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Admissions Policy September 2025



Prestolee Multi Academy Trust

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1. Aims

This policy aims to set out how Prestolee Multi Academy Trust manage admissions arrangements for all schools.

2. Legislation and statutory requirements

As an academy, our schools are required by its funding agreement to comply with the following statutory guidance and legislation:

- [School Admissions Code 2021](#)
- [School Admission Appeals Code](#)
- [School Standards and Framework Act 1998](#).

3. Principles

Prestolee Multi Academy Trust work in partnership with their Local Authorities and strong local collaboration is a guiding principle of how we operate. All our schools are community schools, serving the children and families within their communities.

With this in mind, the Trust policy on admissions is for all schools to align with their Local Authority arrangements on admissions. The admissions arrangements and oversubscription criteria that are published by the LA with which the school is associated, will be followed when allocating school places.

4. Monitoring arrangements

Local Governing Boards should review their LA Admissions Policy on an annual basis to monitor any changes. Where changes are suggested by the LA, the school are required publicly consult. If there are no changes, the school should ensure public consultation takes place at least once every 7 years. The LA should be commissioned to consult on behalf of the school.

The Standards Committee of the Trust Board will review this Policy on an annual basis.

Next review: September 2026

Signed:



Headteacher