

Our Lady's Catholic Voluntary Aided Primary School

2026 Published Admission Number (PAN) = **30**

A total of 84 applications naming the school as a preference were considered in the allocation of places:

| Preference 1 | Preference 2 | Preference 3 |
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| 42 | 18 | 24 |

The Governing Body are the admission authority of the school, and they determine the admission arrangements. The admission committee of the school apply the oversubscription criteria from those arrangements to all applicants to decide which children have priority for the places available.

A full copy of the 2026/27 admission policy is available at [Determined admission arrangements for Knowsley schools 2026/27 | Knowsley Council](#)

Places were allocated to PAN 30 as detailed below:

Places were offered to all pupils within criterion 5. The last within this criterion lived 0.493 miles from the school (as the crow flies). The school admitted up to their PAN, no pupils were required to be added to a waiting list.

| Oversubscription Criteria | Number of places allocated |
|--|----------------------------|
| Children whose Education, Health and Care Plan names the school as provision | 0 |
| 1. Looked After Children and previously Looked After Children | 0 |
| 2. Baptised Catholic children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission | 10 |
| 3. Baptised Catholic children living in the designated parishes of Our Lady Immaculate and St Joseph, Prescot and Our Lady Help of Christians, Portico | 13 |
| 4. Other Baptised Catholic children | 4 |
| 5. Other Children who have a sibling in the school at the time of admission | 3 |
| 6. Children from other Christian denominations | 0 |
| 7. Children of other faiths | 0 |
| 8. Other children | 0 |
| Total | 30 |