

Admission Policy

The School will provide 130 places for pupils in each of years 7 – 11 and then places will be allocated according to the following criteria, in order:

1. Students with a statement of special educational need whose parents have requested that this school is named on the statement and students in public care;
2. To pupils living permanently within the Schools catchment area as defined by Norfolk Local Education Authority and shown in its catchment area map. If more than 130 such pupils apply, places will be allocated on the basis of geographical distance from the school gates.
3. To pupils whose elder brothers or sisters already attend the School at the time of admission in Years 7 – 11.
4. To pupils not living in the catchment area transferring from St Clement's feeder primary schools, namely Clenchwarton Primary, Terrington St Clement Community School , Tilney All Saints VC Primary, Walpole Cross Keys Primary and West Lynn Primary.
5. To any other applicants up to the maximum number to be admitted.

If all students within any of the above rules cannot be offered a place, the highest priority will be given to students living nearest to the school within that rule. To determine who lives nearest, places will be allocated on the basis of geographical distance of the child's home from the school gates, the nearest having priority. Distance will be measured on a straight line crow-flight basis.

The Appeals procedure for unsuccessful applicants for places will be the same as that for applicants for places at community schools.

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