







- iv) Pupils who were attending one of the HUET primary schools – Hanley Swan (St Gabriel's) Primary, Kempsey Primary, Welland Primary – at the time of application.
- v) Pupils who were attending one of Hanley's other feeder schools – Castlemorton CE Primary, Eldersfield Corse Lawn CE Primary, Pendock CE Primary, Upton upon Severn Primary – at the time of application.
- vi) Children of members of staff of the Hanley and Upton Educational Trust.
- vii) Pupils who were attending Twynning School at the time of application.
- viii) Children who live outside the Hanley Castle High School catchment area – with priority given to those who live closest to the school using the same methodology as described above.

Please note:

Children whose final statement of Special Educational Needs/Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP) names Hanley Castle High School will be automatically admitted and are not subject to the oversubscription criteria.

If the last student to be offered a place within our school's Published Admission Number (PAN) is a multiple birth or same cohort sibling, any further sibling will be admitted, if the parents so wish, even though this may raise the intake above our PAN.

A map of the catchment area may be obtained from the school website and details of your catchment school can be found at <http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schoolsearch>.

Late applications will be allocated in the same order, providing places remain available.

All applications for Year 7 places will be co-ordinated by Worcestershire Local Authority, who will make offers of places on behalf of the Governors of the school. Parents or guardians who reside within Worcestershire are required to complete a Worcestershire LA Common Application Form.

Parents or guardians who reside in Gloucestershire or other neighbouring counties, but who wish to apply for a place for their child at Hanley Castle High School must complete an application form for their "home" LA which will ensure that application details are passed to Worcestershire for consideration according to the oversubscription criteria above.

All application forms must be received by the Local Authority by 31 October 2025.

Late applications will only be considered after those received on time. The final date by which late applications will be accepted is 31 January 2026.

### 3 Waiting List and In-Year Admissions

- 3.1 Any applications for a place at Hanley Castle High School outside the normal year or time of entry to the school must be made directly to the Worcestershire Children First School Admissions Team, on behalf of the Local Authority. The school will be notified by the Local Authority of the outcome of the application and parents will be informed of their right to appeal against a refusal of a place. Full details of the co-ordinated scheme for in-year applications can be found via the following link: <https://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/coordinatedschemes>





