

St. Catherine's Catholic Primary School, Lowton

Supplementary Faith Form



St. Catherine's is a Catholic Voluntary Aided Primary School and the governors consider all applications for admission before places are offered with regard to our Admissions Criteria – see reverse side of the this form.

This admission criteria information can be subject to change in various admission years.

Surname of child:	
First names:	
Date of birth:	
Address:	
Name of Parent:	
Contact No:	
Email Address:	

Child's religion:		
Date of Baptism:		
Church where baptised:		[If baptised in a parish other than St. Catherine's please supply the baptismal certificate or proof of baptism].
Certificate seen by:		

I/We request a place at St. Catherine of Siena R.C. Primary School for my/our child.

If any of the above information changes (e.g. change of address) it is the parent/carer's responsibility to inform the school and to amend this form.

Please return this form to school.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

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Admissions Criteria

Where the number of applications exceeds the number of places available the Governing Body will apply the following over-subscription criteria

Children with a statement of special educational needs that names the school will be offered a place without reference to the admissions criteria.

1. Baptised Catholic children who are in the care of the Local Authority (looked after children).
2. Baptised Catholic children living in the designated Parish of St Catherine of Siena, Lowton.
3. Baptised Catholic children who have a brother or a sister at the school at the time of likely admission. This includes full, half or stepbrothers and sisters, adopted and foster brothers and sisters or children of the parent/carer's partner, and in every case who are living at the same address and are part of the same family unit.
4. Baptised Catholic children living in other Catholic parishes.
5. Children who are in the care of the Local Authority (looked after children) other than Catholic.
6. Children who are other than Catholic who have a brother or a sister at the school at the time of likely admission. This includes full, half or stepbrothers and sisters, adopted and foster brothers and sisters or children of the parent/carer's partner, and in every case who are living at the same address and are part of the same family unit.
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. Children whose parents express a preference for a place at the school.

In the event of any over-subscription in the number of applications made under any of the categories above then the admissions committee will offer places first to children living nearest to the school measured **in a straight line** from the front door of the child's home address to the main entrance of the school using the Local Authority's measuring service based on Ordinance Survey.