



Shevington High School

This document explains how places were allocated at the school for admission to Year 7 in September 2026.

Admission number (number of places available) – 178

Number of preferences received on time (by the closing date) – 602

How places were allocated

Shevington High school is a Community School.

All applications were processed using the 'equal preference' system as explained in the 'Applying for a Year 7 place 2026/27 booklet'.

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan which names the school. Places offered – 7

Criterion 1. Looked after children, previously looked after children and children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care because they were adopted.
Places offered under this criterion – 2

Criterion 2. Children whose older brother or sister attends the school and will still be there at the time of admission.
Places offered under this criterion – 43

Criterion 3. Children living in Shevington (map available).
Places offered under this criterion – 41

Criterion 4. Children living in Standish Lower Ground, Appley Bridge and Orrel (map available).
Places offered under this criterion - 17

Criterion 5. Children living nearest to the school.
Places offered under this criterion - 68

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Places in criterion 5 were allocated to the 68 pupils living nearest to the school. The last of these places was allocated to a pupil living 2.672 miles from the school.

Applications received after the closing date of 31 October 2025 are deemed to be late and only considered after applications received on time. Changes of preferences received after the closing date are also classed as late applications.

For details of how the waiting list operates and how to appeal, please see the information sheet 'Waiting Lists and Appeals'.