional medical and social needs where admission to the school might best help satisfy those exceptional needs, providing that such application is submitted with appropriate evidence or reports.
- (11) Non-Catholic pupils attending Catholic primary schools
- (12) Other Christian Pupils
- (13) All other children.

If category (1), (2), (3) or (4) is over-subscribed, places will be allocated by reference to subsequent categories in order; for example, if category (1) is over-subscribed children who satisfy both categories (1) and (2) will have priority over children who satisfy only category (1).

If any of the categories is over-subscribed, places will be allocated first to children living nearest to the school. Distance will be measured using a computerized measuring system from the address point of the school (centre of the building) to the address point of the child's home (centre of the building).

In the event of a tied distance measurement between address points the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Preston Muslim Girls High School

Preston Muslim Girls High School

The Crescent Building
Deepdale Mill Street
Preston
PR1 5BY
01772 651906

11-16 Girls School
Principal: Mr R Patel
Number on Roll January 2024: 599

Admission Number: 120

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	141
	2nd	45
	3rd	22
Total preferences received:		208

This is a Voluntary Aided school. Please contact the school for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

- 1) Looked after girls who were previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangements or a special guardianship order or those girls who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
- 2) Daughters of staff employed at PMGHS for two or more years at the time when the application is made and is still employed at the time of admission. Also, daughters of members of staff who have been recruited to fill a post where there is a demonstrable skill shortage. This applies to all staff, (full and part time) who are employed by the school. Applications under this category must fill the school's supplementary information form.
- 3) Girls with a sibling who is a pupil attending PMGHS at the time of application. Applications under this category must fill the school's supplementary information form.
- 4) Girls who attend our affiliated primary school- The Olive School Preston. Applications under this category must fill the school's supplementary information form.
- 5) Muslim girls who have exceptionally strong special, medical or social circumstances, which are directly relevant to attendance at PMGHS. Applications under this category must fill the school's supplementary information form.
- 6) Muslim girls who themselves or their parents regularly attend a Masjid/Madrasah from the list below, showing a commitment to faith. Applications under this category must fill the school's supplementary information form.

Masjid & Madrasah (Admission Allocation Table 1)

Quwwatul-ul-Islam Masjid and Education Centre 17 Spaces	Maahadus Shuhada 9 Spaces	Masjid-e-Falah/ Madrasah Taleemul Quran 4 Spaces	Masjid-e-Noor/ Madrasah Noor-e-Raza 6 Spaces	Raza Mosque 3 Spaces
Madani Institute 3 Spaces	Madrasa-E-Talimul Islam/ Eldon Street 2 Spaces	Masjid Salaam/ Madrasah Hidayatul Islam 10 Spaces	Al-Ansaar Welfare & Education/ Madrasah Tajweedul Quran/ The Suffah Institute 8 Spaces	Darul Arqam Education and Tarbiyah 5 Spaces
Jamea Masjid/ Madrasah Taleemul Islam 13 Spaces	Imam Muhammad Zakariya 4 Spaces	Al-Huda Education Academy Madrasah / Kashiful-UI-Uloom 5 Spaces	Masjid-e-Aqsa 3 Spaces	Masjid-e-Quba/ Madrasah Takweeyatul Iman 4 Spaces
Madina Masjid/ Madrasah Naqeebul Islam 7 Spaces	Zakariyya Masjid 3 Spaces	Masjid-e-Saliheen 2 Spaces	City Mosque/ Al Furqan Islamic School 4 Spaces	

- 7) Girls who have a parent/carer of other Masjid/Madrasah and regularly attend public worship. Applications under this category must fill the school's SIF (See note 7)
- 8) Girls who have a parent/carer of other non-Muslim faiths and regularly attend public worship. Applications under this category must fill the school's SIF (See note 8) **[Continued on next page]**

- 9) All remaining applications will be considered under the distance criteria and priority will be given to those girls who live closest to the school.

The distance will be measured in a straight-line using the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home which will be measured in a straight line and will be the determining factor. This address point will be within the body of the property and usually located at its centre

Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ . Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Moor Park High School & Sixth Form

Moor Park High School & Sixth Form
Moor Park Avenue
Preston PR1 6DT
01772 795428

11-18 Foundation School
Head: Mr B Corbett
Number on Roll January 2024: 611
Admission Number: 112

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	174
	2nd	134
	3rd	110
Total preferences received:		418

This is a Foundation school. Please contact the school for full admission details

Fair Banding

At Moor Park High School and Sixth Form we operate a 'Fair Banding' admissions process to ensure we have a balanced proportion of students from across the whole ability range - a comprehensive intake. Students who wish to apply for a place in year 7 must take a Fair Banding assessment to be considered for admission to the school. The school uses a non-verbal assessment, which is not a pass or fail test. Students are asked to take it and their scores on the assessment are then used to place them in an ability band.

All applications received that are not allocated through the fair banding process will be considered using the school's oversubscription criteria, after the initial fair banded applications are processed.

More details on Fair Banding and assessment dates can be found on the school website.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Children with special medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at Moor Park. To meet this criterion written evidence from an appropriate professional, such as a doctor, psychologist or social worker is required for the governors to consider medical, social or welfare reasons for admission. This should accompany the application form. Please note: only exceptional reasons associated with the child/or family and relating to the suitability of the school, are normally accepted in this criterion, for example, where these needs can only be met at this school.
3. Children who will have a sibling in attendance at Moor Park in years 7 to 11 at the time of admission. The term 'sibling' includes brothers and sisters, stepchildren, half brothers and sisters and adopted and fostered children who are living at the same address.
4. Children with a parent employed by the School on a permanent contract either full or part-time at the date of application. **[Continued on next page]**
5. Proximity to school. The measurement used will be taken in a straight line from the centre point of the residence to the centre point of Moor Park, with nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Eden Boys' School, Preston

Eden Boys' School, Preston

Universal House
London Road
Preston PR1 4BD
01772 926000

www.edenboyspreston.com

info@ebpreston.staracademies.org

11-18 Free School

Principal: Ms A Middlemass

Number on Roll January 2024: 614

Admission Number: 124

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	136
	2nd	55
	3rd	30
Total preferences received:		221

This is a Free school. Please contact the school for full admission details.

Eden Boys' School, Preston is part of the Star Academies. The Trust has devolved responsibility for admissions to the Local Governing Body of Eden Boys' School.

Eden Boys' School is an 11-18 progressive and inclusive Muslim faith school rated as 'outstanding' by Ofsted.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

Oversubscription criteria

1) Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

2) Children of staff employed at Eden Boys' School for 2 or more years at the time at which the application for admission is made, and / or the member of staff has been recruited to fill a post where there is a demonstrable skill shortage

3) Children attending The Olive School, Preston at the time of application and offer of a place.

4) Children with proven, exceptionally strong special, medical or social circumstances, which are directly relevant to attendance at Eden Boys' School.

Parents are responsible for providing the professional supporting evidence to the school by the closing date from a consultant, doctor, psychologist, social worker or from another relevant independent professional

5) Children with older siblings attending Eden Boys' School in Years 7 to 11 at the time of application and offer of a place

6) All other children who live nearest from home to school

Tie-breaker

Children who live nearest from home to school will receive priority for any criteria that are oversubscribed. If the distance between home and school is the same, which includes the same geographical property reference (such as a block of flats), then random allocation is used as a tie-breaker. Lancashire County Council's School Admissions Team will undertake the random allocation process in the presence of a school representative at the Council Offices.

TRANSPORT ▼ (Years 7-11) Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Fulwood Academy

Fulwood Academy
Black Bull Lane
Fulwood
PRESTON
PR2 9YR
01772 719060

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Principal: Mr A Galbraith
Number on Roll January 2024: 890
Admission Number: 200

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	60
	2nd	52
	3rd	88
Total preferences received:		200

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

- Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
- Children for whom, in the opinion of professional experts, there are exceptionally strong medical, social or welfare reasons for admission associated with the child and/or family which are directly relevant to Fulwood Academy. This may include some non-statemented students who have special educational needs.
- Children who will have a sibling in attendance at Fulwood Academy at the time of transfer.
- Other pupils with priority given to those that live nearest to Fulwood Academy. The measurement will be taken in a straight line from the centre point of the residence to the centre point of the Academy, using the Lancashire Local Authority's geographical information system (G.I.S.).

If the Governors unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria places will be offered via a random draw.

TRANSPORT ▼ (Years 7-11) Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Balshaw's Church of England High School

Balshaw's Church of England High School
 Church Road
 Leyland PR25 3AH
 01772 421009

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr S Haycocks
 Number on Roll January 2024: 921
 Admission Number: 185

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		185	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	212	Education, Health & Care Plan	3
	2nd	200	LAC and previously Looked After	2
	3rd	210	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	53
			In GPA no Sibling	128
			Out GPA with Sibling	0
			Out GPA no Sibling	0
Total preferences received:		622	LA Allocated	0
			Total	186

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is a Voluntary Controlled School. Admission details are on page 10.*

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Brindle (part of*), Clayton-le-Woods, Cuerden, Euxton (part of**) and Leyland (part of***)

*The part of the parish to the south of the M65 motorway

**The part of the parish to the north of the Chorley to Manchester railway line

***The area to the east of Worden Lane, St Andrews Way and Towngate. The area to the south of King Street and Leyland Way

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Lostock Hall Academy

Lostock Hall Academy
Todd Lane North
Lostock Hall
Preston PR5 5UR
01772 336293

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Principal: Mrs G F Gorman
Number on Roll January 2024: 779
Admission Number: 150

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	175	
	2nd	120	
	3rd	137	
Total preferences received:			432

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

The criteria to be used to allocate places when the Academy is oversubscribed are:

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted then,
2. Children for whom the Trustees accept, based on the written opinion of professional experts that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons associated with the child or family that are directly relevant to Lostock Hall Academy; then
3. Children of staff who are employed by Lostock Hall Academy on either a full or part time basis when:
 - a) the member of staff has been employed by Lostock Hall Academy for 2 years or more
 - b) the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
4. Children with older brothers or sisters (including adopted and fostered siblings, step siblings and those living as siblings in the same family unit) attending the Academy at the date of the younger child's admission.
5. Higher priority will be given to the children living within the District Council wards of Coupe Green and Gregson Lane that lie within the geographical priority area (super GPA) up to a maximum of 15 students.
6. Children living within the Academy's geographical priority area (GPA).
7. Children living outside the Academy's geographical priority area .
8. If there are more children in any of the individual categories than there are places remaining, then those children who live nearest to the school by a straight line (radial) measure will have priority. The distance is measured using a geographical information system and the measurement is taken from the centre point of the Academy to the centre point of the home (see note (i) below).
9. If the Trustees are unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria places will be offered via a random draw.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Starting at the point where the M6 motorway crosses the Preston boundary (River Ribble) follow the M6 motorway south to the A675. Follow the A675 east to the B5256 (Sandy Lane). Follow Sandy Lane then Marsh Lane until it crosses the M65 motorway. Follow the M65 motorway heading west to where it crosses the M6 motorway (junction 29). Follow the M6 motorway south until it crosses Lydiat Lane. Follow Lydiat Lane, Stanifield Lane, Centurion Way and Wheelton Lane as far as the Farington parish boundary. Follow the Farington parish boundary in a clockwise direction as far as the West Coast Main Line (railway line). Follow the railway line until it crosses Bee Lane. Follow Bee Lane then The Cawsey as far as the Penwortham parish boundary. Follow the Penwortham parish boundary north until it reaches the River Ribble then follow the River back to the start point.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Penwortham Girls' High School

Penwortham Girls' High School
 Cop Lane
 Penwortham
 Preston PR1 0SR
 01772 743399

11-16 Girls Comprehensive
 Head: Mrs S Hall
 Number on Roll January 2024: 802
 Admission Number: 160

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		160	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	162	Education, Health & Care Plan	1
	2nd	191	LAC and previously Looked After	2
	3rd	153	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	19
			In GPA no sibling	84
			Out GPA with sibling	15
			Out GPA no sibling	39
Total preferences received:		506	LA Allocated	0
			Total	160

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is a Community School. Admission details are on page 13.*

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Hutton, Little Hoole, Longton, Much Hoole, Penwortham and Preston (part of*)

*The Broadgate area bounded by the Preston dock branch railway line, the West Coast Main Line (railway line), the Penwortham Parish boundary (River Ribble) and Guild Way.

TRANSPORT (YEARS 7-11) ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Penwortham Priory Academy

Penwortham Priory Academy
Crow Hills Road
Penwortham
Preston PR1 0JE
01772 320250

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive Academy
Head: Mr M Eastham
Number on Roll January 2024: 766
Admission Number: 150

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	140	
	2nd	239	
	3rd	168	
Total preferences received:			547

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

Where the number of applications for admission is greater than the published admission number, applications will be considered against the criteria set out below. After the admission of students with statements of Special Educational Needs, the criteria will be applied in the order in which they are set out below:

- Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
- Children for whom, in the opinion of professional experts, there are exceptionally strong medical, social or welfare reasons for admission associated with the child and/or family which are directly relevant to Penwortham Priory Academy. This may include some non-statemented students who have special educational needs
- Children of staff who have been employed by Penwortham Priory Academy for two years prior to the closing date for applications, or where the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. This applies to all staff, full and part time, who are employed by the school.
- Children who will have a sibling in attendance at Penwortham Priory Academy at the time of transfer. The term "sibling" includes stepchildren, half brothers and sisters and adopted and foster children who are living with the same family at the same address
- Other students with priority given to those that live nearest to Penwortham Priory Academy, in accordance with local Geographical Priority Area. The measurement will be taken in a straight line from the centre point of the residence to the centre point of the Academy, using the Lancashire Local Authority's geographical information system (GIS)
- Other students living outside Penwortham Priory Academy's Geographical Priority Area.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Hutton, Longton, Little Hoole, Much Hoole Cottam and Penwortham. Also the Broadgate area following the railway line (initially north then bearing west) from the intersection of the River Ribble with South Meadow Lane until Portway then dropping back to the Penwortham parish boundary.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Walton-le-Dale High School

Walton-le-Dale High School
 Brindle Road
 Bamber Bridge
 Preston PR5 6RN
 01772 335726

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr J Harris
 Number on Roll January 2024: 750
 Admission Number: 157

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		157	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally) ranked by parents	1st	75	Education, Health & Care Plan	1
	2nd	113	LAC and previously Looked After	3
	3rd	120	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	6
			In GPA no sibling	34
			Out GPA with sibling	24
			Out GPA no sibling	48
			LA Allocated	37
			Total	153
Total preferences received:		308		

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ This is an Academy. *Please contact the academy for full admission details,*

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust :

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust :

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Governors accept that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children eligible for Services Premium, then,
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, then.
5. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
7. Children living outside the school's Geographical Priority Area, below.

Tie-breaker:

The distance criterion will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria; it is a straight line (radial) measure If the Governors unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (eg. siblings, those living the same distance from home to school, or families residing in the same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw. The distance measure is a straight line measurement (radial) between the applicant's home address points and the address point of the school (co-ordinates provided by Ordnance Survey data).

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

The Borough of South Ribble comprising the areas and parishes of Bamber Bridge (part of*), Cuerdale, Samesbury and Walton-le-Dale (part of*)

The Borough of Chorley comprising the parishes of Brindle (part of**) and Hoghton

*The area of Bamber Bridge and Walton-le-Dale to the east of London Way

**The part of the parish to the north of the M65 motorway

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Wellfield Academy

Wellfield Academy
 Yewlands Drive
 Leyland
 Preston PR25 2TP
 01772 421303

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive Specialist School
 Executive Head: Mr J Lewis
 Number on Roll January 2024: 488
 Admission Number: 166

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		166	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	76	Education, Health & Care Plan	0
	2nd	87	LAC and previously Looked After	2
	3rd	150	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	11
			In GPA no sibling	38
			Out GPA with sibling	15
			Out GPA no sibling	32
Total preferences received:		313	LA Allocated	30
			Total	128

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ **This is an Academy.** *Please contact the academy for full admission details,*

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust :

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Governors accept that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children eligible for Services Premium, then,
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, then.
5. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
7. Children living outside the school's Geographical Priority Area, below.

Tie-breaker:

The distance criterion will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria; it is a straight line (radial) measure.

If the Governors unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (eg. siblings, those living the same distance from home to school, or families residing in the same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw

The distance measure is a straight line measurement (radial) between the applicant's home address points and the address point of the school (co-ordinates provided by ordnance survey data).

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼ Wellfield Academy:

Parish of Farington (part of*), Leyland (part of **) and Ulnes Walton

* The area to the east of Wheelton Lance, Centurion Way and Stanifield Lane

** The area to the west of Worden Lane, St Andrews Way and Towngate. The Area to the north of King Street and Leyland Way.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Academy@Worden

Academy @ Worden
Westfield Drive
Leyland
Preston PR25 1QX
01772 421021

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr A Hammersley
Number on Roll January 2024: 574
Admission Number: 180

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	126
	2nd	150
	3rd	116
Total preferences received:		392

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details,

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

The criteria which are to be used to allocate places when the Academy is oversubscribed are:

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
2. Children for whom the Governors accept that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children of staff at the school.
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, then
5. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
7. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area.

The distance criterion which will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria is a straight line (radial) measure. If Governors are unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (eg twins or same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw. The distance measure is a straight line (radial) measure centre of building to centre of building.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parish of Ulnes Walton and Leyland area (part*) plus part of South East Farington (part**)

* From the boundary between Euxton and Leyland follow the centre of Worden Lane, St Andrews Road, Towngate, King Street and Leyland Way to the boundaries with Clayton-le-Woods and Cuerden.

** Follow the centre of Wheelton Lane north then east along the centre of Centurion Way then briefly north along Preston Road (B5254) to meet Stanifield Lane up to Claytons Farm.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Hutton Church of England Grammar School

Hutton Church of England Grammar School
Liverpool Road
Hutton
Preston PR4 5SN
01772 613112

11-18 Boys Comprehensive (16+ Mixed)
Head: Mr N Moran
Number on Roll January 2024: 858
(including sixth form)
Admission Number: 149

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	103
	2nd	149
	3rd	116
Total preferences received:		368

This is a Voluntary Aided school. Please contact the school for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

- (a) Children in public care and previously looked after children. This includes children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and have ceased to be in state care due to be adopted
(b) Children with special medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this school.
- Boys who have a sibling attending the school on the date application is made and on the date of admission.
- Boys whose parents/guardians worship in a church in membership of Churches Together in England or the Evangelical Alliance and:-
 - live within the ecclesiastical parishes of Penwortham (2), Longton, New Longton, Farington Moss, Lostock Hall and Hoole;*
 - live outside the area.
- Boys whose parents live within the ecclesiastical parishes of Penwortham (2), Longton, New Longton, Farington Moss, Lostock Hall and Hoole.*
- Boys whose parents live outside the area whose parents/guardians show evidence of being active members of a faith other than Christian which is associated with the UK Inter-Faith Network;
- Other boys on the basis of distance of home from school.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

* "Penwortham (2), Longton, New Longton, Farington Moss, Lostock Hall and Hoole" is defined by the Church of England Parishes of St Mary's Penwortham, St Leonard's Penwortham, St Andrew's Longton, All Saints New Longton, St Paul's Farington Moss, St James Lostock Hall, and St Michael's, Hoole. A map showing the boundaries is available in school.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

All Hallows Catholic High School

All Hallows Catholic High School

Crabtree Avenue
Off Central Drive
Preston PR1 0LN
01772 746121/2
admissions@allhallows.lancs.sch.uk.

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs A Cooper
Number on Roll January 2024: 912
Admission Number: 178

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	207
	2nd	164
	3rd	211
Total preferences received:		582

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details.*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children. This includes children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and have ceased to be in state care due to be adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised Catholic children resident in the parishes of St Oswald's, Longton; St Teresa's, Penwortham; St Mary Magdalen's, Penwortham; Our Lady & St Gerard's, Lostock Hall and Our Lady's, Tarleton.
4. Other baptised Catholic children.
5. Other children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
6. Children attending one of the following Catholic Feeder Primary Schools in the parishes named in criterion 3 above:
 - Our Lady & St Gerard's, Lostock Hall
 - St Mary Magdalen's Penwortham
 - St Oswald's, Longton
 - St Teresa's, Penwortham
7. 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.
8. Children of other faiths. An appropriate Faith Leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
9. Other children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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St Mary's Catholic High School, Leyland

St Mary's Catholic High School, Leyland
 Royal Avenue
 Leyland PR25 1BS
 01772 421909
head@ismchs.com

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr P Thompson
 Number on Roll January 2024: 814
 Admission Number: 166

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	165
	2nd	157
	3rd	122
Total preferences received:		444

This is a Voluntary Aided school *Please contact the school for full admission details.*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children, to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of who appear of being adopted
2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised Catholic children resident in the parishes of St Mary's, Leyland; St Catherine's, Farington; St Agnes' Eccleston; St Mary's, Euxton and Ss Peter & Paul, Mawdesley.
4. Other baptised Catholic children.
5. Other children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
6. Children attending one of the following Catholic Feeder Primary Schools in the parishes named in criterion 3 above:

St Anne's, Leyland	St Mary's, Leyland
St Catherine's, Farington	Ss Peter & Paul, Mawdesley
St Mary's, Euxton	
7. 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.
8. Children of other faiths. An appropriate Faith Leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
9. Other children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ *Please see Information for Parents booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>*

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Brownedge St Mary's Catholic High School

Brownedge St Mary's Catholic High School
Station Road
Bamber Bridge
Preston PR5 6PB
01772 339813

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs N Oddie
Number on Roll January 2024: 743
Admission Number: 160

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	172
	2nd	109
	3rd	83
Total preferences received:		364

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details.*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Catholic children from the following Catholic feeder primary schools: St. Mary's & St. Benedict's, Bamber Bridge; Our Lady & St. Gerard's, Lostock Hall; St. Patrick's, Walton le Dale; St. Joseph's, Brindle; St. Bede's, Clayton Green.
3. Baptised Catholic children living in the designated parishes named below: Brownedge St. Mary's, Bamber Bridge; Our Lady & St. Gerard's, Lostock Hall; Our Lady & St. Patrick's Walton le Dale; St. Joseph's, Brindle; St. Bede's, Clayton Green; and St. Mary's, & St John Southworth Samlesbury.
4. Catholic children who have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
5. Other Catholic children.
6. Non catholic children living in the designated parishes and attending a Catholic feeder primary school.
7. Children who have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
8. Children of staff (a)who have been employed by the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission is made(b) recruited to fill a skill demonstrable skill shortage.
9. Children from other Christian denominations.
10. Children of other faiths.
11. Other Children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offers(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Burscough Priory Academy

Burscough Priory Academy
Trevor Road
Burscough
Ormskirk L40 7RZ
01704 893259

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs L Mc Laren
Number on Roll January 2024: 698
Admission Number: 154

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		154
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	143
	2nd	107
	3rd	162
Total preferences received:		412

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is an Academy. Please contact the school for full admission details.*

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust following the criteria set out below:

1. Looked after children, previously looked after children and children who appear (to the Trust) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Children with proven and exceptional medical, special educational or social needs which are directly relevant to the school. The application must be supported by written specific appropriate professional advice (letter from doctor or social worker) as to why admission to the school is necessary. It is the responsibility of parents to show that it is essential for the child to attend the Academy rather than any other school.
3. Siblings of children who will be attending the school on the date when the applicant would be admitted. The term siblings include brother or sister, half brother or sister, step brother or sister, adopted brother or sister, foster brother or sister and other children living permanently at the same address. Only one address can be used for school admission purposes. This is defined by the Trust as the home in which the child lives for most of the school week (i.e. for four nights or more per week).
4. Any other applicants.

Tie-Breaker

Where there are more applicants received than places available under any of the above criteria then the distance between the school and the home (the address which the child lives at for most of the week) will be used as the final determining factor. The distance criterion is a straight line (radial) measured centre of building to centre of building. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s) as an effective, clear and fair tie breaker.

In the case of the point within the Academy, this will be the main school office.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Ormskirk School

Ormskirk School
Wigan Road
Ormskirk
Lancashire L39 2AT
01695 583040

11-18 Mixed Academy
Head: Mrs L Gwinnett
Number on Roll January 2024: 1223
(including sixth form)
Admission Number: 250

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		250
Total parental preferences (considered equally) ranked by parents	1st	150
	2nd	174
	3rd	170
Total preferences received:		494

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is an Academy.*

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust following the criteria set out below:

1. Looked after children, previously looked after children and children who appear (to the Trust) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Children with proven and exceptional medical, special educational or social needs which are directly relevant to the school. The application must be supported by written specific appropriate professional advice (letter from doctor or social worker) as to why admission to the school is necessary. It is the responsibility of parents to show that it is essential for the child to attend the Academy rather than any other school.
3. Siblings of children who will be attending the school on the date when the applicant would be admitted. The term siblings include brother or sister, half brother or sister, step brother or sister, adopted brother or sister, foster brother or sister and other children living permanently at the same address. Only one address can be used for school admission purposes. This is defined by the Trust as the home in which the child lives for most of the school week (i.e. for four nights or more per week).
4. Any other applicants.

Tie-Breaker

Where there are more applicants received than places available under any of the above criteria then the distance between the school and the home (the address which the child lives at for most of the week) will be used as the final determining factor. The distance criterion is a straight line (radial) measured centre of building to centre of building. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s) as an effective, clear and fair tie breaker.

In the case of the point within the Academy, this will be the main school office.

TRANSPORT (YEARS 7-11) ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Up Holland High School

Up Holland High School
 Sandbrook Road
 Orrell
 Wigan WN5 7AL
 01695 625191

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr P Scarborough
 Number on Roll January 2024: 862
 Admission Number: 180

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		180	Initial allocation under each criterion:	
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	176	Education, Health & Care Plan	0
	2nd	129	LAC and previously Looked After	6
	3rd	144	Social/Medical/Welfare	0
			In GPA with Sibling	10
			In GPA no sibling	33
			Out GPA with sibling	36
			Out GPA no sibling	95
Total preferences received:		449	LA Allocated	0
			Total	180

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is an Academy School.*

When a secondary school is oversubscribed, the following priorities apply in order:

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Local Authority accepts that there are exceptional medical social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children eligible for Services Premium, then
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers and sisters attending the school when the younger child will start.
5. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
7. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area.

The distance criterion which will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria is a straight line (radial) measure. If the Local Authority is unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (e.g. twins or same block of flats), places will be offered via a random draw. The distance measure is a straight line (radial) measure centre of building to centre of building.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Dalton, Up Holland and Wrightington

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Lathom High School

Lathom High School
Glenburn Road
Skelmersdale WN8 6JN
01695 725653

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs J M Galbraith
Number on Roll January 2024: 761
Admission Number: 160

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	255	
	2nd	122	
	3rd	56	
Total preferences received:			433

This is a Foundation school. Please contact the school for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Governing Body accepts that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned, then
3. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start,
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
5. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start, then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area.

The distance criterion which will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria is a straight line (radial) measure. If the Governing Body is unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (eg twins or same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw.

The distance measure is a straight line (radial) measure centre of building to centre of building.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Lathom South (part of*) and Skelmersdale

*The part of the parish to the north of Spa Lane and Vale Lane.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Engineering College

**Our Lady Queen of Peace
Catholic Engineering College**
Glenburn Road
Skelmersdale WN8 6JW
01695 725635
mail@olqp.lancs.sch.uk

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs M Henshaw
Number on Roll January 2024 890
Admission Number: 185

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	91
	2nd	135
	3rd	74
Total preferences received:		300

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised Catholic children resident in the parish of St Richard.
4. Other baptised Catholic children.
5. Other children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
6. Children attending one of the following Catholic Feeder Primary Schools in the parish named in criterion 3 above:

St Edmund's, Skelmersdale	St John's, Skelmersdale
St Francis of Assisi, Skelmersdale	St Richard's, Skelmersdale
St James', Skelmersdale	
7. 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.
8. Children of other faiths. An appropriate Faith Leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
9. Other children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

TRANSPORT ▼ *Please see Information for Parents booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>*

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St Bede's Catholic High School

St Bede's Catholic High School
 St Anne's Road
 Ormskirk L39 4TA
 01695 577320/570335
 admin@sbchs.co.uk

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr D Morgan
 Number on Roll January 2024: 710
 Admission Number: 140

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	181
	2nd	157
	3rd	113
Total preferences received:		
		451

Initial allocation under each criterion:	
LAC and previously Looked After	2
Baptised children resident in named parishes	127
Baptised children with siblings	6
Other Baptised Catholics	4
Education, Health & Care Plan	1
No places were allocated to 5,6,7,8 or 9	0

This is a Voluntary Aided school. *Please contact the school for full admission details.*

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children. This includes children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and have ceased to be in state as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children resident in the parishes of St Anne's, Ormskirk; St Mary's, Aughton; St Elizabeth's Scarisbrick; Our Lady's, Parbold and St John's, Burscough.
3. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
4. Other baptised Catholic children.
5. Other children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
6. Children attending one of the following Catholic Feeder Primary Schools in the parishes named in criterion 2 above:

Our Lady & All Saints, Parbold	St John's, Burscough
St Anne's, Ormskirk	St Mary's Scarisbrick
7. 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.
8. Children of other faiths. An appropriate Faith Leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
9. Other children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

**Baptised Catholic means, within the policies and practices relating to school admissions, any child who, before the due date of application, is a baptised Catholic or who, having been baptised into another Christian denomination whose baptisms are recognised by the Catholic Church, has subsequently been formally received into the Catholic Church.*

TRANSPORT ▼ . Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Tarleton Academy

Tarleton Academy

Hesketh Lane
Tarleton
Preston PR4 6AQ
01772 812644

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr S Day
Number on Roll January 2024 691
Admission Number: 150

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	126	
	2nd	89	
	3rd	87	
Total preferences received:			302

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with Education Health and Care Plans naming the Academy, priority for admission will be applied by the Trust following the criteria set out below:

1. Looked after children, previously looked after children and children who appear (to the Trust) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Children with proven and exceptional medical, special educational or social needs which are directly relevant to the school. The application must be supported by written specific appropriate professional advice (letter from doctor or social worker) as to why admission to the school is necessary. It is the responsibility of parents to show that it is essential for the child to attend the Academy rather than any other school.
3. Siblings of children who will be attending the school on the date when the applicant would be admitted. The term siblings include brother or sister, half brother or sister, stepbrother or sister, adopted brother or sister, foster brother or sister and other children living permanently at the same address. Only one address can be used for school admission purposes. This is defined by the Trust as the home in which the child lives for most of the school week (i.e. for four nights or more per week).
4. Any other applicants.

Tie-Breaker

Where there are more applicants received than places available under any of the above criteria then the distance between the school and the home (the address which the child lives at for most of the week) will be used as the final determining factor. The distance criterion is a straight line (radial) measured centre of building to centre of building. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s) as an effective, clear and fair tie breaker.

In the case of the point within the Academy, this will be the main school office.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Albany Academy

Albany Academy
Bolton Road
Chorley PR7 3AY
01257 244020

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr P Mayland
Number on Roll January 2024: 720
Admission Number: 135

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	127
	2nd	234
	3rd	222
Total preferences received:		583

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

In the event that the school receives more applications than the number of places it has available, places will be given to those children who meet any of the criteria set out below, in order until all places are filled.

1. Highest priority will be given to looked after children and all previously looked after children who apply for a place at the school, including children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Priority will next be given to children for whom the Governors accept, based on the written opinion of professional experts, that there are exceptional medical or social circumstances affecting the child and where these needs can **only** be met at Albany Academy.
3. Priority will next be given to children of staff at the school, in either of the following circumstances: a) The member of staff has been employed at the school for 2 or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, or b) The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
- 4 A maximum of 15 places will be allocated to children attending Chorley New Road Primary Academy who have been attending the school for at least 3 consecutive school years (Years 4, 5 and 6).
- 5 Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start, then
- 6 Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
- 7 Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start then
- 8 Children living outside the school's geographical priority area.

Tie break

In the case of 2 or more applications that cannot be separated by the oversubscription criteria outlined above, the school will use the distance between the school and a child's home as a tie breaker to decide between applicants.

Priority will be given to children who live closest to the school. Distance will be measured in a straight line from the child's home address to the school's front gates on Bolton Road. A child's home address will be considered to be where he/she is resident for the majority of nights in a normal school week.

Where the distance between 2 children's homes and the school is the same, random allocation will be used to decide between them. This process will be independently verified.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Charnock Richard, Coppull, (part*) Astley Village, Whittle -le Woods. District of Chorley, Withnell, Wheelton, Heapey, Anglezarke, Heath Charnock, Anderton, Adlington and Rivington.

*Euxton south of railway line.

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Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Parklands Academy

Parklands Academy
Southport Road
Chorley PR7 1LL
01257 264596

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mrs C Batson
Number on Roll January 2024: 1123
Admission Number: 220

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	260
	2nd	309
	3rd	269
Total preferences received:		838

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

The criteria which are to be used to allocate places when the Academy is oversubscribed are:

1. Looked after children or a child who was previously looked after, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order or those children who appear to the school to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted, then
2. Children for whom the Governors accept that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned (professional supporting evidence from e.g. a doctor; psychologist; social worker etc is essential and such evidence must set out why the school is the most suitable school and the difficulties which would be caused if the child had to attend another school) then
3. Children of staff who are employed by Parklands Academy where
 - a) The member of staff has been employed at the school for 2 or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, or
 - b) The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
4. Children who will have a sibling in attendance at Parklands Academy at the time of admission, then
5. Children who attend the founder schools in the Aspirational Futures Multi Academy Trust, namely Balshaw Lane Community Primary School and Highfield Community Primary.
6. (a) Higher priority will be given to the children living in the civil parishes of Withnell, Wheelton, Abbey Village, Brinscall and Heapey, then
(b) Other children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
7. Children living outside the school's geographical area

The distance criterion which will be used as the tie breaker if there is oversubscription within any of the admission criteria is a straight line (radial) measure. If Governors are unable to distinguish between applicants using the published criteria (e.g. twins or same block of flats) places will be offered via a random draw. The distance measure is a straight line (radial) measure, centre of building to centre of building.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA

Parishes of Charnock Richard, Euxton, Buckshaw Village, Astley Village, Whittle-le-Woods, Chorley, Withnell, Wheelton, Heapey, Abbey Village, Anglezarke, Brinscall, Heath Charnock.

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Southlands High School

Southlands High School
Clover Road
Chorley PR7 2NJ
01257 414455

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Headteacher: Mr P Bousfield
Number on Roll January 2024: 926
Admission Number:220

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Places available:		220
Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	85
	2nd	57
	3rd	87
Total preferences received:		229

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ *This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.*

1. Looked after children and those who have been previously looked after, including those children who appear to have been in state care outside England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted then
2. Children for whom the Trust accepts that there are exceptional medical, social or welfare reasons which are directly relevant to the school concerned then
3. Children living within the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters attending the school when the younger child will start then
4. Children living within the school's geographical priority area, then
5. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area with older brothers or sisters still attending the school when the younger child will start then
6. Children living outside the school's geographical priority area below.

TIE-BREAKER

Where there are more applicants received than places available under any of the above criteria then the distance between the school and the home will be used as the final determining factor. The distance measure is a straight line (radial) between the applicant's home address points the address point of the school. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Trust system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s) as an effective, clear and fair tie breaker.

GEOGRAPHICAL PRIORITY AREA ▼

Parishes of Charnock Richard, Coppull, Euxton, Buckshaw Village, Astley Village, Whittle-le-Woods, Chorley, Withnell, Wheelton, Heapey, Anglezarke, Heath Charnock, Anderton, Adlington, Rivington, Horwich, Blackrod and Haigh

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

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Bishop Rawstorne Church of England Academy

Bishop Rawstorne Church of England Academy
 Highfield Road
 Croston
 Leyland PR26 9HH
 01772 600349/600972
office@bishopr.co.uk

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
 Head: Mr P Cowley
 Number on Roll January 2024: 972
 Admission Number: 190

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	217
	2nd	117
	3rd	99
Total preferences received:		433

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

These Criteria are given in priority order and will be applied to those parents of children who indicate that the school is a **PREFERENCE** for their child, as the school is required to operate a system of equal preferences. In the event of there being over-subscription for entry to the school and if a tie-break is required within any criterion, then the Local Authority’s system for a random draw will decide which student receives an offer of a place.

- 1 Looked After Children Priority must be given to children in public care. This includes any "looked after child", "previously looked after children" and any child who was previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, residence or special guardianship order. This criteria also includes looked after children and all previously looked after children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

- 2 Children with Special Medical or Social Circumstances. Children with special medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this Academy (Note: Professional supporting evidence from e.g. a doctor; psychologist; social worker; is essential if admission is to be made under the criterion for special medical or social circumstances, and such evidence must set out the particular reasons why the Academy in question is the only school where these needs can be met and the difficulties which would be caused if the child had to attend another school.)

- 3 Children who RESIDE in the Foundation Parishes of Bretherton, Croston, Eccleston, Mawdesley with Bispham and Wrightington with Heskin, with parents meeting faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy which is one-third of the total places (currently 63 of 190 places). At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.

- 4 Children who RESIDE in the Named Parishes of Apley Bridge, Banks, Douglas in Parbold, Hesketh with Becconsall, Hoole, Leyland St James, Rufford and Tarleton with parents meeting faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy, to fill the balance of one-third of the places allocated of the total intake numbers which have not been filled from criterion 3. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.

- 5 Children with a parent employed by the Academy on a permanent contract either full or part-time in either or both of the following circumstances:
 - (a) where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, and/or
 - (b) the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.

- 6 Children who have other *siblings* attending the school at the time of application **and** on the date of admission.

- 7 Children who RESIDE in the Foundation Parishes of Bretherton, Croston, Eccleston, Mawdesley with Bispham and Wrightington with Heskin, with parents meeting faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy who cannot attain a place under 3 because the criteria of one-third of places allocated according to faith commitment has already been allocated. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.

- 8 Children who RESIDE in the Foundation Parishes of Bretherton, Croston, Eccleston, Mawdesley with Bispham and Wrightington with Heskin, with parents who do not meet the faith commitment outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.
- 9 Children who RESIDE in the Named Parishes of Appley Bridge, Banks, Douglas in Parbold, Hesketh with Becconsall, Hoole, Leyland St James, Rufford and Tarleton with parents meeting faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy who cannot attain a place under 4 because the criteria of one-third of places allocated according to faith commitment has already been allocated. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.
- 10 Children who RESIDE in the Named Parishes of Appley Bridge, Banks, Douglas in Parbold, Hesketh with Becconsall, Hoole, Leyland St James, Rufford and Tarleton with parents who do not meet the faith commitment outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.
- 11 Children who RESIDE in other parishes with parents meeting faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.
- 12 Children who RESIDE in other parishes with parents who do not meet the faith commitment as outlined in Appendix 1 section 2.5 of the Admission Policy. At the point of oversubscription within this criterion, places will be offered in rank order of distance from the school to the home address as determined in the tie-breaker.
- 13 Other Children

TIE-BREAKER

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a criterion, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the Academy and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

A Supplementary Form for Admission is available from the Academy and you need to return this to Bishop Rawstone Church of England Academy by no later than Thursday 31 October 2024. Children from other areas are also considered.

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

Holy Cross Catholic High School

Holy Cross Catholic High School
Myles Standish Way
Chorley PR7 3LS
01257 262093
admin@holycross.lancs.sch.uk

11-16 Mixed Comprehensive
Head: Mr I Gaughan
Number on Roll January 2024: 987
Admission Number: 195

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	220	
	2nd	194	
	3rd	200	
Total preferences received:			614

This is a Voluntary Aided school. Please contact the school for full admission details.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼

1. Looked After Children and previously Looked After Children. This includes children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised Catholic children resident in the parishes of St Chad, St Gregory, St Mary, St Oswald, Sacred Heart, St Joseph (Chorley), St Joseph (Withnell) and St Joseph (Anderton).
4. Other baptised Catholic children.
5. Other children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission.
6. Children attending one of the following Catholic Feeder Primary Schools in the parishes named in criterion 3 above:

Sacred Heart	St Joseph's, Chorley
St Chad's	St Joseph's, Withnell
St Gregory's	St Mary's, Chorley
St Joseph's, Anderton	St Oswald's, Coppull
7. 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.
8. Children of other faiths. An appropriate Faith Leader would need to confirm in writing that the applicant is a member of their faith group.
9. Other children.

Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut-off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

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St Michael's Church of England High School

St Michael's Church of England High School
 Astley Road
 Chorley PR7 1RS
 01257 264740

11-16 Mixed Academy
 Head: Mrs J Jenks
 Number on Roll January 2024: 1139
 Admission Number: 225

Information relating to Autumn Term 2024 Year 7 Admissions:

Total parental preferences (considered equally)	1st	303
	2nd	241
	3rd	218
Total preferences received:		762

This is an Academy. Please contact the academy for full admission details.

A Supplementary Form for Admission is available from the Academy and you need to return this to St Michael's CE High School by no later than 31 October 2024.

SUMMARY OF POLICY ▼ This is an Academy - please contact the Academy for full admission details.

1* (a) This criteria also includes looked after children and all previously looked after children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

(b) Children with special medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this school.

2.1* Parent or child is a regular fortnightly worshipper at a foundation church listed below which has membership of Churches Together in England or the Evangelical Alliance. Regular fortnightly worship attendance is defined as a minimum of twice per month for a period of no less than 2 years up to the 1st September in the year of application for admission to the school. (*Two-year period applies to Sept 2022 – Sept 2024*). The governors will request confirmation of this from the relevant clergy or church officer. Within criterion 2.1 first priority will be given to siblings of pupils who are on the school roll at the date of application and on the date of admission (1st September 2025).

Foundation parishes served by the school:

<i>Adlington St Paul</i>	<i>Chorley St James</i>	<i>Euxton Parish</i>
<i>Brindle St James</i>	<i>Chorley St Laurence</i>	<i>Heapey St Barnabas</i>
<i>Charnock Richard Christ Church</i>	<i>Chorley St Peter</i>	<i>Whittle-le-Woods St John</i>
<i>Chorley All Saints</i>	<i>Coppull Parish</i>	<i>Withnell St Paul</i>
<i>Chorley St George</i>	<i>Coppull St John</i>	

2.2* Parent or child is a regular fortnightly worshipper at another Christian church with membership of Churches Together in England or the Evangelical Alliance. Regular fortnightly worship attendance is defined as a minimum of twice per month for a period of no less than 2 years up to the 1st September in the year of application for admission to the school. (*Two-year period applies to Sept 2022– Sept 2024*). The governors will request confirmation of this from the relevant clergy or church officer. Within criterion 2.2, first priority will be given to siblings of pupils who are on the school roll at the date of application and on the date of admission (1st September 2025).

3*. Children who have a sibling attending the school on the date of application and on the date of admission.

4*. Other children.

*Where there are more applicants for the available places within a category, then the distance between the Ordnance Survey address points for the school and the home measured in a straight line will be used as the final determining factor, nearer addresses having priority over more distant ones. This address point is within the body of the property and usually located at its centre. Where the cut off point is for addresses within the same building, then the single measure between address points will apply and the Local Authority's system of a random draw will determine which address(es) receive the offer(s).

For the avoidance of doubt, matters which the governors **do not** take into account in the allocation of places include the following:

- a) Attendance at a church school
- b) Attendance at church as part of normal school activity
- c) Whether a child is confirmed or being prepared for confirmation
- d) Whether a child is baptized
- e) Academic abilities

TRANSPORT ▼ Please see *Information for Parents* booklet or <http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools>

Parents in any doubt over the distance between home and school for the provision of transport are asked to check with their local Area Education Office. This may be particularly relevant if you live close to a county border.

If the cost of getting your child from home to school and back is a consideration or concern in making your school preferences, please check the Home to School Transport Policy carefully or discuss your child's possible entitlement with the Area Pupil Access Team.

In September 2025, free school transport will be provided as follows:

General Policy

To qualify for free home to school transport, children of compulsory school age are required to attend the nearest suitable school, where the home to school distance (based on the child's address) using the shortest route is over 2 miles for children up to the age of 8 years. At the start of the academic year, after the child's 8th birthday, a reassessment will take place as children 8 years and over will only qualify for transport assistance if the shortest route is over 3 miles.

For Lancashire families, schools outside of their GPA (Geographical Priority Area) and those in other Local Authorities and districts will be considered when assessing eligibility for assistance for transport to school.

For those pupils attending faith schools, the Council previously granted partial assistance with travel costs if the pupil attended the nearest school of their faith. Since September 2018 transport assistance is **only** available if a pupil attends their nearest school or academy and meets the distance criteria. Please note; if parents decide to send their child to a school that is not their nearest suitable school, then they will be responsible for the cost of transporting their child to that school/academy.

National Extended Rights Policy (Low Income)

If your child does not qualify for transport under the general policy (above), a national policy provides extended rights to children who are eligible for free school meals or whose parents receive the maximum level of Working Tax Credit (WTC) i.e. reduction to the income must be £0.00 on your award notice. This policy provides transport for:

Primary Children – age 8 but under 11 years, transport will be provided to the nearest suitable school where that school is more than 2 miles from the child's home.

Secondary Children – transport to one of the 3 nearest suitable qualifying schools where the school is more than 2 but less than 6 miles from the child's home OR transport to the nearest suitable secondary school preferred because of your religion or belief for children whose parents adhere to that particular faith, if the school is between 2 and 15 miles from home.

Concessionary Travel

If your child is not eligible for free travel you may be able to purchase a season ticket if there are spare places on a school transport service. Please contact the School Traveline for advice on 0300 123 6738.

In some cases it may be more cost effective for your child to travel on a public bus service and purchase a discounted period travel ticket direct from the bus operator.

You are strongly advised to visit our website for up to date information on the provision of any home to school transport or contact the Area Pupil Access Team (see contact details on page 1 for your nearest office).

For full details of the policy and general principles applying to free school transport please see our website www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

Data Protection

Access to Education Entitlements

Data Protection:

In completing this form, you understand that Lancashire County Council has a requirement to process your personal data.

Purposes for processing



Lancashire County Council will only ever process your personal data where it has a clear lawful basis for doing so in full compliance with data protection legislation - UK GDPR and The Data Protection Act (2018).

We will ensure the security and confidentiality of your personal data at all times.

For our full privacy notice, please scan the QR Code or [access the document on line.](#)

If you need a paper version of our privacy notice, please contact ECSPupilAccess.Central@lancashire.gov.uk to request a copy.

APPLY ONLINE

When you apply online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools you will:

- Receive an email acknowledgement when you press the submit button
- Be able to change your application up to the closing date
- Be able to view your offer on the offer date

Please remember to press the 'submit' button each time you view your online application, (even if no changes are made).



For office use

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Apply online OR complete and return this form to your Area Education Office (see website/booklet for address)
Please use black ink and write clearly in block capitals

Admission to Secondary Schools 2025-26 Application Form

THIS APPLICATION FORM IS FOR COMPLETION BY PARENTS RESIDENT IN LANCASHIRE.
Before completing this form all parents are strongly advised to read the secondary school admissions information on the Lancashire County Council webpages at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools
If you need advice on how to complete an application please contact your Area Education Office

Part 1 – information about the child												
1	Name of child			Surname			Forename(s)					
2	Date of birth	Date	Month	Year	Bo y	<input type="checkbox"/>	Girl	<input type="checkbox"/>	Twin / Triplet	<input type="checkbox"/>	(please tick)	
3	Primary School						Tel No.					
4	(a) Name of parent(s)/guardian(s)											
	(b) Address											
	Postcode			Tel no								
	Email											
5	Which council charges Council Tax for the address where your child lives?											
6	If the child is not living permanently with the above parent(s)/ guardian(s) please give:											
	(a) Name of person child usually lives with											
	(b) Address											
	Postcode			Tel No								
	Date when child started living with person at address in 6(b)											
	If there is a shared parenting arrangement both parents must confirm the details at the outset at question 13 (part 2) of this form (see the secondary admission booklet, Section 2, paragraph H)											
7	Details of siblings who will be attending secondary school on 1 September 2025 (Brothers & sisters, stepchildren, half brothers & sisters, adopted & foster children living with the same family at the same address.)											
	Name	Date of Birth	School				Female	<input type="checkbox"/>	Male	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Part 2 – Additional Information				
8	Does the child have a final statement for special needs (EHC Plan)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Is the child known to an Educational Psychologist?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
9	Do you consider your child to have a disability? <i>If yes, please give description</i>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Description
10a	Is the child in care to any local authority?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10b	Was the child previously in care and now adopted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10c	Is there a residence, guardianship or accommodation order?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Name of relevant Local Authority			
	Name of Social Worker			
11	Is the child subject to a private fostering arrangement?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Contact agency		Tel No	
12	Does a parent / guardian work at any of your school preferences?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Name		School	
	Name		School	
13	<p>Additional information to support your application may be provided here. <i>This can be medical, social or welfare information relating to the pupil and / or the family. Evidence from an appropriate professional (e.g. doctor, health visitor, social worker) can be attached. Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.</i></p> <p>Please do not include religious information in this section – see part 3 below *</p>			

Part 3 – Statement of Preferences				
<p>Please state clearly your 3 secondary preferences for the child. All secondary preferences will be considered equally. You are therefore strongly advised to use all 3 preferences and to name 3 different establishments. Where more than one offer would be possible, the school which has an available place and which you have ranked highest priority will become the single offer.</p> <p>Your list of preferences may include schools within or outside of Lancashire. Your preferences may include Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools, Voluntary Aided Schools, Free Schools, Foundation Schools and Academies.</p> <p>Independent / Private Schools must <u>not</u> be included.</p>				
<p>I / We, being the parent(s) / guardian(s) of the child named in part 1, would prefer him/her to be considered for admission to the following secondary schools / academies <u>in priority order</u>:</p>				
First				
Second				
Third				
* Do you have any religious affiliation?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Is your child baptised Catholic?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<p>If YES you should contact any Voluntary Aided or Foundation School which is included as a preference and obtain their supplementary information form (this is in addition to the formal application process).</p>				
14	Signature (s)			
<p>I / We have read the secondary school information for parents and certify that the information given on this form is correct.</p> <p>The Local Authority reserves the right to verify the information given on this form. Any offer of a place will be on the basis that the information provided is accurate.</p>				
	Parent / Carer			Date
	Parent / Carer			Date
<p>If you apply on a paper form it is your responsibility to ensure that this is submitted to the Local Authority by 31 October 2023. Please ask for a receipt.</p>				

Lancashire County Council is classed as an admissions authority and has a statutory obligation under
The School Standards and Framework Act 1998 to collect and process this information.

Timetable for Lancashire Secondary Admissions 2025/26

The arrangements for the transfer of pupils to secondary schools in September 2025 will, as far as possible, conform to the following timetable.

Sunday 1 September 2024	Apply from this date at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools (Please remember to press the 'submit' button every time you leave the online system)
Thursday 31 October 2024	National closing date for secondary applications (statutory).
During this period all applications are processed and all preferences are considered against the published admissions policy. Where there are more applications than places available, decisions are made as to which children should be offered the available places. We will liaise and exchange information with all other admission authorities including neighbouring local authorities. The allocation and offer of a secondary school place is finalised.	
Monday 3 March 2025	Offers issued to parents*
Friday 14 March 2025	Deadline for requesting a place on the waiting list(s)
Week commencing 24 March 2025	Commence ranking of the waiting list
Monday 31 March 2025	Appeal deadline for Lancashire schools. Deadline for lodging appeals for Lancashire school's /1 st round of hearings.
Friday 20 June 2025	Appeals for Lancashire schools submitted by the deadline heard by an independent appeal panel

*** If you are not happy with an initial offer the appeals period starts from your receipt of the offer. Appeal information will be issued later as this allows some time for waiting lists to operate.**

**Appeals which we receive after the deadline will be slotted into the schedule where possible. We cannot guarantee this however, and late appeals may have to be heard after the agreed date at a second round of hearings. The schedule is subject to change depending upon the availability of appeal panel members, clerks, venue, etc.

The closing date for applications is Thursday 31 October 2024.

Does your child qualify for Free School Meals?

Are you claiming the free school meals to which you may be entitled?

School meals are nutritious and you could save at least £380 per year.

Your child's school will also receive over £1000 from the Government for every pupil in the school who is eligible for free school meals. This funding is called 'pupil premium' and can be used by the school to improve pupils' attainment.

Please register your eligibility - even if you don't want to take up the free meals - so that the school can access this extra funding.

To be eligible you must be receiving one of the benefits listed below:

- Universal Credit with a household income of less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)
- Income-Based Jobseekers' Allowance
- Income-Related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, not entitled to Working Tax Credit and household income less than £16,190
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Income Support
- Working Tax Credit 'run on' – the payment you receive for a further four weeks after you finish work

Please note, you still need to register your child with us even if you have an older child already attending school and receiving free school meals.

Church attendance which has been affected by affected by unexpected events.

In the event that during the period specified for attendance at worship the churches have been closed for public worship and have not provided alternative premises for that worship requirements of these admissions arrangements in relation to attendance will only apply to the period when the churches have been available for public worship



**ARCHDIOCESE OF LIVERPOOL
SUPPLEMENTARY FAITH REQUEST FORM**

.....CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL

A copy of this form should be completed by the parent/guardian for EACH Catholic school applied to and RETURNED TO THE INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL by 31 October 2024.

Name of school applied for: _____

Name of child: _____

Address of child: _____

1. Is the child a baptised Catholic? Yes No

2. If yes, please state parish of baptism and date

3. In which parish do you now live? (**see Note 1**)

4. If your child is not a baptised Catholic, please state to which denomination or faith, if any, your child belongs (**see Note 2**)

Notes

1. Evidence of Baptism – Catholic
If you are applying for a Catholic secondary school and your child was baptised in one of the parishes served by the school then the parish baptismal records will be checked by the school to confirm baptism. If your child was baptised in another parish a baptismal certificate or the completion of the statement below will normally be required to confirm your child is a baptised Catholic.

2. Evidence of Faith Group membership
a) If you are applying for a Catholic school and want to be considered under the relevant criterion as an other than Catholic Christian please state your Christian denomination. Proof of Baptism in the form of a Baptismal Certificate **or** confirmation in writing by completing the statement below to show that your child is a member of a faith community by an appropriate Minister of Religion is required.
b) If you belong to a faith other than the Christian faith, please state to which faith you belong. An appropriate faith leader would need to confirm in writing by completing the statement below that your child is a member of their faith group.

Minister of Religion/Faith Leader

Minister/Leader (Print name): _____

Address: _____

Position held: _____

Signed and dated: _____

THIS SCHOOL IS IN THE BOLTON COUNCIL AREA

Bolton UTC

Bolton UTC

The Stoller Building

University of Bolton

Deane Road

Bolton

BL3 5AG

www.utcbolton.org /the ucs.org.uk

This is a university technology college

UTCs are academies for 14 to 19 year olds. Each UTC is sponsored by an employer and a university and specialises in one or two technical curriculum areas (for example engineering or bio-medical science). They focus on providing technical education that meets the needs of industry by offering technical courses and work-related learning, combined with core academic studies, which leads young people into employment, an apprenticeship or further/higher education.

If you would like further information or to discuss possible admission to Year 9 or above, please contact Bolton UTC direct on 01204 928700 or visit their website www.utcbolton.org

THIS SCHOOL IS IN THE MERSEYSIDE COUNCIL AREA

St Helen's College

St Helen's College 14-16 Academy

Technology Campus

Pocket Nook Street, St Helens

WA9 1TT

0800 99 66 99

www.sthelensac.uk/1416academy

The 14-16 Academy is part of St Helens College and students join from the beginning of Year 10.

Every student at St Helens College 14-16 Academy will study up to nine GCSEs including English language, English literature, mathematics, core science and additional science and computing/ICT and two technical and professional qualifications (equivalent to GCSEs).

There may be an opportunity to choose either media or business as an additional GCSE depending on your current progress.

In addition, you will study RE, PSHE and PE alongside enrichment activities.

Once you have completed year 11, you will have the option to go to St Helens College, where you can choose from a range of pathways, including:

A levels

A technical and professional course

A traineeship

An apprenticeship

When will I hear the outcome of my application?

If you applied online, you can log back into your application on 1 March 2025 to find out the school we have offered your child.

You should also receive an automated email alert on 1 March confirming your school offer.

If you do not receive an email alert, this could be due to a change in email address. Alternatively, your email server has delayed the delivery of the email or sent it to your spam or junk mail folder.

You can log into the online application system without having received an alert.

If you applied on time using a paper form, we will post you an offer letter by second class post on 1 March 2025.

Unfortunately, offer information cannot be given out by phone.



Catching the school bus

Please behave sensibly and responsibly when travelling to and from school for your own safety. If you misbehave you may have your travel pass taken away or be excluded from using school bus services.

1

Be at the stop 5 minutes before. Queue sensibly and keep well away from the kerb. Give a clear signal so the bus driver knows to stop. Make sure you are boarding the bus at the correct stop.

2

Pay your fare and try to have the correct change. Keep your ticket to show the inspector and/or for your return journey.

3

If you use a bus pass/season ticket, it must always be presented to the bus driver - allow time for it to be examined. Bus passes/season tickets are not transferable and should only be used on the service for which they are assigned. If you cannot show a valid pass you must pay your fare. Lost or damaged passes can be replaced for a fee by contacting the County Council on 0300 123 6738.

4

Misuse and fraudulent use of travel passes is treated very seriously and could lead to prosecution.

5

Take your seat, please wear a seat belt if one is provided. Don't take up more than one seat. Place bags in the luggage compartment/under your seat/on your knees. Don't place bags on seats or in the aisle.

6

If all seats are taken, you should stand sensibly behind the driver area and use grab rails where available. You should not stand adjacent to emergency exits, on staircases or upstairs on a double deck vehicle. Do not walk around during the journey.

7

Antisocial behaviour/damage to the bus or anyone's property/bullying on the bus, is taken very seriously and can be reported to the police. Please report incidents to the driver, a teacher or a parent. Do not throw anything whilst on the bus, at the bus or from the bus.

8

All bus and taxi services have No Smoking Policies including all e-cigarettes and vaping devices.

9

Respect others at all times and never distract your driver.

10

Make sure you know which stop you are getting off at and to alert the driver by pressing the bell only once or asking them to stop at the next bus stop.

Never override past the bus stop you have paid for. Overriding could lead to prosecution.

11

When leaving the bus please take the time to thank your bus driver.

12

Remember to take all of your belongings when you leave the bus.

13

Let the bus depart before crossing the road. Find a safe place to cross and remember: Stop, Look and Listen.

14

DO NOT text/use your mobile phone when crossing roads. Remove ear accessories to allow you to hear any oncoming traffic. CONCENTRATE - often accidents happen due to a lack of concentration.

