



St Chad's Roman Catholic Primary School.

Admission Arrangements.

St Chad's is a Roman Catholic primary school provided by the Diocese of Salford and is maintained by Manchester City Council as a voluntary aided school. The co-ordination of admissions arrangements is undertaken by the Local Authority.

For the school's year commencing September 2019, the Governing Body has determined that the number of children to be admitted in each year group from Reception to Year 6 will be 30. The school's role is to participate in the mission of the Catholic Church by providing a curriculum, including Catholic religious education and worship, which will help children to grow in their understanding of the Good News and in the practice of their faith. The school will help the children develop fully as human beings and prepare them to undertake their responsibilities as Catholics in society.

The school requires all parents applying for a place here to understand and respect this ethos and its importance to the school community.

This does not affect the rights of parents who are not of the Catholic faith to apply for a place here. Admissions to the school will be determined by the Governing Board. Parents must complete a Local Authority Preference Form or apply online via the website <http://www.manchester.gov.uk/admissions>. If there are fewer applications than the Planned Admission Number, all applicants will be offered places. If there are more applications than the number of places available, the following oversubscription criteria will be applied:

What happened last year?

Application and admission numbers from last year can help give you a picture of how difficult it is to get into a school.

- St Chad's R.C. Primary School planned to admit 30 pupils.
- There were 40 applicants that listed St. Chad's R.C. Primary School as one of their choices.
- Only 30 places were offered.

For 'In Year' applications received outside the normal admissions round, if places are available they will be offered to those who apply. If there are places available but more applicants than places, then the published over-subscription criteria will be applied as set out in the Admissions Policy.

The Admission limit per class is 30 and we have a waiting list for pupils wishing to attend the school.