



Alderman Bolton Primary School

Admission Authority: Academy Trust

Below is an extract from the schools Admissions Policy and Arrangements document. A full copy of these arrangements can be obtained from the school. Oversubscription criteria for 2023/24

1 Looked after children and previously looked after children including those previously in state care outside of England*

2 Siblings (pupils with elder brothers or sisters already attending the preferred school and expected to continue at the school in the following year. This includes full, half or step brothers and sisters and foster brothers and sisters who are living at the same address as part of the same family unit).

3 Pupils for whom advice from a medical practitioner or psychologist has been provided by the parents/carers at the time of application in support of admission to a particular school, which, in the Council's view, justifies admission to the preferred school. The Council, if it is considered appropriate, will seek the views of the school medical officer or educational psychologist in the event of parents requesting admission on medical or psychological grounds.

4 Pupils living nearest to the school measured as a direct distance from the child's permanent place of residence to the school measured using a geographical information address point system based on the local land and property gazetteer (LLPG). This measures straight line (direct) distances from the address point of the permanent place of residence to the address point of the school.

NB: Where a school reaches its published admission number from pupils within one of the categories listed above, those pupils to be admitted from within that category will be those whose permanent place of residence are closest to the school as defined in oversubscription criterion

*A child in care is a child who is (a) in the care of a Local Authority, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a Local Authority in the exercise of their Social Services functions under section 22(1) of the Children Act 1989 at the time of making the application to the school.

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 Arrangement Order or Special Guardianship Order).

A child is regarded as having been in state care in a place outside of England if they were accommodated by a public authority, a religious organisation or any other provider of care whose sole purpose is to benefit society.