



## **Pilsley CE Primary School**

### **Admissions Policy**

The school has adopted the Diocesan admissions policy.

The criteria for admission is:-

- 1) Children living in public care.
- 2) Residence within the catchment area of the school (the 'home' Estate—a map is available in the school office if required)
- 3) Siblings, adopted / foster brothers or sisters of pupils still attending the school at the time the child would commence education.
- 4) Children of parents one of whom is a regular churchgoer at a church recognised by Churches Together in Britain and Ireland. 'Regular' is defined as monthly over a period of six months. This should be confirmed in writing by a Priest or senior lay person
- 5) Any other applicants

In the event of governors having to make a choice between candidates with cases of equal strength, preference will be given to families who live nearest to the school as measured by the local authority.

The admission number for next year is 12.

The school operates a one-point entry system, i.e. all reception children are offered a place to start in September. Older children can be accepted at any time in the school year.

**Date agreed: February 2018**

**Date to be reviewed: Annually**