

**Diocese of Westminster**

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EDUCATION SERVICE



# CHOOSING A CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL

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‘As it is the parents who have given life to their children, on them lays the gravest obligation to educate the family. They must be recognised as being primarily and principally responsible for their education.’

*Second Vatican Council:  
Gravissimum Educationis  
28<sup>th</sup> October 1965*

## Foreword

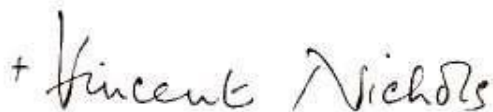
I am pleased to write the Foreword to this prospectus which is called ***'Choosing a Catholic Secondary School'***. The document is aimed at helping you fulfil the responsibility you undertook at the baptism of your child to ensure his or her education and formation in the Catholic faith. Catholic schools are an important element in this faith formation. You will know that the Catholic Church is deeply committed to education and has an excellent network of schools throughout the Diocese of Westminster. I am glad that you wish to choose a Catholic school for your child.

Before I became Archbishop of Westminster, I was for many years Chairman of the Catholic Education Service. In that role I gained first-hand experience of the wider contribution of Catholic schools to the well-being of our nation as a whole. We are fortunate to have a unique educational partnership in this country between the Church and both local and national Government. In a joint document, ***"Faith in the System"***, the Government celebrated this important partnership and its contribution, not just to the Catholic community but to society in general.

As Catholics, we believe that all creation owes its existence to the will of God. All knowledge, as part of the search for truth, helps us better understand God's creative love, our relationship with him and its influence on our relationship with other people. This is why the Catholic school is first and foremost a community of faith in which every person is recognised as having the dignity of a child of God. Being able to recognise the truth of themselves before God enables our pupils to celebrate and develop their God given talents. ***'The Glory of God is the human person, fully alive'*** (St. Irenaeus).

The distinctive ethos of the Catholic school is rooted in the Word of God who is Jesus Christ. The commitment of the Catholic school to the vision of every human person as a child of God and brother or sister of Jesus is central to the achievement of excellence and success.

I wish you every blessing in your vocation as *"the first and best teachers of your children in the ways of faith"*. Be assured of the support of the Catholic school in fulfilling your responsibilities.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "+ Vincent Nichols". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small cross at the beginning.

The Most Reverend Vincent Nichols  
Archbishop of Westminster

## Information for parents about Transfer to Catholic Secondary Schools.

### Introduction

This prospectus tells you how to apply for a place for your child at a Catholic secondary school. The advice given in this document is based on the assumption that, whether or not your child is currently attending a Catholic primary school, you wish your child to go to a Catholic Secondary school. If you follow its advice you will maximise your chances of securing a Catholic place for your child.

There are 39 state-funded secondary schools in the Diocese of Westminster. Some of these schools are 'Voluntary Aided' schools and some are 'Academies': they are run by the Church and funded either by the Local Authority or the Department of Education respectively. All of these secondary schools are part of a co-ordinated admission process which is explained in this prospectus.

All schools in the diocese except one, a grammar school for girls, are comprehensive: that is, they are open to children of all abilities. All our schools have Sixth-Form provision. In some this is self-contained, and in others it is provided in conjunction with a Catholic sixth-form college or other local schools.

There are a small number of independent (fee-paying) Catholic schools in the diocese. These are all listed in this prospectus, but are not part of the co-ordinated admission process. Parents interested in any of these schools should contact the school directly.

### Admissions to Catholic Schools

In a Catholic school, responsibility for admissions rests with the governing body. In common with all **Voluntary Aided (VA)** schools and **Academies**, the governing body is the **Admission Authority** for the school, and determines and publishes an **Admission Policy** each year. This Policy is published in the school's own prospectus. Where there are more applications than places available, the policy must state how the places are to be allocated. This is called the school's **Oversubscription Criteria**. It will vary from school to school, and from year to year. These are very important because most Catholic schools are oversubscribed every year.

### Co-ordinated Admissions Scheme

The new London Admission System is known as the **Pan-London Co-ordinated Admission Scheme**. It covers the whole of Greater London plus the Home Counties. The scheme requires **Local Authorities (LAs)** to co-ordinate all the applications from parents living in its area. Together with other LAs in and around London, their aim is to ensure that only one offer of a place is received for each child on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2018, the national offer day.

The Scheme does not affect the right of Voluntary Aided schools and Academies to decide which pupils they will offer places to. However, all offers will be communicated via the LAs and will follow a common timetable.

### **A Summary of the Process**

In order to get a place at a Catholic school, you need to take the steps set out below. Each of the steps is explained in more detail below.

1. Visit as many Catholic secondary schools as you can. Get hold of each school's prospectus and other information about the schools.
2. Choose up to six Catholic schools you would like your child to attend.
3. Fill in the online (eAdmissions) application form for local authority in whose area you live. You can find this by going to your local authority website and looking under 'schools'. You can also obtain a paper copy from the LA, complete it and return it by post or by hand to your local authority. You will have to list the schools in your order of preference. Fill in a **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)** for **every** Catholic school to which you have applied. Return each of these forms directly to the school concerned.
4. Make sure that all forms are returned **before the closing date** set by your Local Authority. The national closing date is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017, but many schools ask for the SIF to be returned **before** the half-term holiday i.e. by **20<sup>th</sup> October 2017**. You should return your SIF and any accompanying documents before this date.

### **1. Get Informed**

All secondary schools hold open days and evenings, in July, September or October each year. You are encouraged to visit all of your local Catholic schools, and any other Catholic school in which you are interested. You can use this Prospectus to find out about Catholic schools which you might not have known about. This Prospectus contains contact details for Catholic schools in this diocese and surrounding areas, including the whole of Greater London.

Do not rely on second or third hand information about schools (whether good or bad). It is usually out of date and often inaccurate. Only **you** can judge whether a particular school is right for **your** child. Schools welcome visits from parents, and can answer your questions. In particular, do not rule out any of your local Catholic schools unless you have visited them first.

You should also get a copy of each school's own prospectus: the school will be happy to send you one or give you one when you visit. The prospectus will include the school's up to date **Admission Policy** and **Oversubscription Criteria**. This is important for the next part of the process.

## 2. Choose Six Catholic Schools

Out of the schools you have seen, choose six Catholic schools that will be suitable for your child. In some parts of the diocese, this may not be possible. In some parts of Hertfordshire, for instance, it may only be practical to name two or three Catholic schools. In most parts of London, however, there will be at least six Catholic schools which are accessible. Naming six Catholic schools will maximise your chances of a place in a Catholic school.

Decide in which order of preference you wish to list the schools. You will probably have formed some strong preferences as you visited the schools. But before you decide, make sure you have read the current **Oversubscription Criteria** for each school very carefully. Remember that these **Criteria** change from year to year and school to school.

Reading the **Oversubscription Criteria** for each school will help you to understand how well you meet the criteria and whether you have a realistic chance of being offered a place at that school. You should ask the school how far down their **Oversubscription Criteria** was the cut-off point between successful and unsuccessful applicants over the past couple of years. Whilst there is never a guarantee that the pattern will repeat itself, it gives you a good idea how likely you are to be offered a place. For instance, if a school has consistently been unable to give all applicants in its criterion 2 a place, and you only meet their criterion 4, you are unlikely to be offered a place at that school.

Always make sure you have at least one realistic choice (i.e. a school where you are very likely to be offered a place) in your choices. Every year there are some Catholic schools that are able to offer a place to all Catholic applicants. If you put one of these schools in your list, this will maximise your chances of getting a place at a Catholic school.

If your child is eligible for a place at more than one school, your child will be offered a place at the school which you have ranked the highest on your form.

## 3. Fill in the eAdmissions Form (previously called the CAF)

You **must** complete the on-line **LA** eAdmissions form listing up to six schools that you would prefer your child to go to in September 2018. Each **LA** will have its own form. **You must use the form of the LA in whose area you live.** You do this no matter where the schools you wish to apply for, or your child's current primary school, are located. If you do not use the form of your 'home' LA none of your applications can be considered. Generally this form is completed on-line however the form will be made available at your child's primary school, or can be obtained from your LA. If you are not sure which LA you live in, please check with any LA. It will normally be the same as the authority to which you pay your Council Tax.

The **eAdmissions Form** will invite you to name up to six schools and to rank them in order of preference. For all of the preferences given on the Form, your child will be considered against the admission criteria for the schools concerned. The order in which you list schools should indicate your genuine order of preference for the schools.

Some parents are worried that where they place a school in their order of preference will affect their chances of getting a place. ***This is not true. The school will not know which position you have put them on the Form and is not allowed to ask.*** Each school will treat your application exactly the same whether you put them first or sixth. Your order of preference on the **eAdmissions Form** will **not**, under any circumstances, be revealed to any of the schools. There are **no** exceptions to this rule. You must therefore ensure that the order you list the schools reflects your genuine choices, as you cannot change your mind later.

You do not have to name as many as six schools on the **eAdmissions Form** if you do not wish but there is no advantage in naming fewer than six, or by naming a school more than once. It is sensible to give as many preferences as you can in case your first preference, then your second preference, and so on, is unsuccessful. If you fill in a paper form you must return your form to the LA at the address given on the Form. You are recommended to keep a copy of the form and proof of posting or delivery in case there is a query later on.

#### **4. Fill in Six Supplementary Information Forms (SIFs)**

You **must** complete a separate **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)** for **every** Catholic school to which you apply. This form will ask you questions such as whether your child and you as parents are baptised Catholics, and which parish you live in. The questions, information and the evidence required will vary from school to school. It will depend on the school's Oversubscription Criteria.

The evidence required will generally be a Baptismal Certificate for your child and a Certificate of Catholic Practice signed by a priest at the parish where you worship. Any other information or documentation requested is only that which is necessary to operate a particular criterion.

The **Supplementary Information Form** is available from each Catholic secondary school. The form for each school will be different, as it is particular to that school. It is a good idea to get hold of the forms for **all** of the schools you have chosen before asking your priest for the Certificates of Catholic Practice. This way you will only need to make one visit to the priest.

You need to make sure that you have completed and returned a separate Supplementary Information Form to **each and every one** of the Voluntary Aided schools and Academies that you have listed on the eAdmissions Form.

#### **Certificate of Baptism**

All Catholic schools have oversubscription criteria which give priority to baptised Catholic children. If you wish your child to be considered under one of these criteria you must submit your child's baptism certificate at the same time as the SIF. Please note that some schools will require the **original** baptismal certificate. If you are applying to several schools that require the original baptismal certificate you should go to the school offices with the original certificate and explain this to the admin staff who can then photocopy the document and confirm that they have seen the original.

## The Certificate of Catholic Practice

Some schools will require you to provide a Certificate of Catholic Practice as proof that you are a practising Catholic family i.e. that the child and a parent have attended Mass on Sundays and Holydays of Obligation for the past five years. You will need to obtain the Certificate from the priest at the parish where the family normally worships. You should obtain a Certificate for each school that requires one (i.e. up to 6 Certificates.) The Certificate should be submitted to the school with the SIF and the Certificate of Baptism. If you or your child have been baptised/received into the Church within the past 5 years or your attendance has been shorter than this then you should discuss this with your parish priest.

## 5. Return all the Forms by the Closing Date

The Closing Date for the eAdmissions Form to be received is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017. You must complete the eAdmissions form or return a paper **Application Form** to the LA on or before this date.

For most Catholic schools the date set for the return of the **Supplementary Information Forms** to each school is the Friday before half-term i.e. 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017. You need to make sure of the date for the return of these forms, which must be returned to each school not the LA.

**If you miss the Closing Date, you are very unlikely to get a place in any Catholic school.** This is because if any of your forms are late, your application will not be processed until March 2018, after everyone else has been allocated a place. Most schools will then be full. It is therefore very important that you complete your application and return it on time.

If you have applied to six Catholic schools, you will therefore need to return a total of seven forms to seven different locations by the closing date. **Remember, all these Forms are essential for the Secondary Transfer process.** If you do not return a **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)** to EVERY Catholic school you are applying for AND list them on the **eAdmissions Form**, your application will not be successful in any oversubscribed school and you will be left without a place.

## What happens next...?

Each LA co-ordinates all applications from its own residents, no matter where the schools you apply to are situated. It enters your six choices onto a single, computerised register which covers the whole of the Pan-London scheme.

Once the **Closing Date** has passed, Each LA draws down the details of applicants to all schools in its area, and sends each Admission Authority in its area a list of all those who have applied to it. In a **Voluntary Aided** school or **Academy**, the **Governing Body is the Admission Authority**, whereas in a Community school the LA is the Admission Authority.

Each Catholic school to which you have applied on the **eAdmissions Form** will therefore receive your basic details from the LA. They will then match up these details with the **Supplementary**



**Information Form** you have sent to the school. Using the information from both of these, each school will apply its own **Oversubscription Criteria** to rank all applicants in order of how well they meet the school's Criteria. This information, and the school's admission number, is put onto the Pan-London Register.

When all Admission Authorities have returned this information, the system will know how many applicants have potential offers of places. Many will have several potential offers at this stage. Using the parents' own preferences on the **eAdmissions Form**, the system works out which of these potential offers the parent would prefer. All the other potential offers are redistributed to parents lower down each school's list, until no-one is holding more than one offer.

### **Notification to all London Parents on 1st March 2018**

On 1st March 2018 your LA will write to you telling you whether you have an offer of a place. If you completed an on-line eAdmissions form you will be able to see your offer on-line on this date. If this offer is from a Voluntary Aided school or Academy, the offer will be made on behalf of the Governing Body of the School. You will be given a short time to write back and accept the offer. If you are one of the very few who have not been offered a place, the LA may allocate you a place in a school which you have not chosen.

### **Right of Appeal**

If you are not offered your first choice school, you can find out the reasons why you were not offered a place at any school above the one you were offered from the relevant Admission Authority. For each of these schools, you have a right of appeal to an Independent Appeal Panel. Details of the procedure can be obtained from the Clerk to the Governing Body at each school.

### **Applying On-line**

In all LAs you can now apply on-line using the eAdmissions Form. The process for considering an on-line application is the same as that for paper applications. The advantage of applying on-line is that you will receive your offer on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2018 on-line before the letters are received. In particular, **you must still fill in and submit a Supplementary Information Form (SIF) for every Catholic school you list on the eAdmissions Form.** The SIF will still be in paper form.

### **Pupils with Education, Health and Care Plans**

Pupils with an Education, Health and Care Plan **do not apply** using the system set out in this Prospectus. Instead, transfer to Secondary school is dealt with by the Special Educational Needs Department at your local authority. You must contact your LA if this applies to your child.

### **Waiting Lists**

Parents will be informed about how waiting lists will operate in accordance with each individual school's published admission arrangements.

The waiting lists for all Voluntary Aided schools and Academies will use the existing criteria on which the original decisions were based, i.e. they will give priority to applicants according to the degree they meet the school's published Oversubscription criteria. Children's names will always be kept on a waiting list until at least the end of the autumn term, sometimes longer.

### **Moving into the Area**

This Prospectus only describes the system for allocating school places during the normal Secondary Transfer round, i.e. the round operating during the school year when your child is in Year Six. If you move into an area outside that normal round, you will need to look at separate advice on school admissions. Your best advice is to contact the local Catholic secondary schools in which you are interested to see if they have any vacancies in your child's year. In cases of difficulty, please contact the Diocesan Education Service, who will be able to circulate your details among Catholic Secondary schools that may have vacancies.

### **REMEMBER**

To apply for admission, you **must**:

- fill in your home Local Authority's **eAdmissions Form**;

#### **AND**

- fill in a **Supplementary Information Form** for **every** Catholic school where you wish to apply for a place and return these to each school;

#### **AND**

- return all forms (up to seven of them!) **before** 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

If you do not fill in a Supplementary Information Form for EVERY Catholic school to which you are applying AND list them on the eAdmissions Form, **you will not be successful in getting a place in any oversubscribed Catholic school.**

#### **AND**

If the oversubscription criteria of the schools you are applying to require a certificate of baptism and/or a Certificate of Catholic Practice, you must submit these, with the SIF, to each school, by 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

*We wish you every success!*

**Catholic Secondary Schools in the Diocese of Westminster (VA and Academy)**

<b>School Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City of Westminster</b>				
St George	Mixed	Lanark Road, Maida Vale, W9 1RB	020 7328 0904	020 7624 6083
<b>Barnet</b>				
Bishop Douglass	Mixed	Hamilton Road, Finchley N2 0SQ	020 8444 5211	020 8444 0416
Finchley Catholic High	Boys	Woodside Lane, Finchley N12 8TA	020 8445 0105	020 8446 0691

<b>Brent</b>	St James Catholic High	Mixed	Great Strand, Graham Park, Colindale NW9 5PE	020 8358 2800	020 8358 2801
	St Michael Catholic Grammar	Girls	Nether Street, North Finchley N12 7NJ	020 8446 2256	020 8343 9598
	St Gregory Catholic Science College	Mixed	Donnington Road, Kenton, Harrow, Middx HA3 0NB	020 8907 8828	020 8909 1161
<b>Camden</b>	Convent of Jesus & Mary Language College	Girls	Crownhill Road, Willesden NW10 4EP	020 8965 2986	020 8838 0071
	Newman Catholic College	Boys	Harlesden Road, Willesden NW10 3RN	020 8965 3947	020 8965 3430
<b>Ealing</b>	La Sainte Union	Girls	Highgate Road NW5 1RP	020 7428 4600	020 7267 7647
	Maria Fidelis	Mixed	34 Phoenix Road, Euston NW1 1TA	020 7387 3856	020 7388 9558
<b>Enfield</b>	Cardinal Wiseman	Mixed	Greenford Road, Greenford UB6 9AW	020 8575 8222	020 8575 9963
<b>Hackney</b>	St Anne Catholic High	Girls	Oakthorpe Road, Palmers Green N13 5TY	020 8886 2165	020 8886 6552
	St Ignatius College	Boys	Turkey Street, Enfield, Middx EN1 4NP	01992 717835	01992 652070
<b>Hammersmith &amp; Fulham</b>	Cardinal Pole	Mixed	205 Morning Lane E9 6LG	020 8985 5150	020 8533 7325
	Our Lady's Convent	Girls	6-16, Amhurst Park, N16 5AF	020 8800 2158	020 8809 8898
<b>Haringey</b>	Sacred Heart High Oratory	Girls	212, Hammersmith Road W6 7DG	020 8748 7600	020 8748 0392
		Boys	Seagrave Road, Fulham SW6 1RX	020 7385 0102	020 7381 7676
<b>Harrow</b>	St Thomas More	Mixed	Glendale Avenue, Wood Green N22 5HN	020 8888 7122	020 8826 9370
<b>Hillingdon</b>	Sacred Heart Language College	Girls	186, High Street, Wealdstone, Harrow HA3 7AY	020 8863 9922	020 8861 5051
	Salvatorian College	Boys	High Road, Harrow Weald HA3 3HX	020 8863 2706	020 8863 3435
<b>Hounslow</b>	The Douay Martyrs	Mixed	Edinburgh Drive, Ickenham, Uxbridge UB10 8QY	01895 679400	01895 679400
<b>Islington</b>	Gumley House	Girls	Twickenham Road, Isleworth TW7 6PN	020 8568 8692	020 8758 2674
	Gunnersbury	Boys	The Ride, Boston Manor Road, Brentford TW8 9LB	020 8568 7281	020 8569 7946
	St Mark	Mixed	106, Bath Road, Hounslow TW3 3EJ	020 8577 3600	020 8577 0559
<b>Kensington &amp; Chelsea</b>	St Aloysius' College	Boys	Hornsey Lane, Highgate N6 5LY	020 7263 1391	020 7263 5757
	Sion Manning/All Saints College	Mixed	St Charles Square W10 6EL	020 8969 7111	020 8969 5119
	Cardinal Vaughan	Boys	89, Addison Road, Kensington W14 8BZ	020 7603 8478	020 7602 3124
<b>Richmond-upon-Thames</b>		Girls	St Charles Square, Kensington W10 6EL	020 8969 7111	020 8969 5119
	St Thomas More	Mixed	Cadogan Street, Chelsea SW3 2QS	020 7589 9734	020 7823 7868
<b>Tower Hamlets</b>	St Richard Reynolds	Mixed	Clifden Road, Twickenham TW1 4LT	020 8325 4630	

<b>Surrey</b>	Bishop Challoner Girls	Girls	352 Commercial Road E1 0LB	020 7791 9500	020 7791 9593
	Bishop Challoner Boys	Boys	352 Commercial Road E1 0LB	020 7791 9500	020 8791 9589
	St Paul's College	Mixed	The Ridings, Green St, Sunbury on Thames TW16 6NX	01932 783811	01932 786485
<b>Hertfordshire</b>					
	John F Kennedy	Mixed	Hollybush Lane, Hemel Hempstead, Herts HP1 2PJ	01442 266150	01442 200014
	John Henry Newman	Mixed	Hitchin Road, Stevenage, Herts SG1 4AE	01438 314643	01438 747882
	Loreto	Girls	Hatfield Road, StAlban's, Herts AL1 3RQ	01727 856206	01727 833794
	Nicholas Breakspear	Mixed	Colney Heath Lane, StAlban's, Herts AL4 0TT	01727 860079	01727 848912
	St Joan of Arc	Mixed	High Street, Rickmansworth, Herts WD3 1HG	01923 773881	01923 897545
	St Mary's	Mixed	Windhill, Bishop's Stortford, Herts CM23 2NQ	01279 654901	01279 653889
	St Michael's	Mixed	High Elms Lane, Garston, Watford, Herts WD25 0SS	01923 673760	01923 680511

#### Catholic Independent Secondary Schools in the Diocese of Westminster

<b>Ealing</b>	St Benedict	Boys	54 Eaton Rise, Ealing W5 2ES	020 8862 2010	020 8862 2199
	St Augustine's Priory	Girls	Hillcrest Road, Ealing W5 2JL	020 8997 2022	020 8810 6501
<b>Kensington and Chelsea</b>	More House	Girls	22 Pont Street, SW1X 0AA	020 7235 2855	020 7259 6782
	St Catherine	Girls	Cross Deep, Twickenham, TW1 4QJ	020 8891 2898	020 8744 9629
<b>Hertfordshire</b>	St Columba's College	Boys	King Harry Lane, St Alban's, AL3 4AW	01727 855185	01727 863997
	St Edmund's College	Mixed	Old Hall Green, Ware, Hertfordshire SG11 1DS	01920 821504	01920 823011

#### Catholic Secondary Schools and in London in the Diocese of Brentwood (VA and Academy)

	School Name	Type	Address	Telephone	Fax
<b>Barking</b>	All Saints	Mixed	Terling Road, Wood Lane, Dagenham, Essex RM8 1JT	020 8270 4242	020 8595 4024

<b>Havering</b>	The Champion School	Mixed	Wingletye Lane, Hornchurch, Essex RM11 3BX	01708 452332	01708 456995
	Sacred Heart of Mary	Girls	70, St Mary's Lane, Upminster, Essex RM14 2QR	01708 222660	01708 226686
<b>Newham</b>	St Bonaventure	Boys	Boleyn Road, Forest Gate E7 9QD	020 8472 3844	
	St Angela's Ursuline	Girls	St Georges Road, Forest Gate E7 8HX	020 8472 6022	020 8475 0245
<b>Redbridge</b>	Canon Palmer	Mixed	Aldborough Road South, Seven Kings, Ilford IG3 8EU	020 8590 3808	
	Trinity High	Mixed	Mornington Road, Woodford Green, Essex IG8 0TP	020 8504 3419	020 8505 7546
<b>Waltham Forest</b>	Holy Family	Mixed	1 Shernhall Street, Walthamstow E17 3EA	020 8520 0482	
<b>Catholic Secondary Schools in London in the Archdiocese of Southwark (VA and Academy)</b>					
<b>Bexley</b>	St Catherine's	Girls	Watling Street, Crayford DA6 7QJ	01322 556333	
	St Columba's	Boys	Halcot Avenue, Bexleyheath DA6 7QB	01322 553236	01322 522471
	St Mary's and St Joseph's	Mixed	Chislehurst Road, Sidcup DA14 6BP	020 8309 7700	020 8300 6815
<b>Croydon</b>	Coloma Convent	Girls	Upper Shirley Road, Addiscombe CR9 5AS	020 8654 6228	020 8656 6485
	Thomas More	Mixed	Russell Hill Road, Purley CR8 2XB	020 8668 6251	020 8660 9003
	St Joseph's College	Boys	Beulah Hill, Upper Norwood SE19 3HL	020 8761 1426	
	Virgo Fidelis Convent	Girls	Central Hill Upper Norwood SE19 1RS	020 8670 6917	
	St Mary's High	Mixed	Woburn Road, West Croydon CR0 2AB	020 8686 3837	020 8781 1264
<b>Greenwich</b>	St Thomas More	Mixed	Footscray road, Eltham SE9 2SU	020 8850 6700	
	St Ursula's Convent	Girls	70, Crooms Hill, Greenwich SE10 8HN	020 8858 6700	020 8305 0560
	St Paul's Academy	Mixed	Wickham Lane, Plumstead SE2 0XX	020 8311 3868	020 8312 1642
<b>Kingston</b>	Richard Challoner	Boys	Manor Drive North, Maldon Manor KT3 5PE	020 8330 5947	020 8330 3842
	Holy Cross	Girls	Westbury Road, New Malden KT3 5AN	020 8395 4225	020 8395 4234
<b>Lambeth</b>	La Retraite High	Girls	Atkins Road, Clapham SW12 0AB	020 8673 5644	020 8675 8577
	Bishop Thomas Grant	Mixed	Belltrees Grove, Streatham SW16 2HY	020 8769 3249	020 8769 4917
<b>Lewisham</b>	St Matthew Academy	Mixed	Lee Terrace, Blackheath SE3 9TY	020 8852 7433	
	Bonus Pastor	Mixed	Winlton Road, Downham BR1 5PZ	020 8695 2100	020 8695 2105
<b>Merton</b>	Ursuline High	Girls	Crescent Road, Wimbledon SW20 8HR	020 8255 2688	020 8255 2687
	Wimbledon College	Boys	Edge Hill, Wimbledon SW19 4NS	020 8946 2533	020 8947 6513
<b>Southwark</b>	St Michael	Mixed	John Felton Road, Bermondsey SE16 4UN	020 7237 6432	020 7252 2411
	Sacred Heart	Mixed	Camberwell New Road, Camberwell SE5 0RP	020 7274 6844	020 7737 1713
	St Thomas the Apostle	Boys	Hollydale Road, Nunhead, SE15 2EB	020 7639 0106	020 7277 5471
	Notre Dame	Girls	118, St George's Road, Southwark SE1 6EX	020 7261 1121	020 7620 2922
<b>Sutton</b>	St Philomena's	Girls	Pound Street, Carshalton SM5 3PS	020 8642 2025	020 8643 7925
	John Fisher	Boys	Peaks Hill, Purley CR8 3YP	020 8660 4555	020 8763 1837

**Wandsworth**

St John Bosco College	Mixed	Princes Way, Balham SW19 6QE	020 8788 8142	020 8780 1393
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**Catholic Secondary Schools on the outskirts of London in the Diocese of Northampton (VA and Academy)****Luton**

Cardinal Newman	Mixed	Warden Hill Road, Luton LU2 7AE	01582 597125	01582 503088
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**Berkshire**

St Joseph's High	Mixed	Shaggy Calf Lane, Slough SL2 5HW	01753 524713	01753 579128
St Bernard's Grammar	Mixed	Langley Road, Slough SL3 7AF	01753 527020	01753 576919

*'Go, therefore, make disciples of all nations... and teach them to observe all the commands I give you' (Mt 28: 19-20)*

**FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT MAINTAINED CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN  
THE ARCHDIOCESE OF WESTMINSTER**

	Local Authority	School	Admits	Website
1	Westminster	St George's	120	www.stgeorgesrc.org
2	Barnet	Bishop Douglass	180	www.bishopdouglass.barnet.sch.uk
3		Finchley Catholic High	180	www.finchleycatholic.org.uk
4		St James	210	www.st-james.barnet.sch.uk
5		St Michael's Grammar	93	www.stmichaels.barnet.sch.uk
6	Brent	St Gregory's	175	www.stgregorys.harrow.sch.uk
7		Convent of Jesus and Mary	180	www.cjmhs.brent.sch.uk
8		Newman Catholic College	180	www.ncc.brent.sch.uk
9	Camden	La Sainte Union	180	www.lsu.camden.sch.uk
10		Maria Fidelis	150	www.mariafidelis.camden.sch.uk
11	Ealing	Cardinal Wiseman	270	www.wiseman.ealing.sch.uk
12	Enfield	St Anne's	180	www.stannes.enfield.sch.uk
13		St Ignatius	180	www.stignatius.sch.uk
14	Hackney	Cardinal Pole	180	www.cardinalpole.co.uk
15		Our Lady's Convent	120	www.ourlady.s.hackney.sch.uk
16	Hammersmith & Fulham	Sacred Heart High	150	www.sacredhearthighschoolhammersmith.org.uk
17		The London Oratory	180	www.londonoratory.co.uk
18	Haringey	St Thomas More	192	www.stthomasmoreschool.org.uk
19	Harrow	Sacred Heart High	150	www.sacredheartgirls.harrow.sch.org.uk
20		Salvatorian College	150	www.salvatoriancollege.co.uk
21	Hillingdon	Douay Martyrs	240	www.douaymartyrs.hillingdon.sch.uk
22	Hounslow	Gumley House	192	www.gumley.hounslow.sch.uk
23		Gunnersbury	184	www.gunnersbury.com
24		St Mark's	186	www.stmarks.hounslow.sch.uk
	Islington			
25		St Aloysius' College	180	www.sta.islington.sch.uk
26	Kensington & Chelsea	Cardinal Vaughan	120	www.cvms.co.uk
27		Sion Manning/All Saints College	120	www.sion-manning.com
28		St Thomas More	120	http://webfronter.com/rbkc/stm/
29	Richmond	St Richard Reynolds	150	www.strichardreynolds.org.uk
30	Tower Hamlets	Bishop Challoner Girls	180	www.bishop-learningvillage.towerhamlets.sch.uk
31		Bishop Challoner Boys	90	www.bishop-learningvillage.towerhamlets.sch.uk
32	Surrey	St Paul's College	180	www.st-pauls.surrey.sch.uk
33	Hertfordshire	John F Kennedy	168	www.jfk.herts.sch.uk
34		John Henry Newman	120	www.johnhenrynewman.herts.sch.uk
35		Loreto College	120	www.loreto.herts.sch.uk
36		Nicholas Breakspear	150	www.nicholasbreakspearschool.co.uk
37		St Joan of Arc	210	www.joa.herts.sch.uk



<b>38</b>	<b>St Mary's, Bp Stortford</b>	155	<a href="http://www.stmarys.net">www.stmarys.net</a>
<b>39</b>	<b>St Michael's, Garston</b>	160	<a href="http://www.stmichaelscatholichighschool.co.uk">www.stmichaelscatholichighschool.co.uk</a>