

# **Crawshawbooth Primary School**

## Admissions Policy

May 2025

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## Mission Statement

Crawshawbooth seeks to provide a happy and secure learning environment where a child's natural curiosity is provided with challenges, experiences and opportunities that will enable them to grow into caring, confident and informed citizens of the future.

Our admission number is 45.

## Aims To:

- Follow LCC procedure as outlined in the "Primary School Admissions in Lancashire" booklet with our Geographical Priority Area (see below).

## Procedure

Many schools in Lancashire can accept all who wish to attend, but if a school is over-subscribed, the following criteria will be applied in priority order:

1. Children in public care who are in public care at the time when preferences are expressed and will still be in public care when admitted to the school.
2. Children for whom the County Council accepts there are exceptionally strong medical, social or welfare reasons for admissions, which are directly relevant to the school concerned.
3. Children with older brothers and sisters who will still be attending the school when the younger child starts.
4. Places will be allocated on a straight line (radial) measure from the school, within the School's Geographical Priority Area (GPA) which states: - From the north end of Clowbridge Reservoir heading south and taking in the Dunnockshaw, Loveclough, Goodshaw Fold, Goodshaw Chapel and Goodshaw areas (and surrounding farm houses). The cut off points at the south end of the area will be Lord Street and its houses and Forest Bank Road (both off the A682). The line will run East down the middle of Forest Bank Road and across the top of Short Clough reservoir.
5. Brothers and sisters include step children, half-brothers and half-sisters, adopted and foster children who are living with the same family at the same address (consideration may be given to applying the sibling rule for full brothers and full sisters only who reside at different addresses

## **Review and Monitoring**

We will review this policy annually or where necessary.

## **Links to Other Policies**

Behaviour Policy

Attendance Policy

The Policy was written in Sept 2010.

The Policy was approved by Governors in November 2010.

It was reviewed in September 2011 and approved by the Governors in November 2011.

It was reviewed in May 2012 and approved by the Governors in May 2012. The policy was reviewed and approved by the Governors in May 2013, May 2015, May 2016, May 2017, May 2018, May 2019 May 2020 May 21, May 22, May 2023, May 2024 and May 2025