

Heathlands

C of E Primary School

Helping everyone shine their light

Policy	ADMISSIONS POLICY
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Admissions Policy

There is no guarantee of a place for children living in the priority admission area. Admissions are through Essex County Council.

In the event of oversubscription places will be allocated using the following criteria in the order given:

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined in the Primary Education in Essex 2023/2024 booklet);
2. children with a sibling attending the school;
3. children living in the priority admission area;
4. remaining applications.

In the event of oversubscription within any of the above criteria, priority will be determined by straight line distance from home to school, those living closest being given the highest priority.

Waiting list held until: 31 December 2025