

Applying for Primary and Infant School for 2027/28

Information for Parents and Carers

Apply online from 1 September 2026
Deadline: 15 January 2027

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Your guide to applying for a Reception place

It is a significant time for any parent when their child first goes to school. It is important that you are sure that you have all the information necessary to make your selection of preferred schools and give yourself the best chance to be allocated a place at your preferred school for September 2027.

This guide explains the admissions process and gives you basic information on all our primary schools, but you can also get more detailed information from the schools themselves on their websites. I hope you find this guide useful.

The demand for places is high so it is essential you submit your application by the deadline to give you the best chance of getting a place at one of your preferred schools.

You can apply anytime from 1 September 2026 until the closing date of 15 January 2027.

Please use all your preferences and consider carefully using one of your preferences for your catchment area school. If you decide not to apply for your catchment school, you will not automatically be allocated it should your other school preferences be unsuccessful. Your child is not guaranteed a place at their catchment school. However, your child's catchment school represents their strongest chance of obtaining a place at a school.

If you have any further questions or concerns, you can contact our Frontline Team at the Contact Centre on 0161 217 6022 who will be happy to help you or alternatively you can visit www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions for more information.

We hope that your child will enjoy the exciting times ahead of them in their new school.

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The online system will close at midnight on 15 January 2027 – remember to apply by this date.

The online system will reopen after the closing dates to enable parents/ carers to make a late application which will be considered as detailed in this guide.

Dates for your diary

1 September 2026	Online application system becomes available.
15 January 2027	Closing date for receipt of applications
8 March 2027	Last date changes of address can be notified to School Admissions Team to be considered before national offer day
16 April 2027 – National Offer Day	Emails will be sent to applicants informing them of the outcome of their application
14 May 2027	Deadline for appeals to be received that will be heard before the summer holidays
Summer Term 2027	Appeals heard by an independent panel
September 2027	Pupils start school in Reception
31 December 2027	Waiting lists for schools close unless individual school admissions arrangements say otherwise

Apply online at www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions

Applications received **after** the **closing date of 15 January 2027** will be ranked in the last oversubscription criteria for all primary schools. Please complete your application by the closing date to give yourself the best chance to be allocated a place at your preferred school for September 2027.

Our Schools

Key
C Community School
VA Voluntary Aided School
VC Voluntary Controlled School
A Academy
Primary and Infant Schools with a Nursery class

School	Type	Headteacher	Address	Contact	Reception Places for September 2027
Abingdon Primary School	C	Mrs S Spendlow	Abingdon Road, Reddish, SK5 7ET	0161 480 4531	30
Adswood Primary School	# A	Ms M Smart	Garners Lane, Adswood, SK3 8PQ	0161 483 5003	45
Alexandra Park Primary School	A	Mr P Brooke	Bombay Road, Edgeley, SK3 9RF	0161 480 5557	60
All Saints CE Primary School (Marple)	VC	Mrs K Noble Mrs H Morton	Brickbridge Road, Marple, SK6 7BQ	0161 427 3008	30
All Saint's CE Primary School (Stockport)	# VC	Mrs N Fox	Churchill Street, Heaton Norris, SK4 1ND	0161 510 8000	30
Arden Primary School	# C	Mrs J Dunn	Osbourne St, Bredbury, SK6 2EX	0161 430 2675	60
Banks Lane Infant School	# C	Ms E Newson Mrs L Wilkinson	Hempshaw Lane, Stockport SK1 4PR	0161 480 9252	90
Banks Lane Junior School	C	Mr E Milner	Hempshaw Lane, Stockport SK1 4PR	0161 480 2330	90
Bolshaw Primary School	A	Ms L Brown	Cross Road, Heald Green, Cheadle, SK8 3LW	0161 437 6886	30
Bradshaw Hall Primary School	# C	Mr C Bagnall	Vernon Close, Cheadle Hulme, Cheadle, SK8 6AN	0161 282 7858	60
Bramhall Park Primary School (previously Nevill Road)	# C	Mr J Whitfield	Nevill Rd, Bramhall, SK7 3ET	0161 439 4817	60
Bredbury Green Primary School	# A	Ms H Moorcroft	Clapgate, Romiley, SK6 3DG	0161 430 3078	45
Bridge Hall Primary School	# C	Ms A Jamieson	Cuddington Cres Bridge Hall, SK3 8NR	0161 480 7889	30
Broadstone Hall Primary School	# C	Mr M Taylor	Broadstone Hall Rd, Heaton Chapel, SK4 5JD	0161 432 1916	60
Brookside Primary School	C	Mr R Tavernor	Ashbourne Drive, High Lane, SK6 8DB	01663 763943	30
Cale Green Primary School	# C	Mrs S McHugh	Shaw Road, Shaw Heath, SK3 8JG	0161 480 2715	45
Cheadle Catholic Infant School	# VA	Ms P Glynn	Conway Rd, Cheadle Hulme, Cheadle, SK8 6DB	0161 485 8733	90

School	Type	Headteacher	Address	Contact	Reception Places for September 2027
Cheadle Catholic Junior School	VA	Ms R Fender	Conway Rd, Cheadle Hulme, Cheadle, SK8 6DB	0161 485 3754	90
Cheadle Heath Primary School	# C	Miss C Meekley	296 Edgeley Road, Stockport SK3 0RJ	0161 428 2476	60
Cheadle Hulme Primary School	A	Miss Laura Vose	Cheadle Road, Cheadle Hulme SK8 5GB	0161 507 5400	60
Cheadle Village Primary School	# C	Mr J Malone	Ashfield Road, Cheadle, SK8 1BB	0161 428 5026	30
Dial Park Primary School	A	Mr J Clark	Half Moon Lane, Offerton, SK2 5LB	0161 483 1445	45
Didsbury Road Primary School	# C	Mrs G Collins	Didsbury Rd, Stockport SK4 3HB	0161 432 2240	60
Etchells Primary School	# C	Mr Kelly	East Avenue, Heald Green, SK8 3DL	0161 437 1792	60
Fairway Primary School	# C	Ms Alison White	The Fairway, Offerton, SK2 5DR	0161 483 1873	30
Gatley Primary School	# A	Mrs G Norman	Hawthorn Road, Gatley, Cheadle, SK8 4NB	0161 428 6180	90
Great Moor Infant School	# C	Ms Y Dobson	Southwood Road, Great Moor, SK2 7DG	0161 483 0242	78
Great Moor Junior School	C	Ms K Bushaway	Southwood Road, Great Moor, SK2 7DG	0161 483 4987	78
Greave Primary School	C	Ms J Williams	Werneth Road, Greave, Woodley, SK6 1HR	0161 430 6318	45
Hazel Grove Primary School	# A	Mrs Natalie Turvey	Chapel Street, Hazel Grove, SK7 4JH	0161 483 3699	60
High Lane Primary School	# C	Ms A Humphries	Andrew Lane, High Lane SK6 8JQ	01663 762378	30
Hursthead Infant School	C	Miss K Grant	Kirkstead Road, Cheadle Hulme, SK8 7PZ	0161 439 2238	90
Hursthead Junior School	A	Mrs T Kendrick	Kirkstead Road, Cheadle Hulme, SK8 7PZ	0161 439 6961	90
Ladybridge Primary School	# C	Mr T Bolan Ashworth	Councillor Lane, Cheadle, SK8 2JF	0161 428 5445	30
Ladybrook Primary School	# C	Mrs C Woosnam	Gleneagles Close, Seal Road, Bramhall, SK7 2LT	0161 439 8444	30
Lane End Primary School	C	Mrs C Love	Ramillies Avenue, Cheadle Hulme, SK8 7AL	0161 485 8071	30
Lark Hill Primary School	# C	Mrs Clark (Acting Headteacher)	Northgate Road, Edgeley, SK3 9PH	0161 480 6295	30
Ludworth Primary School	C	Ms V Walker	Lower Fold, Marple Bridge, SK6 5DU	0161 427 1446	60

School	Type	Headteacher	Address	Contact	Reception Places for September 2027
Lum Head Primary School	C	Mr P Ryan	Troutbeck Road, Gatley, Cheadle, SK8 4RR	0161 428 7992	30
Meadowbank Primary School	# A	Mrs J Appleton	Councillor Lane, Cheadle, SK8 2LE	0161 428 6286	60
Mellor Primary School	# A	Ms G Parkin	Knowle Road, Mellor, SK6 5PL	0161 427 1052	30
Mersey Vale Primary School	# C	Mrs C Whitehead	Valley Rd, Heaton Mersey, SK4 2BZ	0161 442 7535	30
Moorfield Primary School	C	Mr P Anderson	Lyndhurst Avenue, Hazel Grove, SK7 5HP	0161 483 4521	60
Moss Hey Primary School	C	Ms E Messham	Eskdale Ave, Bramhall, SK7 1DS	0161 439 5114	30
Norbury Hall Primary School	# A	Ms B Wood	Shepley Drive, Hazel Grove, SK7 6LE	0161 483 1786	60
Norris Bank Primary School	A	Ms E Ponsen	Green Lane, Heaton Norris, SK4 2NF	0161 432 3944	60
North Cheshire Jewish Primary School	VA	Mr M Woolf	St Ann's Road North, Heald Green, SK8 4RZ	0161 282 4500	30
Oak Tree Primary School	C	Mrs C Slater	Queen's Road, Cheadle Hulme, SK8 5HH	0161 485 1453	90
Our Lady's Catholic Primary School	VA	Ms A Core	Old Chapel Street, Edgeley, SK3 9HX	0161 480 5345	30
Outwood Primary School	# C	Mrs J Maude	Outwood Road, Heald Green, SK8 3ND	0161 437 1715	30
Pownall Green Primary School	C	Mrs J Kersh	Bramhall Lane South, Bramhall, SK7 2EB	0161 439 1105	60
Prospect Vale Primary School	# C	Mr L Redfearn	Prospect Vale, off Brown Lane, Heald Green, SK8 3RJ	0161 437 4226	30
Queensgate Primary School	# A	Ms N Hitchcock	Albany Rd, Bramhall, SK7 1NE	0161 439 3330	30
Romiley Primary School	# A	Mr A Bassett	Sandy Lane, Romiley, SK6 4NE	0161 430 3101	60
Rose Hill Primary School	# C	Mrs S Marshall	Elmfield Drive, Marple, SK6 6DW	0161 427 9168	60
St Ambrose Catholic Primary School	VA	Mrs B Knight (Acting Headteacher)	Rostrevor Rd, Adswood, SK3 8LQ	0161 480 8466	30
St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School	VA	Ms S Jones	Gorseway, off Foliage Rd, Brinnington, SK5 8AR	0161 430 4601	30
St Christopher's Catholic Primary School	A	Ms M Waters	Warwick Rd, Romiley, SK6 3AX	0161 430 4473	30
St Elisabeth's CE Primary School	# A	Mrs A Lancashire	St Elisabeth's Way, Reddish, SK5 6BL	0161 432 5785	30
St George's CE Primary School	VA	Mrs D Grindrod	Buxton Road, Heaviley SK2 6NX	0161 480 8657	60

School	Type	Headteacher	Address	Contact	Reception Places for September 2027
St John's CE Primary School	VC	Mr A Clerc	Poplar Street, Heaton Mersey, SK4 3DG	0161 442 7424	30
St Joseph's Catholic Primary School (Stockport)	A	Mrs N Holland	Etchells Street, Stockport SK1 1EF	0161 480 5029	15
St Joseph's Catholic Primary School (Reddish)	# A	Mrs C Baron	Higginson Road, Reddish, SK5 6BG	0161 432 5689	70
Bredbury St Mark's CE Primary School	# A	Mrs E Harding	Redhouse Lane, Bredbury, SK6 1BX	0161 430 3418	30
St Mary's CE Primary School	VC	Mrs D Faryniarz	Broomfield Drive South Reddish, SK5 7DR	0161 480 4736	30
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Marple)	A	Mr J Nish	Lowry Drive, Marple Bridge, SK6 5BR	0161 427 7498	30
St Mary's RC Primary School (Stockport)	A	Mrs C Baron	Roman Rd, Heaton Norris, SK4 1RF	0161 480 5319	15
St Matthew's CE Primary School	# A	Mrs R McDonald	Bowdon Street, Edgeley, SK3 9EA	0161 474 7110	30
St Paul's CE Primary School	# VC	Miss J Harrington	Brinnington Rise, Brinnington, SK5 8AA	0161 480 5403	45
St Peter's Catholic Primary School	VA	Mr M Glynn	Carisbrooke Avenue, Hazel Grove, SK7 5PL	0161 483 2431	30
St Philip's Catholic Primary School	VA	Mrs N Holland	Half Moon Lane, Offerton, SK2 5LB	0161 483 0977	30
St Simon's Catholic Primary School	# VA	Ms R Crisp	Bosden Avenue, Hazel Grove SK7 4LH	0161 483 9696	30
St Thomas CE Primary School (Heaton Chapel)	VA	Ms L Loynes	Wellington Rd North, Heaton Chapel, SK4 4QG	0161 432 6809	90
St Thomas CE Primary School (Stockport)	# VC	Mr P Sanchez	Marriott Street, Stockport, SK1 3PJ	0161 480 4742	30
St Winifred's RC Primary School	A	Ms A Duffy	Didsbury Rd, Stockport SK4 3JH	0161 432 5782	60
Thorn Grove Primary School	# C	Ms L Vose	Woodstock Avenue, Cheadle Hulme, SK8 7LD	0161 485 1177	30
Tithe Barn Primary School	C	Ms K Muncaster	Mauldeth Rd, Heaton Moor, SK4 3NG	0161 432 4941	30
Torkington Primary School	# C	Mr A Buckler	Torkington Road, Hazel Grove, SK7 6NR	0161 483 2188	30
Vale View Primary School	C	Mrs C Smith	Mill Lane, North Reddish, SK5 6TP	0161 221 0118	60
Vernon Park Primary School	# C	Mrs C Lee / Ms C Cheetham	Peak Street, Stockport SK1 2NF	0161 480 4378	45

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Warren Wood Primary School	C	Mrs E Reyes	Turnstone Road, Offerton, SK2 5XU	0161 456 8171	60
Westmorland Primary School	# C	Mr M Henderson	Westmorland Drive, Brinnington, SK5 8HH	0161 406 9405	60
Whitehill Primary School	# C	Mr S Hall	Whitehill Street West, Heaton Norris, SK4 1PB	0161 480 2142	30
Woodford Primary School	A	Mrs E Drake	1 Saunders Roe Way, Woodford, SK7 1GX	0161 549 7100	30
Woodley Primary School	# C	Mr P Langridge	Sherwood Rd, Woodley, SK6 1LH	0161 430 6609	60

Section 1: Before you apply

This section gives you all the information you should know and things you need to do before

Think about where you want your child to go to school and talk to them before making the application. You know your child best and which school is the right school for them rather than what other people might tell you.

- It is important that you take time to read the information in this guide to help you understand how the application process works.
- Visit schools to ensure you are happy with your preferences before submitting your application.
- Look to see how many places are available in each school. This is called the Published Admission Number (PAN). This number is set to take account of the number of pupils each school can accommodate and how many places are needed in an area.
- Consider how likely it is that your child will be offered a place at your preferred schools.
- Read the oversubscription criteria for each school and look to see which apply to your child.
- **Even if your child is already in a school nursery, you must apply for a place in Reception to your home council**
- **Use all six of your preferences**.

Maximising your chance of being allocated one of your preferred schools

Apply on time

- The closing date is 15 January 2027
- All applications received after this date will be processed at a later date after the majority of places have been allocated
- A late application means you are less likely to get the school you prefer or want

Use all of your preferences

- You could disadvantage your chances if you do not use all six of your preferences
- Use one of your preferences to put your catchment area school. If you don't put it as a preference and we cannot offer you one of your other preferences, you may be allocated a school that is a long distance from home, **you will not automatically get a place at your catchment area school**.
- Each preference is considered in its own right so give yourself six separate chances
- We only look at the order of your preferences (1st, 2nd, 3rd etc.) if we are able to offer you more than one of your preferences. We will **always** allocate the highest preference

Include all relevant information

- Details of siblings who will still be at the school in September
- Any exceptional medical or social reasons that you want the school to consider

Consider your preferences carefully

- Many of our schools are heavily oversubscribed so have a look at the oversubscription criteria and see where you think your application might fit within those criteria
- Don't assume that you will be allocated a place at your closest school if you do not put it as one of your preferences.
- Don't assume anything, read this guide carefully.

Our different types of schools

There are several different types of schools in Stockport:

Community Schools - Community Schools are completely maintained by the Council, who are responsible for admission arrangements. There are currently 46 Community Primary Schools in Stockport including four infant schools and three junior schools.

Voluntary Schools – Voluntary Aided (VA) schools are maintained by the Council but the premises are owned by the Diocesan Authorities who are responsible for building improvements and repairs. There are also Voluntary Controlled (VC) schools, where the Council provides maintenance and running costs but does not own the premises. There are 11 Voluntary Aided primary schools in Stockport including one infant and one junior school. There are six Voluntary Controlled primary schools in Stockport.

Academies - Academies are publicly funded independent schools, free from Council and national government control. These schools are their own Admissions Authority and employ their own staff. There are 24 academy primary schools in Stockport including one junior school.

Free schools - Free Schools are all-ability state-funded schools set up in response to parental demand. They can be set up by a wide range of proposers, including charities, universities, businesses, educational groups, teachers and groups of parents. There are no free schools in Stockport.

Independent Schools – Independent schools are not maintained by the Council. Tuition fees are usually charged although bursary schemes may be operated. The Council does not have responsibility for these schools, or their admissions and applications should be made directly to the school.

Schools in other areas - These are schools maintained by other Councils and Stockport has no responsibility for admissions to these schools; **however, you must still apply for a place in Reception through Stockport Council if you live in Stockport.**

More information about schools

Many parents will choose to send their children to a local school; however, you may wish to find out more about some other schools before making your decision.

Each school has a website which will give you lots of information about the school.

You can find useful information on the Department for Education website (www.education.gov.uk) including Ofsted reports and school profiles.

Where to apply to

Stockport operates a co-ordinated admissions scheme. This means parents only have to complete one application. There is co-ordination between the council and other admissions authorities, and every parent who lives in Stockport receives one offer of a school place.

Parents can express a preference for up to six schools. These schools can be in or out of Stockport.

If you live outside Stockport, you should follow your home Council's application process, even if you wish to apply for a Stockport school.

Infant and Junior Schools

Stockport has four infant and four junior schools. If you apply for a Reception place at an infant school, you will need to make another application whilst your child is in Year 2 for a place in Year 3. The closing date for Year 3 junior school applications is currently 31 October every year.

If you do not wish for your child to attend the associated junior school, you will need to complete an in year transfer request to move to another primary school ahead of your child entering Year 3.

Nevill Road Infant School and Nevill Road Junior School amalgamated in September 2026 and became Bramhall Park Primary School.

Catchment areas

Most schools in Stockport have a geographical area around it called the catchment area and every address in Stockport falls within the catchment area of one primary and one secondary school. The catchment area in which the parent lives will determine which is the catchment area school. Residence in the catchment area does not guarantee a place at the school.

You can also use your postcode to find out which school's catchment area you live in by searching School catchment areas - Stockport Council. You can also use this site to look at maps of the catchment areas.

The catchment area school may not always be the nearest school (although it will be in your locality).

Some of our Catholic primary schools have oversubscription criteria based on parish boundaries and you should contact the schools for maps of these boundaries.

The law says that parents are not guaranteed a place in their catchment school, but that their application will be ranked in one of the higher oversubscription criteria of that school.

Deciding your preferences – equal preference scheme

The statutory equal preference system is used to allocate school places. This means that:

All your preferences are initially looked at individually, regardless of the order in which you have ranked the schools.

The order you have ranked your preferences becomes important when it is possible to allocate a place for your child at more than one of your preferred schools. In this instance you will be offered a place at the available school you have ranked the highest

Stockport has always maintained a consistently high rate of meeting parental preferences (over 90%) although it is very difficult to predict from year to year. Many of our schools are heavily oversubscribed which means they receive many more applications than they have places.

It is not possible to guarantee places at any school; however, the higher in the oversubscription criteria your child is in, the more chance you have of gaining a place.

The number of preferences you can make on your application is limited to six so you need to be realistic when making your preferences. If your child is unlikely to meet the criteria, you may not receive an offer at any of your preferred schools. This could happen if you don't live in the catchment area or live too far away from the schools or if you name a faith school and are not baptised in the relevant faith. So, it is very important to understand the order in which places are allocated if a school is oversubscribed by reading the admission arrangements for the school.

Although you don't have to include your catchment school in your selection, please carefully consider using one of your preferences to put your catchment school. If you don't and we cannot offer you one of your other preferences, you may be allocated a school that is a long distance from home, you will not automatically be allocated a place at your catchment school.

You don't have to use all six preferences. However, if you only put one preference, and are not offered a place at that school, you will be offered a place at the next nearest school with an available place after all other applicants have been considered.

Each of your preferences will be considered equally and separately. Putting more than one preference will not affect your chance of being offered your first preference. Schools are not told the preference of each application and they consider your child's application against their oversubscription criteria only and not according to the order of preference you put the school on your application.

You can make any changes to your application before the closing date. However, if you wish to change your preferences or you wish to change the preference order after the closing date, you will not be able to do so unless there are exceptional reasons which must be submitted in writing to admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk. The request to change should include your reasons for requesting the change and demonstrate that the circumstances giving rise to the change were not known to you before the closing date.

Details of how places were allocated are published on Stockport Council's website every year and you can view the information here Allocation of places at primary and secondary schools in Stockport - Stockport Council.

Children with special educational needs

Our schools always endeavour to meet the needs of individual children, and most will find their needs can be met within a mainstream school. Some children however may have additional needs which require additional support; for example, when children have a learning difficulty or a disability that means they find it harder to learn than other children in their age group. Children may have a range of needs, including physical or sensory difficulties, language difficulties and emotional/behavioural difficulties.

The network of services that work with schools in Stockport means that each young person's needs can be addressed with additional support to overcome the barriers they face.

Schools may not refuse to admit a child because they feel unable to cater for their special educational needs. Schools cannot refuse to admit a child on the grounds that they do not have an Education Health & Care (EHC) Plan or are currently being assessed.

There is a clear expectation that pupils with special educational needs will be included in mainstream schools. A parent's wishes to have their child with an Education, Health and Care plan educated in a mainstream school should only be refused in the small minority of cases where the child's inclusion would be incompatible with the efficient education of other children. It is Stockport Council's policy to educate children in mainstream schools, if this is the parent's wish, wherever possible.

If a pupil has a disability, the school must not treat him/her less favourably than other pupils because of the disability and must take reasonable steps to avoid putting the pupil at a substantial disadvantage compared to pupils without disability. This requirement applies to the full range of school activities in and outside the classroom. Where a pupil needs additional aids and services, these will usually be provided through the pupil's Education, Health and Care Plan. However, the requirement to take reasonable steps does not include adaptations to school buildings. There is an expectation that, over time, schools and the Council will increase physical access for disabled pupils. However, to make all schools physically accessible will take a long time and therefore the Authority has adopted a policy of making a number of schools accessible, with at least one school in each area, adapted to meet the needs of physically disabled pupils.

If a pupil requires or is likely to require in the future, wheelchair access or specialist facilities such as a disabled toilet or changing facilities, a place will usually be provided in one of the designated schools.

The process of allocating a Reception place for children with Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCP) is different from children who do not have an EHC Plan. You should contact Stockport's EHCP Team to discuss the transition arrangements for your child. You do not need to apply via the normal application process. Children still going through the statutory assessment process (without a finalised EHCP) must follow the same online application procedure as that set out for other children.

There is lots more information for parents / carers on Stockport's local offer which you can find here https://www.stockport.gov.uk/showcase/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities-send-local-offer

Deferred entry to primary school

Deferring entry cannot be done without first applying and being allocated the school place within the normal timescale appropriate to the child's date of birth.

Parents have a right to defer their child's entry to primary school. A child's entry to primary education as described above can be deferred if the child is under compulsory school age, without loss of the allocated full time place.

A full time place can be deferred up to the term following the child's fifth birthday, however, not beyond the academic year for which the original application was accepted. Parents also have a right to have their child attend on a part time basis until the child reaches compulsory school age.

A request to defer entry should be made in writing at the time of application and in conjunction with the Headteacher.

Summer born children

If your child was born between 1 April and 31 August, you have a right to delay their reception start date until the September after their fifth birthday.

For Stockport Council schools, you should make your choice known to the Council. If the school is an academy or has Voluntary Aided status, they will consider your request, but you should still apply to the Council so that we can coordinate the request.

A summer-born child request is different to deferred entry which allows you to delay starting until the first term after their fifth birthday, which is either January or Easter. Such requests should be submitted directly to the school the child has been offered a place at, after offer day.

Before making a summer-born child request, you must apply for a reception place for the child's chronological year group.

Considerations you should make before submitting a summer born request

A Parent/ guardian's decision to make a summer born request should be one that is informed and carefully considered. Children develop at varying speeds and Parents/ guardians may discover that admitting their child outside of their chronological year group will only solve short-term issues and may not be beneficial in the long-term.

Reception is a continuation of the same early years provision provided in Nursery. Before submitting a summer born request, Parents/ guardians are encouraged to visit their preferred school and discuss their wishes with the Headteacher and see what provision is currently in place for Reception children.

The school will be able to give details of how they can meet the needs of summer born children without them having to be admitted outside of their chronological year group. The school may also be able to give peace of mind to Parents/ guardians who are concerned about whether their child is ready to start school.

Parents/ guardians should also discuss their wishes with their current childcare provider and any medical professionals involved with their child to get their opinion on whether they feel the child would benefit from being admitted to Reception outside of their chronological year group.

Requests are made to the Admissions Authority and considered on an individual case basis taking into account:

- The views and wishes of the parent
- The views of the prospective Headteacher/Governing Body
- Evidence indicating academic, social and emotional development to date
- Where relevant, the child's medical history
- Whether the child has previously been educated out of age group

All requests will be considered based on the information provided, the Admissions Authority reserves the right to request further information or request that the child is assessed by the school's Headteacher.

You may find it useful to refer to the Department for Education's advice for parents/ carers considering a summer born request for their child:
https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/summer-born-children-school-admission

If your request is accepted or refused, the Council will communicate the decision to you in writing. Where possible this will be done before national offer day (16 April)

If your request is accepted

If your request is accepted, it does not mean that your child has been granted a place. It is an agreement that we will consider your application for a school place outside of the normal admissions timetable.

On national offer day (16 April), if your child has been offered a place at one of your preferred school(s) for which your summer born request has been accepted for, you will have the following options:

- Accept the place that has been offered in the chronological year group
- Decline the place and make an application for the following September's intake, which would open on 15 August. Please note, the offer of the place will not be upheld for the next intake and the new application will be assessed accordingly against the school's oversubscription criteria.

If you choose to decline the place offered, you can make an application for a nursery place. Your child may not necessarily be able to stay at their current nursery if they have no places available in their nursery class.

If the request is accepted but your application for a reception place is denied, your child may not be given a summer born reception place at another school, if the Admissions Authority for the school is not the Admissions Authority that accepted your summer born request.

If your request is declined, you will have the following options:

- Accept the Reception place offered for your child to start school with their normal age group

- Decline the placed offered and make an in-year application for Year 1 for the next school year.

Whichever year group your child enters, they will need to start full-time if they have reached compulsory school age. Any decision made by the Admissions Authority regarding your summer born request is final. There will be no right to appeal against the year group in which your child has been offered a place

How to submit a summer born request

Please visit this link for further information and to complete a request: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/summer-born-children

We can only accept requests for schools in Stockport. If the school is in another area, you should submit a summer born request to the relevant Council.

All requests will be considered based on the information provided, the Admissions Authority reserves the right to request further information or request that the child is assessed by the school's Headteacher.

YOUR PREFERENCES AND CATCHMENT AREA SCHOOLS

Although you don't have to include your catchment area school in your selection, carefully consider using one of your preferences to put your catchment area school.

If you don't and we cannot offer you one of your other preferences, you may be allocated a school that is a long distance from home.

You will not automatically get a place at your catchment area school.

Remember to apply by 15 January 2027

Every year some applicants miss out on the opportunity to be allocated a place at their preferred school because they miss the closing date.

Applications received after the closing date are the last criteria to be considered for places.

Section 2 – Making your application

This section gives you information to help you complete your application. Please read it carefully

The admissions process for primary schools is co-ordinated which means that all Councils work together to make sure the process is similar for all parents, regardless of where they live or which school they wish to apply for.

If you live in Stockport and your child is due to start Reception in September 2027, you must apply using the online system available at www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions. The online system is available from 1 September 2026 and closes at midnight on 15 January 2027.

Applying online

The parent portal

- If you do not already have a parent portal account, you will need to register online at: https://education.stockport.gov.uk/Synergy/
- If you don't already have an email address, you will need to create one before you can register
- Please keep your log in details safe as you will need them to log into your account to see the outcome of your application on national offer day
- Once you have registered, you will receive an email with a link you must click in order to verify your email address
- If you already have a parent portal account, you will need to sign into it. If you have forgotten your password you will need to reset it

If the schools you wish to apply for are not listed on the portal, you must contact the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team on admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk before 11:59pm on 15 January 2027, otherwise your application will be considered late.

You will receive an acknowledgement email once you have submitted your application. If you do not receive an acknowledgment email, please contact the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team as soon as possible .

What you need to do when completing the online application

- You will need to answer questions about your child including their name, address, date of birth
- You will need to provide your contact details, including your email address and phone number as well confirmation of your relationship to the child
- Decide which six schools you would most like your child to attend and decide your order of preference
- Include details of any exceptional medical and social needs on the online form. Supporting documents should be uploaded to your application or you can send them to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team on

admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk. Please write your child's name and date of birth on all documents.

- You will need to confirm your child's religion if you are applying for a denominational school
- You may need to enclose a supplementary information form for each Roman Catholic / Church of England school you are applying for, if applicable and return to each relevant school. **Before applying you should check whether your preferred schools require you to provide any additional information and who you should send it to. Stockport Council will not automatically forward information you provide for schools in other Council areas and you may need to send it yourself. Please check the admission criteria carefully for information.**
- If your child will have a sibling on roll at a school at the time of admission you should include the sibling details to ensure that your application is placed in the correct oversubscription criteria

You can change your application at any time up to the closing date by logging back into your account, but you must remember to resubmit it every time you make a change. You will not be able to make any changes after the closing date.

If you don't have access to the internet, free internet access and access to computers is available in Stockport Libraries.

If you experience any technical difficulties when making your application, contact the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team

Your home address

For the purpose of allocating school places in Stockport, only one address can be used and the address to be used should be the principal parental home address. Parents/ carers cannot, for example use:

- a child minder's address, the address of a grandparent or anyone else who may provide childcare
- a property they own but do not live in as the principal parental home, this would include business properties with living accommodation

Determining a child's principal parental address

Where parents have shared responsibility for a child, the place of residency will be determined as the address where the child lives for the majority of the week (e.g., where the child wakes up the majority of mornings each week). Full details must be submitted in writing to enable the Local Authority to determine which address will be used for the purpose of admission.

Where care is shared jointly, and it is not possible to determine which parent is the principal carer the Council will consider the following information to decide on a main address for the child:

- Address to which child benefit is claimed
- Address held by child's current School or Nursery
- Child's registered GP address
- Child's registered dentist address
- Any other documentation indicating the child's registered address

In the instance that further information is received regarding a conflict to the principal parental address of a child which has been provided, the Local Authority have the right to request both parent/ carers to provide proof of the child's residency at the address.

Moving house during the admissions process

If you move address after you have applied, you must notify the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team as soon as possible as this may have an impact on your application. You should email the team on admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk.

Changes of address must be notified to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team by no later than 8 March 2027 for primary school applications to be considered by national offer day. All notifications must include proof of house move for example, a completion statement, tenancy agreement, council tax bill and confirmation of disposal of previous property. Changes of address notified to Stockport Council after these dates will not be considered when allocating places before the relevant national offer day. School places cannot be allocated on the basis of an intended change of address.

Parental responsibility

For the purpose of allocating school places parental responsibility is taken into account.

The definition of a 'parent' in education law is wider than just those with parental responsibility. The definition of a parent is defined in section 576 of the Education Act 1996. This can include all natural parents whether they have parental responsibility or not, other people who have acquired parental responsibility by court order or anyone else who has care of a child such as another family member.

Resolving parental disputes and multiple applications

Anyone with parental responsibility for a child can make an application for a school place, however, only one application in each admission round can be considered for a child. Parent/ carers should agree on a set of preferences before submitting one application for the child.

In circumstances where two applications are made for one child (and applications differ), both parents will be contacted and asked to confirm which application should be processed and which should be withdrawn.

In circumstances where parent/ carers cannot come to an agreement:

- Where a principal parental address can be determined, the applicant residing at the child's principal parental home will be the application that is processed, and the other application will be withdrawn.
- Where the principal parental address cannot be determined, then neither application will be considered, and the Local Authority will contact parents asking them to agree a single application to go forward for processing and provide a deadline for the final application to be confirmed.

In cases where parents cannot agree on the preferences for their child they should endeavour to do so as soon as possible. If mutual agreement is not possible, ultimately, a Specific Issues Order from the court may need to be obtained. If an agreement on a valid application form to be processed is not received, both applications will not continue to be processed until an agreement is made or a court order is provided.

Where the Council has a duty to offer a child a school place, any school with places available will be randomly selected and offered. This will not be any of the preferences expressed and may be considerable distance from either home.

School and local authority staff must treat all parents equally, unless a court order limits a parent's ability to make educational decisions, participate in school life or receive information about their child.

Fraudulent applications

Any attempt to obtain a school place by using a false or intentionally misleading address is taken very seriously. Admissions Fraud is:

- Declaring you live at an address which neither the Child or Principal parent lives at
- Misrepresenting your childcare arrangements including custody, contact and those who have parental responsibility.
- False claims about a child's religion, their siblings or public care status

In all cases of suspected fraud, we will investigate the circumstances and where we find that the place has been obtained fraudulently, we may withdraw the place even if your child has already started at the school. Whilst we investigate, we may suspended your application and use other information available to us for example, council tax records. We will ask you to provide evidence of your circumstances within a set timeframe and make a decision based on this.

Looked After Children (LAC) and Previously Looked After Children (PLAC) – known as Cared for Children in Stockport

The School Admissions Code 2021 requires that schools' oversubscription criteria must give priority to looked after children and all previously looked after children, including those 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. Previously looked after children are children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted (or became subject to a child arrangements order or special guardianship order). (See Section 1.7 of the School Admission Code). All references to previously looked after children in these admission arrangements mean such children who were adopted (or subject to child arrangements orders or special guardianship orders) immediately following having been looked after and those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. Parents/carers of all previously looked after children will need to provide a photocopy of the relevant order or proof of adoption with the application form. You can upload proof with your online application if you wish to be considered under this criterion.

Admission of children of UK service personnel and crown servants

Stockport Council acknowledges that service families are subject to movement within the UK and from abroad. The Council is not able to reserve places but will consider requests and allocate places in advance of the move provided the application is accompanied by an official letter declaring a relocation date. A Unit or quartering address can be used if evidence of the intended address is not provided. For in year admissions, places will be allocated, subject to a place being available in the relevant year group, prior to moving. If we are unable to allocate a place at that time, parents will be offered the right to appeal.

Your reasons for applying for each of your preferences

You are able to give reasons for each of your preferences. We need you to give us this information so that the Council or school governors can correctly apply their oversubscription criteria. Schools can only use their published admission criteria to decide which children qualify for a place. This means it may not be possible to consider some of your reasons for your preference. However, you should give any reasons that are detailed in your preferred school's criteria such as a sibling link, faith claim or exceptional grounds where applicable.

Siblings (brothers and sisters)

A sibling for the purpose of allocating a school place means one who is still attending the school at the time the child starts.

The sibling must be of statutory school age (Reception to Year 5)

Sibling refers to brother or sister, half brother or sister, adopted brother or sister or the child of the parent/carer's partner, where the child for whom the school place is sought is living in the same family unit at the same address as that sibling. This means that step or half brothers and sisters will be treated as siblings if they are living together, but full brothers and sisters living apart will not qualify.

Where there are applications for twins, or other multiple births, and one child is allocated the last place at a school but there are not enough places for all the children within the Published Admission Number of the school, the Admission Authority will exceed the PAN to provide a place for all the children of the multiple birth. However, if one child is placed at a school outside of the oversubscription criteria, e.g. the school is named on an EHCP, then other siblings of multiple birth will not be admitted over PAN and will follow the normal admission process.

Some schools may have their own definition of siblings in their admission arrangements so please ensure you read the admission arrangements for your preferred schools carefully.

Additional information you may need to provide

You should check the criteria for the schools you are applying for so you know if you have to provide any additional information, such as a baptism certificate. You can upload additional information to your online application or you can email it to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team on admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk or you may need to send it directly to the school.

Applying for a school with religious character

Many schools with a religious character will have oversubscription criteria that relate to this for example giving a higher priority for those of the school's faith.

If you are applying for a Stockport Catholic school, you will be asked if your child has been Baptised Catholic or not. You should only answer YES if your child's Baptism has actually taken place. An intention to have your child Baptised Catholic at a later date will not be considered. You will need to provide proof of your child's baptism to the school you are applying for. You can also upload it to the online admissions system when you make your application.

Highly exceptional medical and / or social reasons

You will have the opportunity to give your reasons for applying for a particular school, however, no places can be guaranteed at any school and parents should not make assumptions about entitlement to a place.

In very limited circumstances some applications may be considered as having highly exceptional medical/social reasons.

If an Admissions Authority includes this in their oversubscription criteria it should be made clear how applications will be considered. Stockport Council has included an oversubscription criteria for highly exceptional medical/reasons for its schools and in very limited circumstances, some applications may be considered as having highly exceptional medical/social reasons. In such instances, successful applications would be placed higher in the admissions oversubscription criteria for a particular school.

Where applicants feel this may be the case, they **must** indicate this by ticking the boxes provided on the application form and state the nature of the condition and/or circumstances. The applicant must provide written evidence from a recognised professional such as, but not limited to a consultant, doctor or social worker in support of their application. The supporting evidence must relate specifically to the child or family and the school for which the application is being made and must clearly demonstrate why it is the only school that could cater for the child's specific requirements/needs.

It should also explain any difficulties that would arise if the child had to attend an alternative school. Any supporting evidence you have **must** be submitted to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team **by the closing date 15 January 2027**. If you do not provide evidence by this date, **it will not be considered.**

Very few applications are considered under this criteria in any one year, those that have been, have for example, been situations related to the recent sudden death or terminal illness of a parent or similar life changing/traumatic event.

A panel of Officers or Governors if relevant will consider the evidence given in the application and whether this is appropriate/ relevant for the particular school (and not just why a child shouldn't attend a different school). The panel does not have to accept any recommendations made in the evidence.

The panel will need to decide whether it shows that the needs of the child can only be met at the specific school. The panel expects the evidence to show why other schools would not be able to meet this need.

The panel will keep in mind that all Stockport schools are able to support children with special educational needs and are expected to manage most medical needs. This means it is unlikely that an application made only on these reasons would be successful.

An application with medical evidence may be agreed under this criterion where a child has an exceptional illness or disability (for example, limited mobility) which means that, in the opinion of the Panel, the child can only reasonably attend one school. If the Panel feels that the child's needs could be met by other schools, they will not agree the application.

An application with social evidence may be agreed under this criterion where a child's education would, in the opinion of the Panel, be seriously affected if they did not go to a particular school. This must be clearly shown in the supporting evidence.

A parent's place of work, childcare arrangements or a family connection with the school is not sufficient reason alone for agreeing an application. However, they may be taken into account if there are other reasons as well.

If the parent has applied for more than one school, the Panel will look at each application separately and make a decision.

Where the Panel agrees a child's application meets the threshold, it will be considered under the exceptional needs rule during the allocation of school places. However, an agreed application does not guarantee a place at the school.

The School Places, Admissions and Transport Team will not:

- respond to applicants who have included reasons for a particular preference
- seek further clarification of stated circumstances or contact any party which the applicant may suggest.

Children of staff

Unless otherwise stated in individual school admission arrangements children of staff at the school is defined as:

Children of staff who have been employed at the school for a minimum of two years or are offering a shortage subject/area

Under this criterion, the word staff means all staff that have been continuously employed by the school for a period of at least two years for the purpose of working in the school as follows:

- All full time teaching staff
- All full time support staff – defined as those on a 37 week and above contract
- All part time teaching staff with a 45% and above timetable
- All part time support staff who work at least 15 hours per week for 37 weeks or more.

The definition does not include contract staff or peripatetic staff. If a service has been 'in house' and is subsequently 'contracted out' children of staff will no longer be eligible for consideration under this criterion.

Shortage subject / area applies where the member of staff has been recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage. This must be evidenced by the school having to advertise the post more than once without successful recruitment, or where there is national evidence of a shortage in that subject (for example, STEM subjects, languages or SEND specialist) or role (for example senior leadership or school support staff)

Stockport Council will ask Headteachers to verify that an application meets the above definition.

Declaration

You must declare on your application that you have parental responsibility for the child you are applying for and the address on the application is the main residence of the child. If you provide any false or misleading information on the application or in supporting papers, or withhold relevant information, it may render your application invalid and lead to the withdrawal of an offer of a place.

Submitting your application

The closing date for receipt of your application is 15 January 2027.

Before you submit your application please check that you:

- are familiar with the oversubscription criteria for each school you are applying for
- are clear on the order you want to list the schools you are applying for
- think carefully about naming a school where your child is unlikely to qualify for a place and
- do not disadvantage your child by listing only one preference
- have used all six preferences as this will increase your chances of obtaining a place for your child at one of your preferred schools
- considered including your catchment area school as one of your preferences

Amending/ reviewing online applications

If you re-visit your online account for any reason, to make changes or just to review it, you must re-submit your application in order for it to be processed.

If your address/circumstances change

If the details you have submitted on your application change at any time you **must** inform the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team **immediately.** All changes will be assessed according to the oversubscription criteria for each school you have named. Changes of address must be notified to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team by no later than 8 March 2027 for primary school applications to be considered by national offer day.

Verification of information

The Council may verify information you have provided on the application form, which could involve contacting other departments of the Council or other Councils who maintain appropriate records. In instances where the information provided is different from that held by them, they may use the information on the application form.

Data Protection Act and General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

The online system is a secure system that has several security features to prevent unauthorised people from being able to see your information. We primarily use your data for school admissions. All information is processed in accordance with our school admissions privacy notice. We never sell your data to third parties or use it to market to you without your consent.

Late applications

Applications received after the closing date of 15 January 2027, even by one day, will be treated as a late application. The Council will only accept applications received after the deadline if there is an exceptional circumstance for doing so. Late applications made without a genuine and good reason will be considered until at least two weeks after national offer day, 16 April 2027. Applications received after the closing date will be in the last oversubscription criteria and placed on waiting lists for each school, regardless of whether you live in the catchment area of the school and/ or have siblings at the school.

Parents or carers who apply late may miss out on a place at their preferred school. Applications received after the closing date without a genuine reason can only be considered for any of the remaining places available after the on-time applications had been processed. This designation as being 'received after the closing date' will remain up to and including 14 calendar days follow the relevant national offer day after which point the designation will be removed resulting in a reassessment according to the published oversubscription criteria.

If your preferred school has any places remaining, your child will be considered for these places along with any other late applications. Otherwise, your child's name will be added to the school's waiting list until 31 December 2027, along with those unsuccessful applications considered in the initial allocation round.

Section 3 How places are allocated

This section gives you information on how places are allocated

Oversubscription criteria

All schools must have a method of allocating school places in case there are more applications for the school than there are places available, up to the Published Admission Number (PAN). Regulations require that places are provided for pupils who have an Education, Health & Care Plan which names the school and has also determined that looked after children and previously looked after children must be given the highest priority in Admissions arrangements criteria.

Following this the Admissions Authority can determine the order in which pupils are taken into the school this is known as the oversubscription criteria. Details of all the criteria used to allocate places can be found in section 5.

Published Admission Numbers (PANs) and in year admissions limit

All schools must have a PAN for their normal intake year (Reception, Year 3 and Year 7). This is the number of places the school has planned to provide. Once places have been allocated up to the PAN the year group will be considered as full.

The PAN is the minimum number of places available for the normal round intake and that entire academic year. If there is higher demand and a school has sufficient capacity and resource, it may reorganise or take an additional class or form of entry above the PAN. Published admission numbers can be increased without consultation if circumstances allow but cannot easily be reduced.

After the intake year, it becomes the in-year admissions limit which can change without consultation. While there is an expectation that the number of places available is the same, the in-year admissions limit can rise or fall depending on the school's circumstances. A school that had planned to operate with 3 classes in a year group may only have demand for 2 classes and so could reduce the in-year admissions limit. Schools can make these decisions to ensure that they are making efficient and effective use of resources.

In-year admissions limits can be reviewed at the end of each academic year or earlier if necessary and apply to individual year groups. In year admissions limits can be different for different year groups. The current circumstances at the school such as a significant proportion of the site being out of use due to Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete will also be considered.

Making decisions

Whilst every effort will be made to place your child in one of your preferred schools, no places can be guaranteed. If your first preference cannot be offered and you have not indicated another option, your child will be allocated the nearest school with a place available. Unfortunately, this may not necessarily be in your immediate locality.

Each one of your preferences is treated as a separate application regardless of the order you have listed them in. Stockport Council will share your child's details to each school/Admissions Authority. All on-time applications will be considered at the same time. Schools will not be told which preference number they are or which other schools you have applied for.

If you have listed a voluntary aided school or academy we send your application details to the relevant school as the school governors decide who should be offered places. If a school receives more applications than they have places available, the school will use its oversubscription criteria to rank and determine which applicants can receive an offer. This information is then returned to Stockport Council and matched against the applicant's list of preferences.

If you have listed a school in another Council area, the application will be sent to the Council for processing. All decisions are shared and exchanged across all Councils through the Co-ordination Scheme.

If you have listed a community school, the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team will apply the council's oversubscription criteria if there are more applications than available places.

If more than one of your preferred schools can offer your child a place, we will offer a place at the one which is ranked highest. If only one preferred school can offer your child a place, this is the place you will be offered. If a place cannot be offered at any of the preferred schools, a place will be offered the next nearest school with places available.

Your child's name is automatically added to the waiting list of the preferred schools higher than the school we have offered. You will receive only one offer of a school place for each child.

Distance measurement

For the purpose of allocating school places, distances will be measured consistently and will be measured to three decimal places as a straight line (as the crow flies) between the Council's Local Land and Property Gazetteer (LLPG) address points for the respective home address and the school, using the Easting and Northing for each address point. The Easting and Northing gives a fixed point on the school site and everybody is measured to the same point of the school. Applicants will be ordered starting with those living closer to the school within each of the appropriate oversubscription criteria.

For the purpose of determining eligibility for free school travel the shortest available walking route is used to measure distance. The Free School Travel policy can be viewed at https://www.stockport.gov.uk/travel-to-school.

Tie-Breaker

If a school is oversubscribed within any of the criteria, priority will be given to those children living nearest to the school. In the event of distances being the same for two or more applications where this distance would be the last place/s to be allocated, the place will be allocated to the pupil that is nearer using walking distance as measured using the local authority's school admissions data mapping software. In the event of two or more applications with distances, which are exactly the same competing for a final place, e.g. blocks of flats, the place will be decided by drawing lots, the first name drawn will be offered the place.

The online system will close at midnight on 15 January 2027 – remember to apply by this date.

The online system will reopen after the closing dates to enable parents/ carers to make a late application which will be considered as detailed in this guide.

YOUR PREFERENCES AND CATCHMENT AREA SCHOOLS

Although you don't have to include your catchment area school in your selection, carefully consider using one of your preferences to put your catchment area school.

If you don't and we cannot offer you one of your other preferences, you may be allocated a school that is a long distance from home.

You will not automatically get a place at your catchment area school.

Section 4 What happens after decisions have been made

This section gives you information on the outcome of your application and what happens next

National offer day

In 2027, national offer day for primary places is 16 April 2027. If you live in Stockport and applied on time, you will receive an email with your allocation on that day. You can also log into your online account to view your allocation. If your application was late, you will receive your offer at a later date. You will only receive an offer of one school place. If you live in another Council area, you will receive your offer directly from them.

If you've been offered your first choice
We'll email you with details of the offer made to your child. The school that has been offered to your child will send a welcome pack over the summer term. The welcome pack gives you information about what you need to do next.

If you have not been offered your first choice
We'll email you with information about the school place that has been offered. The email will include information about:

- How to accept or tell us you no longer need the school place that has been offered
- Your child being placed on a waiting list for your preferred choice school

Accepting your offer of a school place

Stockport Council does not ask you to formally accept an allocated place at a Stockport school. If you have been allocated a place at a school in another Council area, they may ask you to accept your place and you should check with that Council what their procedure is.

Appeals

Parents/ carers of children refused a place at any of their preferred schools have the right to appeal against the decision to an Independent Appeal Panel. A parent cannot appeal more than once for the same school place in the same academic year, unless significant and material changes in the case have taken place which the previous Independent Appeal Panel could not have been aware of at the time of the hearing. More details about our appeal process can be found on our website https://www.stockport.gov.uk/admission-appeals/school-admissions-how-to-appeal.

If your request for a place at a particular school has been turned down, you will be offered an alternative. If, however, you wish to appeal against the decision, you can do so by completing an appeal form online at www.stockport.gov.uk/admissionappeals .

If you would like a PDF copy of the appeal form to return via email or post, please contact the appeals team in Democratic Services at admission.appeals@stockport.gov.uk.

Appeals for admission to Reception in September will be heard from June to July. Appeals cannot be heard over the summer holidays. Where possible, the Panel will hear all appeals for the same

school before coming to any decisions. If you are appealing before your child is due to start primary school, it is important that you register your appeal as soon as possible to ensure that a decision is made well before the start of the new school year in September. The deadline to submit an appeal that is guaranteed to be heard before the summer holiday is 16 May 2027. Any appeal application submitted after this date may not be allocated a hearing until September 2027.

The date of the hearing will be arranged by the Secretary to the Independent Appeals Panel who will give you at least fourteen calendar days' notice via email of the date and time of the appeal.

Approximately seven school days before the appeal, the Admissions Authority will provide the parent with a statement of the reasons why a place has not been offered.

Your appeal will be heard by an Independent Appeals Panel consisting of three volunteers including at least one 'lay person', in an informal atmosphere and will be conducted in such a way as to put you at ease. The meeting is held remotely via Microsoft Teams and all information is treated in confidence. A representative of the Admissions Authority will attend to explain why a place has not been allocated at your preferred school. All appeals are determined on their individual merits.

A parent cannot appeal more than once for the same school place in the same academic year, unless significant and material changes in the case have taken place which the previous Independent Appeal Panel could not have been aware of at the time of the hearing.

The decision of the independent appeal panel is binding on the school and the Admissions Authority.

For entry into Reception in September 2026, across England 1% of primary appeals were successful. Appeal outcomes for September 2026 in Stockport:

Appeals	Number heard for September 2026	Number of successful appeals	% successful appeals
Primary allocation	37	1	2.7%

Infant Class Size Appeals- Additional Information

If your child has been refused a place at a Primary or Infant school on the grounds of Infant Class Size (ICS) prejudice, there are strict guidelines around infant classes and an appeal is different to a normal prejudice appeal. The School Admission Appeals Code (2022) provides information regarding the limited circumstances under which an ICS appeal can be upheld. This additional information will allow you to make an informed decision about whether you wish to make an ICS appeal.

What is ICS legislation?
The law limits the size of an infant class (Reception and Years 1 & 2) to a maximum of 30 pupils per teacher with exceptions for certain limited categories of children. If the school refuses your child a place because admitting them would breach this limit, then you would have an infant class size appeal.

In an infant class size appeal, a panel will only uphold the appeal if it finds one of these conditions apply:

- the admission of an additional child would not breach the infant class size limit.

- the school's admission arrangements were unlawful, or were not properly applied, and the child would have been offered a place at the school if the arrangements had been lawful or had been properly applied.
- the decision to refuse admission was not one that a reasonable admission authority would have made in the circumstances of the case.

To find a decision to be unreasonable, the panel would need to be satisfied that the decision to refuse admission was 'perverse in the light of the admission arrangements'. In other words, the panel believes that no reasonable admission authority considering the matter could have come to the same decision.

School waiting lists

Waiting lists are organised and ranked in the oversubscription criteria order that applies for each school. Every time a child is added to the list, it is reordered according to the oversubscription criteria and so you may find your child moving down the list as well as up. This can happen frequently:

- If a child higher on the waiting list is offered and accepts a place, others move up.
- If a child declines a place or moves away, others may move up.
- If a new application is received and the child meets a higher category (e.g. having a sibling on roll at the school), they may be ranked above existing applicants
- If a child already on the waiting list has a change of circumstances meaning they now fall into a higher category

You should be able to see your child's position on the waiting list via the online portal after they have been published after 14 May 2027. Waiting list positions are updated on the online portal on a weekly basis. If you are unable to see your waiting list position on the portal, you can email the School Admissions Team on admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk.

The names of children who were not allocated a place at their preferred school will be kept on a waiting list until 31 December 2027. If a place becomes available at that school during that period, you will be contacted and given the opportunity to accept the place. At the end of December, the waiting lists will be cleared, and the normal in-year admissions process will take over, any parents wishing to have their child's name included on the waiting list for the remainder of the academic year will need to re-apply.

A child granted a place at a school by the Independent Appeal Panel or other permitted exception under the School Admissions Code will count as an allocated place above the PAN of the school. This will influence the availability of places accordingly i.e. places will not be offered from the waiting list of a particular school until the number of children allocated falls below the PAN.

If a child has been refused a place at a school in another Council, please check with the school for their waiting list arrangements.

Starting school

The school where your child is offered a place will invite you to visit the school before the end of the summer term 2027. You will have the opportunity to look around the school and to discuss questions such as school uniform, travel arrangements, meals and possible financial help. By the

start of the summer holidays, the arrangements for your child's transfer to a new school should have been completed so they can look forward to starting there in September.

After your child has started at their new school

If you are unhappy with your child's school, you should initially contact the school and make an appointment to discuss the problems with the Headteacher. Moving schools can cause a great deal of disruption to a young person and it is important to ensure that all avenues have been explored before taking this step as a last resort. If you still wish to go ahead with the transfer, please visit our website for further information on changing schools during the school year: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/changing-schools-during-school-year

If you have any further questions that are not answered in this guide, please check our website www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions

If you still have questions, you can call our Frontline Team in the Contact Centre on 0161 217 6022.

The online system will close at midnight on 15 January 2027 – remember to apply by this date.

The online system will reopen after the closing dates to enable parents/ carers to make a late application which will be considered as detailed in this guide.

Section 5 School admission arrangements

This section explains what admission arrangements are and the oversubscription criteria for every school

The determined admission arrangements for a school are the full set of arrangements which set out how a school will admit pupils. This includes the published admission number (the maximum number of pupils intended to be admitted to the relevant year group), the oversubscription criteria and information on waiting lists. You are advised to read the full arrangements for all your preferred schools before you complete your application. The full admission arrangements can be found on the relevant school website or by using the links for individual schools in this section.

Admission arrangements for new academy status schools

Admission Arrangements are set approximately 18 months in advance. Schools having recently attained academy status should continue to use the current admission arrangements and associated oversubscription criteria until they have consulted upon and subsequently adopted their relevant academy admission arrangements.

Details of how places were allocated in previous years are published on Stockport Council's website every year and you can view the information here Allocation of places at primary and secondary schools in Stockport - Stockport Council

YOUR PREFERENCES AND CATCHMENT AREA SCHOOLS

Although you don't have to include your catchment area school in your selection, carefully consider using one of your preferences to put your catchment area school.
you don't and we cannot offer you one of your other preferences, you may be allocated a school that is a long distance from home.

You will not automatically get a place at your catchment area school.

Abingdon Primary School
Abingdon Road
Reddish
SK5 7ET

0161 480 4531
admin@abingdon.stockport.sch.uk
https://www.abingdon.stockport.sch.uk/

Headteacher Mrs S Spendlow
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Adswood Primary School
Garners Lane
Adswood
SK3 8PQ

0161 483 5003
headteacher@adswood-pri.stockport.sch.uk
https://www.adswood-pri.stockport.sch.uk/

Headteacher Ms M Smart
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
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School admission documents - Stockport Council

Alexandra Park Primary School
Bombay Road
Edgeley
SK3 9RF

0161 480 5557
joanne.lockett@alexandraparkprimary.uk
https://www.alexandrapark-pri.stockport.sch.uk/

Headteacher Mr P Brooke
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Admissions - Alexandra Park Primary School - Care, Aspire, Achieve

All Saints CE Primary School
Brickbridge Road
Marple
SK6 7BQ

0161 427 3008
schooladmin@allsaints-pri.stockport.sch.uk
http://www.allsaints-pri.stockport.sch.uk/stockport/primary/allsaints-pri

Headteacher Mrs H Morton and Mrs K Noble
Type of School Voluntary Controlled
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

All Saints CE Primary School (Stockport)
Churchill Street
Heaton Norris
SK4 1ND

0161 510 8000
https://www.allsaints.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@allsaints.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs N Fox
Type of School Voluntary Controlled
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Arden Primary School
Osborne Street
Bredbury
SK6 2EX

0161 430 2675
admin@arden-primary.co.uk
https://arden.stockport.sch.uk/

Headteacher Mrs J Dunn
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Banks Lane Infant School
Hempshaw Lane
Stockport
SK1 4PR

0161 480 9252
headteacher@bankslane-inf.stockport.sch.uk
https://www.bankslaneinfants.org.uk/

Headteacher Mrs E Newson & Mrs L Wilkinson
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Bolshaw Primary School
Cross Road
Heald Green
Cheadle,
SK8 3LW

0161 437 6886
https://www.bolshaw.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@bolshaw.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms L Brown
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.bolshaw.stockport.sch.uk/page/admissions/60177

Bradshaw Hall Primary School
Vernon Close
Cheadle Hulme
Cheadle
SK8 6AN

0161 282 7858
https://www.bradshawhall.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@bradshawhall.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr C Bagnall
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Bramhall Park Primary School
(formerly Nevill Road Infant and Junior Schools)
Nevill Rd
Bramhall
SK7 3ET

0161 439 4817
admin@bramhallparkstockport.sch.uk
www.bramhallpark.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr J Whitfield
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Bredbury Green Primary School
Clapgate
Romiley
SK6 3DG

0161 430 3078
https://bredburygreenprimary.com/
admin@bredburygreenprimary.com

Headteacher Ms H Moorcroft
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

NB: Categories A – F refer to applications received by the closing date: 15th January 2027
A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight-line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://bredburygreenprimary.com/school-information/school-admissions

Bredbury St Mark's CofE Primary School
Redhouse Lane
Bredbury
SK6 1BX

0161 430 3418

https://www.st-marks.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-marks.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs E Harding
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Looked after children and children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted (or became subject to a child arrangements, residence order or special guardianship order).
2. Children with exceptional medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this academy.
3. Children who live in the catchment area and who have a sibling currently attending the academy who will still be attending the following year.
4. Children who live in the catchment area.
5. Children who live outside the catchment area and who have a sibling currently attending the academy who will still be attending the following year.
6. Children who live closest to the academy as measured in a straight line from child's home address or the main entrance of the block of flats they reside in to the nearest entrance of the school, using the Local Authority's computerised measuring system. In the event of a tie break a lottery overseen by an independent body will be undertaken.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Bredbury St Mark's CE Primary School: Admissions

Bridge Hall Primary School
Cuddington Cres
Bridge Hall,
SK3 8NR

0161 480 7889
https://www.bridgehall.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@bridgehall.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms A Jamieson
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Broadstone Hall Primary School
Broadstone Hall Rd
Heaton Chapel
SK4 5JD

0161 432 1916
https://www.broadstonehallschool.co.uk/
nichola.keith@broadstonehall.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr M Taylor
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Brookside Primary School
Ashbourne Drive
High Lane
SK6 8DB
01663 763943

https://www.brooksideprimary.com/
admin@brookside.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr R Tavernor
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Cale Green Primary School
Shaw Road
Shaw Heath
SK3 8JG
0161 480 2715

https://www.calegreen.stockport.sch.uk/
schooladmin@calegreen.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs S McHugh
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Cheadle Catholic Infant School
Conway Rd
Cheadle Hulme
Cheadle
SK8 6DB
0161 485 8733

https://www.cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs P Glynn
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children.
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parishes of Christchurch, St. Ann's, St Chad's and that part of St Vincent's formerly in St. Ann's.
3. Other Catholic children.
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children.
5. Any other children.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk/school-information/admissions/

Cheadle Heath Primary School
296 Edgeley Road
Stockport
SK3 0RJ

0161 428 2476

https://www.cheadleheathprimary.co.uk/
admin@cheadleheathprimary.co.uk

Headteacher Ms C Meekley
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Cheadle Hulme Primary School
Cheadle Road
Cheadle Hulme
SK8 5GB

0161 507 5400

https://www.cheadlehulmeprimary.org.uk/
admin@cheadlehulmeprimary.org.uk

Headteacher Miss Laura Vose
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

a. Looked after children, and all previously looked after children, including those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
b. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
c. Children with a sibling at Cheadle Hulme Primary School at the time of admission
d. Children with a sibling at Laurus Cheadle Hulme at the time of admission
e. Children of staff who have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which application for admission to the school is made and/or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
f. Other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.cheadlehulmeprimary.org.uk/admissions/

Cheadle Village Primary School
Ashfield Road
Cheadle
SK8 1BB

0161 428 5026

https://cheadlevillageprimary.co.uk/
admin@cheadle-pri.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr J Malone
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Dial Park Primary School
Half Moon Lane
Offerton
SK2 5LB
0161 483 1445

https://www.dialpark.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@dialpark.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr J Clark
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children (including those in state care outside of England).
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'.
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school.
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Documentation

Didsbury Road Primary School
Didsbury Rd
Stockport
SK4 3HB

0161 432 2240

https://www.didsburyroad.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@didsburyroad.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs G Collins
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Etchells Primary School
East Avenue
Heald Green
SK8 3DL

0161 437 1792

https://www.etchells.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@etchells.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr Kelly
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Fairway Primary School
The Fairway
Offerton
SK2 5DR

0161 483 1873

https://www.fairway.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@fairway.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms A White
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Gatley Primary School
Hawthorn Road
Gatley
Cheadle
SK8 4NB

0161 428 6180

https://gatleyprimary.com/
office@gatleyprimary.com

Headteacher Mrs G Norman
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

A Looked after children, and all previously looked after children, including those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted*
B Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C Children in catchment with a sibling at Gatley Primary School at the time of admission
D Children in catchment with a sibling at The Kingsway High School at the time of admission
E Children in catchment
F Children outside catchment with a sibling at Gatley Primary
G Children of staff who have been directly employed by the Education Learning Trust for two or more years at the time at which application for admission to the school is made and/or the member of staff is directly recruited by the Education Learning Trust to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
H Any other applicants, in order of straight- line distance measured between home and the school
I Applications received after the closing date ordered by A – H above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://gatleyprimary.com/parents/school-admissions

Great Moor Infant School
Southwood Road
Great Moor
SK2 7DG

0161 483 0242

https://www.greatmoor-inf.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@greatmoor-inf.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms Y Dobson
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 78

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Greave Primary School
Werneth Road
Greave
Woodley
SK6 1HR

0161 430 6318

https://www.greave.stockport.sch.uk/
office@greave.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs J Williams
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Hazel Grove Primary School
Chapel Street
Hazel Grove
SK7 4JH

0161 483 3699

https://www.hazelgrove-pri.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@hazelgrove-pri.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs Natalie Turvey
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
F. Other children
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.hgps.org.uk/admissions/

High Lane Primary School
Andrew Lane
High Lane
SK6 8JQ

01663 762378

https://highlane.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@highlane.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs A Humphries
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Hursthead Infant School
Kirkstead Road
Cheadle Hulme
SK8 7PZ

0161 439 2238

https://www.hursthead-inf.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@hursthead-inf.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Miss K Grant
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Ladybridge Primary School
Councillor Lane
Cheadle
SK8 2JF

0161 428 5445
https://www.ladybridge.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@ladybridge.stockport.sch.uk

Headteachers Mr T Bolan Ashworth
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Ladybrook Primary School
Gleneagles Close
Seal Road
Bramhall
SK7 2LT

0161 439 8444
https://www.ladybrook.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@ladybrook.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs C Woosnam
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Lane End Primary School
Ramillies Avenue
Cheadle Hulme
SK8 7AL

0161 485 8071
https://www.laneend.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@laneend.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs C Love
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Lark Hill Primary School
Northgate Road
Edgeley
SK3 9PH

0161 480 6295

https://www.larkhill-pri.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@larkhill-pri.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs Clark (Acting Headteacher)
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Ludworth Primary School
Lower Fold
Marple Bridge
SK6 5DU

0161 427 1446

https://www.ludworth.org.uk/
admin@ludworth.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs V Walker
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Lum Head Primary School
Troutbeck Road
Gatley
Cheadle
SK8 4RR

0161 428 7992

https://www.lumhead.stockport.sch.uk/
Admin@lumhead.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr P Ryan
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Meadowbank Primary School
Councillor Lane
Cheadle
SK8 2LE

0161 428 6286

https://meadowbankprimary.com/
admin@meadowbankprimary.com

Headteacher Mrs J Appleton
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children, and all previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children in catchment with a sibling at Meadowbank Primary School at the time of admission
D. Children in catchment with a sibling at The Kingsway High School at the time of admission
E. Children in catchment
F. Children outside catchment with a sibling at Meadowbank Primary
G. Children of staff who have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which application for admission to the school is made and/or the member of staff is directly recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
H. Any other applicants, in order of straight- line distance measured between home and the school
I. Applications received after the closing date ordered by A – H above
This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://meadowbankprimary.com/school-information

Mellor Primary School
Knowle Road
Mellor
SK6 5PL

0161 427 1052

https://www.mellor.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@mellor.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms G Parkin
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

(i) Children in Care
(ii) Children for whom there are highly exceptional medical or social reasons, justifies admission to Mellor Primary School
(iii) Children resident within the designated catchment area of the school with a sibling at the school when the younger child starts
(iv) Children resident within the designated catchment area of the school
(v) Children resident outside the designated catchment area of the school with a sibling at the school when the younger child starts
(vi) Pupils living nearest the school

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.mellor.stockport.sch.uk/admissions/

Mersey Vale Primary School
Valley Rd
Heaton Mersey
SK4 2BZ

0161 442 7535

https://www.merseyvale.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@merseyvale.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms C Whitehead
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Moorfield Primary School
Lyndhurst Avenue
Hazel Grove
SK7 5HP

0161 483 4521

https://moorfield.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@moorfield.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr P Anderson
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Moss Hey Primary School
Eskdale Ave
Bramhall
SK7 1DS

0161 439 5114

https://www.mosshey-primary.co.uk/
admin@mosshey.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs E Messham
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Norbury Hall Primary School
Shepley Drive
Hazel Grove
SK7 6LE

0161 483 1786

https://www.norburyhall.stockport.sch.uk/
office@norburyhall.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms B Wood
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.norburyhall.stockport.sch.uk/admissions-policy.html

Norris Bank Primary School
Green Lane
Heaton Norris
SK4 2NF

0161 432 3944

http://www.norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs E Ponsen
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
F. Other children
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Admissions – Norris Bank Primary School

North Cheshire Jewish Primary School
St Ann's Road North
Heald Green
SK8 4RZ

0161 282 4500

https://www.ncjps.org.uk/
office@northcheshire.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr M Woolf
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria
1 Children who are looked after by a local authority, or children who were previously looked after, and who are entitled to be treated as priority applicants having obtained four points in accordance with the Certificate of Religious Practice (CRP).
2 Siblings of pupils who will be attending North Cheshire Jewish Primary School at the time such siblings enter the school and who are entitled to be treated as a priority applicant having obtained four points in accordance with the Certificate of Religious Practice (CRP).
3 Siblings of former pupils of North Cheshire Jewish Primary School who are entitled to be treated as a priority applicants having obtained four points in accordance with the Certificate of Religious Practice (CRP).
4 Other children who are entitled to be treated as priority applicants having obtained four points in accordance with the Certificate of Religious Practice (CRP).
5 Other children who are looked after by a local authority, or other children who were previously looked after by a local authority.
6 Any other children.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Admissions - Applying for a place at NCJPS - North Cheshire Jewish Primary School

Oak Tree Primary School
Queen's Road
Cheadle Hulme
SK8 5HH

0161 485 1453

https://www.oaktree.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@oaktree.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs C Slater
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Our Lady's Catholic Primary School
Old Chapel Street
Edgeley
SK3 9HX

0161 480 5345

https://www.ourladys.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@ourladys.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs A Core
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parish of Our Lady and the Apostles
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader
8. Any other children.

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provisions will be applied in the following order. (i) The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category so that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (1) above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.ourladys.stockport.sch.uk/page/admissions/131640

Outwood Primary School
Outwood Road
Heald Green
SK8 3ND

0161 437 1715

https://www.outwood.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@outwood.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs J Maude
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Pownall Green Primary School
Bramhall Lane South
Bramhall
SK7 2EB

0161 439 1105

https://pownallgreen.co.uk/
admin@pownallgreen.co.uk

Headteacher Mrs J Kersh
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Prospect Vale Primary School
Prospect Vale,
Heald Green,
SK8 3RJ

0161 437 4226

https://www.prospectvale.stockport.sch.uk/
schooladmin@prospectvale.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr L Redfearn
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Queensgate Primary School
Albany Rd
Bramhall
SK7 1NE

0161 439 3330

https://www.queensgate.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@queensgate.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs N Hitchcock
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Romiley Primary School
Sandy Lane
Romiley
SK6 4NE

0161 430 3101

https://romileyprimary.com/stockport/primary/romiley
office@romiley.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr A Bassett
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children of staff who have been employed at the school for a minimum of two years or are offering a shortage subject/area
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
E. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
F. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
G. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
H. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-G above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

Romiley Primary School - Admissions

Rose Hill Primary School
Elmfield Drive
Marple
SK6 6DW

0161 427 9168

www.rosehill.stockport.sch.uk
admin@rosehill.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs Marshall
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

St Ambrose Catholic Primary School
Rostrevor Rd
Adswood
SK3 8LQ

0161 480 8466

https://www.st-ambrose.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-ambrose.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs B Knight (Acting Headteacher)
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parishes of St Ambrose and St Vincents
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Any other children.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-ambrose.stockport.sch.uk/page/admissions/151450

St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School
Gorseway
off Foliage Road
Brinnington,
SK5 8AR

0161 430 4601

https://www.st-bernadettes.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@st-bernadettes.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms S Jones
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parish of St Bernadette's
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Any other children.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-bernadettes.stockport.sch.uk/page/admissions/125587

St Christopher's Catholic Primary School
Warwick Rd
Romiley
SK6 3AX

0161 430 4473

https://www.st-christophers.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-christophers.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs M Waters
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parish of Our Lady and St Christopher's.
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Any other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-christophers.stockport.sch.uk/admissions/

St Elisabeth's CE Primary School
St Elisabeth's Way
Reddish
SK5 6BL

0161 432 5785

https://www.thrive-ste.com/
office@thrive-ste.com

Headteacher Mrs A Lancashire
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.thrive-ste.com/information/admissions/

St George's CofE Primary School
Buxton Road
Heaviley
SK2 6NX
0161 480 8657
https://www.st-georges.stockport.sch.uk/
office@st-georges.stockport.sch.uk
Headteacher Mrs D Grindrod
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Looked after children and previously looked after children
2. Children who live in the catchment area of the school, will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission, and whose parents are faithful and regular worshippers in a Christian Church that belongs to 'Churches Together in Britain and Ireland.'
3. Children who live in the catchment area surrounding the school and whose parents are faithful and regular worshippers in a Christian Church that belongs to 'Churches Together in Britain and Ireland.'
4. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
5. Children who live in the catchment area surrounding the school
6. Children who live outside the catchment area, will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission and whose parents are faithful and regular worshippers in a Christian Church that belongs to 'Churches Together in Britain and Ireland.'
7. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
8. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and whose parents are faithful and regular worshippers in a Christian Church that belongs to 'Churches Together in Britain and Ireland.'
9. Other children based on distance between home and school, measured by straight-line distance, using the Local Authority's computerised measuring system, with those living closer to the school receiving the higher priority.
10. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at 1-9

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here
https://www.st-georges.stockport.sch.uk/page/?title=Admissions&pid=17

St John's CofE Primary School
Poplar Street
Heaton Mersey
SK4 3DG

0161 442 7424

https://www.st-johns.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-johns.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr A Clerc
Type of School Voluntary Controlled
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Reddish, a Voluntary Academy
Higginson Road
Reddish
SK5 6BG

0161 432 5689

https://www.stjosephsreddish.org/
admin@stjosephsreddish.org

Headteacher Mrs C Baron
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 70

Oversubscription Criteria

1) Both Baptised Catholic and non-baptised Looked After Children and previously Looked After Children.
2) Children with an exceptional social, medical, educational or religious need which can be best met, or only met at this school
3) Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling attending the school at the time of admission and reside within Stockport and in the contributory parish(es) of St Joseph's Reddish and the Holy Family Denton.
4) Baptised Catholic children who reside within Stockport and in the contributory parish(es) of St Joseph's Reddish and the Holy Family Denton
5) Baptised Catholic children from other parishes who will have a sibling attending at the time of admission
6) Non Catholic Looked After children and previously Looked After children.
7) Other Baptised Catholic children who are resident in another parish
8) Non Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission
9) Other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.stjosephsreddish.org/school-information/admissions-nursery-and-school

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Stockport, a Voluntary Academy
Etchells Street
Stockport
SK1 1EF

0161 480 5029

https://www.st-josephs-pri.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-josephs-pri.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs N Holland
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 25

Oversubscription Criteria

1 Catholic Looked After Children and previously Looked After children.
2 Catholic children who are resident in the parish(es) of St Joseph's, Stockport
3 Other Catholic children
4 Other looked after and previously looked after children
5 Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church
6 Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion
7 Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader
8 Any other children

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provisions will be applied in the following order.
(i) The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category so that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) above.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-josephs-pri.stockport.sch.uk/page/admissions/52077

St Mary's Catholic Primary School (Marple)
Lowry Drive
Marple Bridge
SK6 5BR

0161 427 7498

https://www.stmarysmarplebridge.srscmat.co.uk/
enquiries@mmb.srscmat.co.uk

Headteacher Mr J Nish
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after or previously looked after children including those 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. Catholic children living in the parish(es) served by the school
3. Catholic children living outside the parish(es) served by the school
4. Other looked after or previously looked after children including those 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
5. Catechumens, Candidates and members of Eastern Christian Churches
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader
8. Any other children not within categories 1-7

Parishes: St Mary, Marple Bridge and Annunciation, New Mills (Nottingham Diocese) and Holy Spirit, Marple (Shrewsbury Diocese)

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.stmarysmarplebridge.srscmat.co.uk/information/admissions/

St Mary's CE Primary School
Broomfield Drive
South Reddish
SK5 7DR

0161 480 4736

https://www.st-marys-reddish.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-marys-reddish.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs D Faryniarz
Type of School Voluntary controlled
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

St Mary's RC Primary School, a Voluntary Academy (Stockport)
Roman Rd
Heaton Norris
SK4 1RF

0161 480 5319

https://www.st-marysrc.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@st-marysrc.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs C Baron
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 15

Oversubscription Criteria

1) Looked After Children and previously Looked After Children, including children adopted overseas.
2) Children with an exceptional social, medical, educational or religious need which can be best met, or only met at this school;
3) Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling attending the school at the time of admission and reside within Stockport and in the contributory parish of St Mary's, Heaton Norris.
4) Baptised Catholic children who reside within Stockport and in the contributory parish of St Mary's, Heaton Norris.
5) Baptised Catholic children from other parishes who will have a sibling attending at the time of admission
6) Other Baptised Catholic children who are resident in another parish
7) Non Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission
8) Other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-marysrc.stockport.sch.uk/school-information/admissions

St Matthew's CE Primary School
Bowdon Street
Edgeley
SK3 9EA

0161 474 7110

https://www.cdatstmatthewsprimary.co.uk/
admin@cdatstmatthewsprimary.co.uk

Headteacher Mrs R Mc Donald
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Looked after children and children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted (or became subject to a child arrangements, residence order or special guardianship order).
2. Children with exceptional medical or social circumstances affecting the child where these needs can only be met at this academy.
3. Children who live in the catchment area and who have a sibling currently attending the academy who will still be attending the following year
4. Children who live in the catchment area.
5. Children who live outside the catchment area and who have a sibling currently attending the academy who will still be attending the following year.
6. Children who live closest to the academy as measured in a straight line from child's home address or the main entrance of the block of flats they reside in to the nearest entrance of the school, using the Local Authority's computerised measuring system. In the event of a tie break a lottery overseen by an independent body will be undertaken

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.cdatstmatthewsprimary.co.uk/page/admissions/10441

St Paul's CE Primary School
Brinnington Rise
Brinnington
SK5 8AA

0161 480 5403

https://www.st-pauls.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-pauls.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Miss J Harrington
Type of School Voluntary controlled
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

St Peter's Catholic Primary School
Carisbrooke Avenue
Hazel Grove
SK7 5PL

0161 483 2431

https://www.st-peters.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-peters.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr M Glynn
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children.
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parishes of St. Peter's and St. Vincent's Bramhall
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Any other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-peters.stockport.sch.uk/admissions/

St Philip's Catholic Primary School
Half Moon Lane
Offerton
SK2 5LB

0161 483 0977

https://www.stphilipsstockport.co.uk/
admin@st-philips.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs N Holland
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parish of St Philip's
3. Other Catholic children.
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion.
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader.
8. Any other children.

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provisions will be applied in the following order. (i) The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category so that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.stphilipsstockport.co.uk/page/admissions-arrangements/144011

St Simon's Catholic Primary School
Bosden Avenue
Hazel Grove
SK7 4LH

0161 483 9696

https://www.st-simons.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-simons.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs R Crisp
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children.
2. Catholic children who are resident in the parish of St Peter's
3. Other Catholic children
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children
5. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader
8. Any other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-simons.stockport.sch.uk/admissions

St Thomas CE Primary School (Heaton Chapel)
Wellington Rd North
Heaton Chapel
SK4 4QG

0161 432 6809

https://www.st-thomasheaton.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@st-thomas.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms L Loynes
Type of School Voluntary Aided
Published Admission Number 90

Oversubscription Criteria

1 Looked after children and previously looked after children.
2 Children whose exceptional medical or social circumstances mean that their needs can only be met at this school.
3 Children whose normal home address is within the Parish of St Thomas the Apostle, Heaton Chapel, and one of whose parent(s)/guardian(s) is in regular attendance at public worship at the Parish of St Thomas.
4 Children whose parents/guardians reside within the catchment area of St Thomas' CE VA Primary and are in regular attendance at public worship at the any of the churches within the school's catchment area belonging to the Heaton's Churches Partnership and/or members of the Evangelical Alliance.
5 Children whose normal home address is within the catchment area of St Thomas' CE VA Primary School who will have an older brother or sister attending the school at the time of their admission.
6 Other children whose normal home address is within the catchment area of St Thomas' CE VA Primary School.
7 Children whose normal home address is outside the catchment area of St Thomas' CE VA Primary School who will have an older brother or sister attending the school at the time of their admission.
8 Any other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-thomasheaton.stockport.sch.uk/policies/

St Thomas CE Primary School (Stockport)
Marriott Street
Stockport
SK1 3PJ

0161 480 4742

https://www.st-thomas.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@st-thomas.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr P Sanchez
Type of School Voluntary Controlled
Published Admission Number 30
Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

St Winifred's RC Primary School
Didsbury Rd
Stockport
SK4 3JH

0161 432 5782

https://www.st-winifreds.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@st-winifreds.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs A Duffy
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

1. Looked after children and previously looked after children (both Catholic and non-Catholic)
2. Baptised Catholic children with a sibling at the school.
3. Other baptised Roman Catholic children.
4. Children of other Christian denominations (with evidence of Baptism or minister's letter).
5. Children of other faiths (with supporting evidence from a faith leader).
6. Other applicants.

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.st-winifreds.stockport.sch.uk/admissions/

Thorn Grove Primary School
Woodstock Avenue
Cheadle Hulme
SK8 7LD

0161 485 1177

https://www.thorngroveprimary.co.uk/
admin@tgps.uk

Headteacher Ms L Vose
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Tithe Barn Primary School
Mauldeth Rd
Heaton Moor
SK4 3NG

0161 432 4941

https://tithe-barn.eschools.co.uk/website
admin@tithebarn.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms K Muncaster
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Torkington Primary School
Torkington Road
Hazel Grove
SK7 6NR

0161 483 2188

https://www.torkington.stockport.sch.uk/
schooladmin@torkington.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr A Buckler
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Vale View Primary School
Mill Lane
North Reddish
SK5 6TP

0161 221 0118

https://valeview.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@valeview.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Ms C Smith
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Vernon Park Primary School
Peak Street
Stockport
SK1 2NF

0161 480 4378

https://www.vernonpark.stockport.sch.uk/
headteacher@vernonpark.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs C Lee / Ms C Cheetham
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 45

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission policy for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Warren Wood Primary School
Turnstone Road
Offerton
SK2 5XU

0161 456 8171

https://www.warrenwood.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@warrenwood.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mrs E Reyes
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Westmorland Primary School
Westmorland Drive
Brinnington
SK5 8HH

0161 406 9403

https://www.westmorlandprimary.co.uk/
Headteacher@westmorland.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr M Henderson
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Whitehill Primary School
Whitehill Street West,
Heaton Norris,
SK4 1PB

0161 480 2142

https://www.whitehill.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@whitehill.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr S Hall
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

School admission documents - Stockport Council

Woodford Primary School
1 Saunders Roe Way
Woodford
SK7 1GX

0161 549 7100

https://www.woodfordprimary.org.uk/
admin@woodfordprimary.org.uk

Headteacher Mrs E Drake
Type of School Academy
Published Admission Number 30

Oversubscription Criteria

a. Looked after children, and children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, a child care arrangements order, or special guardianship order, including those who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted
b. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
c. Children with a sibling at Woodford Primary School at the time the application is received
d. Children of staff 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 is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
e. Other children

This is a summary of the school's oversubscription criteria. A full copy of the admission arrangements for the school can be obtained here

https://www.woodfordprimary.org.uk/admissions/

Woodley Primary School
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Woodley
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0161 430 6609

https://woodley-pri.stockport.sch.uk/
admin@woodley-pri.stockport.sch.uk

Headteacher Mr P Langridge
Type of School Community
Published Admission Number 60

Oversubscription criteria

A. Looked after children and previously looked after children
B. Children considered to have 'highly exceptional medical/social reasons'
C. Children who live in the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
D. Children who live in the catchment area of the school
E. Children who live outside the catchment area of the school and will have a sibling at the school or associated junior school at the time of admission
F. Any other applicants, in order of straight line distance measured between home and the school
G. Applications received after the closing date ordered by the criteria detailed at A-F above

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School admission documents - Stockport Council

Section 6 In year school transfers

Stockport Council administers all applications for school places in Stockport. Where the Governing Body/ Academy Trust of a school is responsible for admission arrangements this is done in conjunction with the Headteacher.

If you live in Stockport and wish to change school during the school year, all applications for Stockport school places must be made to our School Places, Admissions and Transport Team.

If you are moving into Stockport from another area or moving house within Stockport, you may be asked to provide evidence that you live at the address indicated on your application.

If you're applying to transfer to a school in another Council's area (including Manchester), you'll need to contact the Council that the school is located in to discuss their process for changing schools during the year.

Please visit our website for further information on changing schools during the school year: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/changing-schools-during-school-year

All applications are considered in relation to the normal year group for the child's chronological age. All state schools that have places available must offer a place to every child who has applied for one, without condition or the use of any oversubscription criteria, unless admitting the child would prejudice the efficient provision of education or use of resources.

An in-year transfer application can only be refused on the following grounds:

- When the admission of an additional child would cause Infant Class Prejudice (for primary school applications only)
- When the admission of an additional child would cause prejudice to the provision of efficient education and to the efficient use of resources. To determine this the Council will take into account:
    - The number of children on roll and the original Published Admissions Number from when that year group entered the school
    - The current circumstances at the school being applied for such as a significant proportion of the site being out of use due to Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete
- The pupil has been permanently excluded from two schools

In the case of multiple applications for a particular year group, places will be allocated, or names placed on the waiting list in accordance with the published admissions criteria for the school as determined for 2027/28 admissions.

Where an application is refused the parent will be notified, in writing, advising them of the reason for the refusal and their right of appeal to the Independent Appeal Panel.

Parents/ carers and pupils should be aware that a request to transfer primary school will be subject to Stockport Council's Transfer Process and Fair Access Protocol. This can be viewed at https://www.stockport.gov.uk/changing-schools-during-school-year.

Section 7 Other Useful Information and support for school age children

Travelling to school

Most young people will live within 3 miles of their local school and the area is generally well served by public transport. Children under 16 can travel on buses at a concessionary rate.

Some children may qualify for free school transport, please refer to our published policy to determine if your child is eligible for free school transport: www.stockport.gov.uk/travel-to-school.

Applications for free school transport should be made on our free school transport portal: www.stockport.gov.uk/travel-to-school

Free School Meals

For information on free school meals please visit the following page: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/free-school-meals

Term Dates

School term dates can be found on the following page: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/school-term-dates

Please refer to the individual school's websites for information on their In-Service Training Days.

Advice and support

For help and advice with anything not covered in this booklet, please telephone our frontline team in the Contact Centre on **0161 217 6022**

More complex matters may be referred to the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team via admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk

You can also visit our Frequently Asked Questions page on our website: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/primary-and-secondary-school-admissions-frequently-asked-questions

If you need assistance in translating or interpreting this information, please contact the School Places, Admissions and Transport Team.