



St Thomas CE Academy Birmingham Admissions Policy 2021

How to apply for Reception Class

An application must be made online at www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions or by using the local authority preference form. No supplementary information form is used by St John's & St Peter's CE Academy.

How to make an in-year application

Applications made outside the normal admission round (in-year admissions) must be made directly to the school. The local authority will provide an in-year application form for parents to complete.

Admission criteria

1. Children looked after by Local Authority (in line with section 22 of the Children Act) and children who were previously looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted (or become subject to a residence order or special guardianship.)
2. Children with siblings at St John's & St Peter's CE Academy at time of entry. (Siblings are defined by Birmingham Local Authority)
3. Anybody whose parents/guardian regularly attends the local Church of England Parish Church
St John's & St Peter's Church Ladywood. We define regular as meaning once a month for a twelve month period and this will be confirmed by a letter from the local minister
4. Children who live nearest to the school.
5. Children of parents who are a Christian/CofE denomination.
 - a. Children of parents with a verified Church of England commitment.
 - b. Children of parents with a verified commitment to a church recognised by Birmingham Churches Together in England.

In the event that during the period specified for attendance at worship the church has been closed for public worship and has not provided alternative premises for that worship, the requirements of these [admissions] arrangements in relation to attendance will only apply to the period when the church or alternative premises have been available for public worship

If there is oversubscription within a category, the governors will give priority to those children living closest to the school determined by the shortest distance. The local authority's 'distance' definition has been adopted. Distances are calculated on the basis of a straight line measurement between the applicant's home address and the centre of the academy

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Approx. Number on Roll: 206
Ward: Ladywood

