



Admission Arrangements 2026

The information below is extracted from [First Steps 2026-27](#). Parents should refer to this online guide to applying for a primary school place in Cambridgeshire for further information about applying for a school place or regarding how to make an appeal about any decisions taken by the Admissions Authority. First Steps 2025-26 is available in a variety of languages, large-print and Braille. If you require an alternative version please contact the Admissions Team – Tel: 0345 045 1370 or email: admissions@cambridgeshire.gov.uk.

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Oversubscription Criteria:

Children who have a Statement of Special Educational Need (SEN) / Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP) that names the school will be admitted. NB. Those children with a statement of SEN / EHCP that does not name the school will be referred to the Statutory Assessment Team (SAT) to determine an appropriate place.

1. Children in Care (CIC) and Children who were previously in care (CIC) but ceased to be so by reason of adoption, a residence order (now known as a child arrangement order) or special guardianship order.
2. Children living in the catchment area with a sibling at the school at the time of admission;
3. Children living in the catchment area;
4. Children living outside the catchment area who have a sibling at the school at the time of admission;
5. Children living outside the catchment area who have applied and been unable to gain a place at their Cambridgeshire catchment area school because of oversubscription;
6. Children who live outside the catchment area, but nearest the school as measured by a straight line.

In cases of equal merit in each set of criteria, priority will go to children living nearest the school as measured by a straight line. Please refer to the First Steps Glossary of Terms on pages 18-19 for further information.