



Tudor Grange Academies Trust  
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## Tudor Grange Primary Academy St James

### Decision notice

### Consultation on proposed new admission arrangements for the 2025-2026 intake

A public consultation on the admission arrangements for 2025-2026 ran from 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024, according to the requirements of the [Schools Admissions Code](#) (2021).

Changes were proposed to the existing admission arrangements as follows:

- The previous admission arrangements incorrectly included children with an exceptional medical and/or social need at Category 1 with looked after and previously looked after children. This category has now been moved to Category 2, the wording has been made clearer and tightened up, and we are proposing to adopt a new Supplementary Information Form that parents must submit for inclusion in this high priority category. This is consistent with all other academies within the Trust.

A committee of trustees met on 8 February 2024 to consider the responses received in the public consultation and determine the admission arrangements for 2025-2026.

2 responses from stakeholders were received, although one of these did not appear to speak to the consultation. Trustees carefully considered the response. Trustees felt that the changes proposed were fair. Children within the oversubscription criterion for children with an exceptional medical and/or social need would be treated consistently and fairly.

There were some minor changes to wording:

- in paragraph 18.2 (Children with an exceptional medical and/or social need to attend Tudor Grange Primary Academy St James) to clarify the decision maker;
- in paragraph 49 (Waiting List), clarification of how the waiting list will operate.

Subject to these amendments, **Trustees determined the admission arrangements for 2025-2026** incorporating the consultation changes as proposed.

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Chairman of the Board of Trustees  
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