

**GLENGORMLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

(Specialist ICT Academy)

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Due to Covid-19 restrictions, Glengormley High School is unable to provide an Open Night this year. Parents and children who would like a personalised tour of the school should contact the school and we will endeavour to provide a private tour.

**ADMISSIONS CRITERIA FOR ENTRY INTO YEAR 8****Respective functions of the Board of Governors and Principal in relation to Admissions to the school**

Applications criteria have been formulated by the Board of Governors and the application of the criteria has been delegated to the Principal.

The Board of Governors consider that it is the responsibility of parents to ensure that all relevant information is submitted to the school on the Transfer Application. When considering which children should be selected for admission, the Board of Governors will only take into account information which is detailed on or attached to the application form. Parents should therefore ensure that all information pertaining to their child and relevant to the school's admissions criteria is stated on the application form or attached to it. In the absence of information Governors may assume that the relevant criterion is not satisfied. The Governors reserve the right to seek verification of any information and to withdraw a place awarded on the basis of inaccurate information.

In the event of over-subscription, preference will be given to pupils according to the following criteria applied in order:

1. those who will be resident in Northern Ireland at the time of proposed admission.
2. those who are resident in any of the postal districts BT14, BT15, BT29, BT36, BT37, BT38, BT39 or BT41 at the date of application.
3. those who, at the date of their application, have a sibling currently or previously enrolled at the school.
4. those for whom this is the nearest controlled secondary school at the time of proposed admission.
5. those who are entitled to Free School Meals (FSME): Priority to be given so that the proportion of such children admitted is not less than the proportion of first preference FSME applications received within the total number of first preference applications received.
6. applicants will be selected for admission on the basis of initial letter of surname (as entered on Birth Certificate) in the order set out below. In the event of surnames beginning with the same initial letter the subsequent letters of the surname will be used in alphabetical order, followed by the initials of the forenames.

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**Applicants should note that they may be required to produce documents verifying their address and the information in Criterion 3 above.**

**ADMISSIONS TO YEAR 8 AFTER 1 SEPTEMBER 2021**

Parents who wish to have their child considered for admission in the event of a place arising after 1 September 2021 should write to the Principal clearly stating this. In the event of a vacancy the above criteria will be applied to these applications only.

**Number of Applications and Admissions**

Year	Admissions No.	Total Applications All Preferences	Total Admissions
<b>2018/19</b>	210	84	82
<b>2019/20</b>	210	115	110
<b>2020/21</b>	210	181	175

This table does not include children who were admitted to the school with a statement of special educational needs.

**The criteria for admission to years 9 onwards is available from the school office.**