Mount Nod Primary School
Nursery Admissions Policy

Mount Nod Nursery is attached to the primary school and provides 26 part time places for children in the year prior to their entry to school.

Admission Limit
Mount Nod Nursery has an admission limit of 26 places.

The admission arrangements for our Nursery adhere to the guidance from the City Council and the admissions policy has been approved by the Governing Body.

The criteria for allocating places are as follows :-

i. Children in the care of the local authority (Children Looked After) or known to Children's Social Care, e.g. CAF or social care referral.

ii. Children who live in the catchment area for the school nursery who will have an elder sibling attending the school while they are in the nursery;

iii. Children living in the catchment area for the nursery;

iv. Children living outside the catchment area who will have an elder sibling attending the school while they are in the nursery;

v. Children whose primary daytime carer lives in the catchment area for the nursery;

vi. Other children living nearest to the school measured in a straight line; (Please note that the Schools Admissions Team is able to provide distance measurements)

Registering

Parents should complete a Nursery application form and return it to the school. The application form will be processed by a clerical assistant and put forward to the Head teacher and Governing Body in April to consider the allocation of places for the following September.

All parents who have made an application will receive written confirmation of the place or be informed that the application was unsuccessful due to oversubscription. This will take place by the end of April.

Sessions

It is the policy of the school to offer part time places for 5 sessions a week to all the successful applicants.

Times: Morning session 8.45am - 11.45am

Please note that children who attend the Nursery but are from outside the catchment area cannot be guaranteed a place at the school when they reach school age.

A place at the Nursery does not convey preference or priority for admission to the school to which the Nursery is attached.