### **GOVERNORS CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION**

Reception Intake for children where their date of birth is between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019 The Governing Body intend to admit 60 Reception pupils during the academic year. We anticipate all children stating in our Reception classes in September 2023. However, younger children may not initially be offered a full time placement. The closing date for applications and letters offering places will follow the dates laid down by Kent County Council.

#### **Casual Admissions**

Casual admissions of children moving into the area or transferring from another school will be considered by Governors having regard to the admission policy stated below and according to whether places are available in the appropriate year group.

Where there are more applications than places Governors will use the criteria below in order:

- 1. Children looked after and children who were looked after but are no longer, due to an adoption.
- 2. Children of parents who are practising members of the Parish Church of St Peters and St Paul Milton or at St George's Church, Gravesend or Christ Church Milton-Next-Gravesend. (Practising members of a Church are defined as attending at least once a month).
- 3. Children of parents who are practising members of the Church of England. (Practising members of a Church are defined as attending at least once a month).
- 4. Children of parents from other Christian Denominations who are practising members of churches that are members of 'Churches Together in Gravesham' (Practising members of a Church are defined as attending at least once a month).
- 5. Children from families who have brothers or sisters attending the school at the time of admission.
- 6. All other applicants will be prioritized according to distance of home from the school. We ask the LA to calculate distances. They use the distance between the child's permanent home address and the school, measured in a straight line using the National Land and Property Gazetteer (NLPG) address point data. Distances are measured from a point defined as within the child's home to a point defined as within the school as specified by NLPG. The same address point on the school site is used for everybody.
- 7. In-year variation for admissions due to COVID-19 In the event that during the period specified for attendance at worship the church or, in relation to those of other faiths, relevant place of worship, has been closed for public worship and has not provided alternative premises for that worship, the requirements of these [admissions] arrangements in relation to attendance will only apply to the period when the church, or in relation to those of other faiths, relevant place of worship, or alternative premises have been available for public worship.
- In the unlikely event that two or more children in all other ways have equal eligibility for the last available place in school, the names will be issued a number and drawn randomly to decide which child should be given the place.

Note

In the event of applications of matching criteria, priority will be given by making reference to the next criteria. i) Admission of children outside their normal age group - Parents may request that their child is admitted ii) outside their normal age group. To do so, they should include a written request with their application, setting out the year group in which they wish their child to be allocated a place and the reasons for their request. When such a request is made, the Head will make a decision on the basis of the circumstances of the case, based on their professional judgement of what is in the best interest of the child, taking account of the evidence and rationale provided by the parents.

I delare that I have also completed a RCAF for this child and included Holy Trinity as one of my three preferences. I understand that if at a later date this information is found to be incorrect I may lose any place allocated to my child.

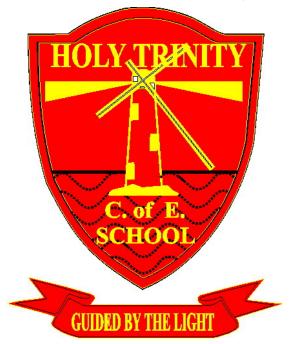
I /We agree to support the Christian Ethos of the School as detailed in the School prospectus and to support the Home/School Agreement.

Signed ..... Date .....

# **HOLY TRINITY C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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Learning and caring together, building a firm foundation for the future.

# **RECEPTION SUPPLEMENTARY ADMISSION FORM 2023**

DATE OF BIRTH .....

The Governors of Holy Trinity CE Primary School reserve the right to verify the information provided on the RCAF. Parents are required to provide the school with originals of birth certificates and proof of residency (not more than three months old.) Failure to provide this information may result in your child's offer of a school place being withdrawn.

You must also apply online to KCC Failure to do this will mean that your child will not be allocated a place in any school

### 2023

## **APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO RECEPTION**

Governors will only offer places in accordance with their published admission criteria found on the back of this form.

Please answer all questions.
Full name of child:
Child's date of birth:
Full name of mother:
Present address of child:
Postcode:
E-mail address (please print clearly)
Criteria 1
Is this child in Local Authority Care? Yes No
Looked After Children/Children in Local Authority Care and children that were looked after but are no longer due to an adoption. A child under the age of 18 years for whom the local authority provides accommodation by agreement with their parents/carers (Section 22 of the Children Act 1989) or who is the subject of a care order under Part IV of the Act. This applies equally to children who immediately after being looked after by the local authority became subject to an adoption, residence or special guardianship order. (As defined by Section 46 of the Adoption and Children Act 2002 or Section 8 or 14A of the Children Act 1989).
Criteria 2, 3, 4 Do you attend a Christian Church? Yes No
If yes: Please state name and address of Church:
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Do you attend a Christian Church at least once a month?
It is your responsibility to provide the school with a reference from the priest or minister of your place of Worship. This should be on headed paper stating your commitment. Practising members of a Church are defined as attending at least once a month for the previous year.
All Christian denominations other than Church of England should be members of 'Churches Together in Gravesham'.

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<b><u>Criteria 5</u></b> Will the child have an older brother or sister attend admission? Please give their name(s) and class(es)
A brother or sister must be attending the school when sister means children who live as brother or sister in sisters, adopted siblings, stepbrothers or sisters and fo

form please ask at the school office.

### <u>Criteria 6</u>

Please provide a utility bill (e.g. Gas, Electric, Council Tax bill) as proof of your address (not more than three months old). This address will be used on all future correspondence unless otherwise notified. Please use house numbers/ house names and post codes.

A child's home address is considered to be a residential property that is the child's only or main residence (not an address at which the child may sometimes stay or sleep) and which is either owned by the child's parent, parents or guardian or leased or rented to them under a lease or written agreement. Where partners live apart but share responsibility for the child, and the child lives at two different addresses during the week, we will regard the home address as the one at which the child sleeps for the majority of week days.

We ask the Local Authority to calculate distances. They use the distance between the child's permanent home address and the school, measured in a straight line using Ordnance Survey address point data. Distances are measured from a point defined as within the child's home to a point defined as within the school as specified by Ordnance Survey. The same address point on the school site is used for everybody.

If you require help in understanding and completing this



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