



Kennington Primary School

Admissions Policy

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Kennington Primary School is a Community Controlled Primary School and as such the proposed co-ordinated policy for admission to community and voluntary controlled primary schools applies.

A copy of Lancashire County Council Coordinated Policy for Admission can be viewed by clicking on the link below.

Children are admitted to Kennington Primary School in the September of the academic year in which they turn five. If you wish to apply for a place at Kennington Primary School for your child then you should do this via the County Council website. To access this, please click on the link below:

<http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/apply-for-a-primary-school-place.aspx>

If you have difficulty applying on-line, then please contact the school for a paper copy of the application form.

Applications for admission to school in September, 2017 have now closed and places will be allocated by the County Council by 16th April 2017. The applications for September, 2018 will open in September 2017 and will be able to be accessed via the above link.

The standard number of admission to the school is 35 children. In the event of applications being in excess of this number, then the following criteria will be applied in priority order:

- 1. Children in Public Care (Looked After Children)**
- 2. Children for whom the County Council accepts there are exceptionally strong medical, social or welfare reasons for admission, which are directly relevant to the school concerned.**
- 3. Children with older brothers and sisters* who will still be attending the school when the younger child starts.**
- 4. The remaining places will be allocated according to the distance between the child's home and the school.**

* Brothers and sisters includes step children and foster children who are living with the same family at the same address.

If you have any questions regarding this policy, please contact us and we will be happy to talk the process through with you. If you wish to apply for a place at Kennington Primary School for your child then you should do this via the County Council website. To access this, please click on the link below:

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