

NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL

REPORT

AGENDA ITEM No. 8

To: Education Resources Sub-Committee	Subject:
From: Director of Education	Delineation of Uddingston Grammar School: South Lanarkshire
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Summary

This report outlines changes included by South Lanarkshire which affect the primary-secondary transfer arrangements for pupils attending Burnhead Primary, Aitkenhead Primary and Tannochside Primary.

Recommendations

The education resources sub-committee is recommended to note the revised arrangements for the primary-secondary transfer from the North Lanarkshire schools associated with Uddingston Grammar

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NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL: DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Delineation of Uddingston Grammar School South Lanarkshire

Report by the Director of Education

1. Introduction

- 1.1 South Lanarkshire Council has approved the delineation of all secondary schools. This proposal has implications for schools in North Lanarkshire who transfer pupils to Uddingston Grammar School in South Lanarkshire.
- 1.2 An extract outlining the proposals approved by South Lanarkshire Council is shown in appendix 1.

2. Delineation of Uddingston Grammar

- 2.1 Uddingston Grammar has associated primary schools in North Lanarkshire and these schools will be affected by this proposal. As from 8 September 2003 only those pupils who live in the delineated area of Uddingston Grammar will be eligible to transfer to this secondary school. It is proposed that the school will have a delineated catchment area consisting of the combined catchment areas of the following primary schools.

Bothwell Primary (South Lanarkshire School)
Muiredge Primary (South Lanarkshire School)
Aitkenhead Primary
Burnhead Primary
Tannochside Primary

3. Effects on Pupils Attending North Lanarkshire Schools

- 3.1 (1) All children who attend and reside within the delineated catchment area for the above primary schools will continue to have automatic right to transfer to Uddingston Grammar
- (2) Children who attend the three schools as a result of placing requests made after 8 September 2003 and who reside outwith the delineated area will no longer have the right to automatic transfer.
- (3) Children who reside in the delineated catchment area but attend a denominational primary will no longer have the right to automatic transfer.

4. Recommendations

- 4.1 The education resources sub-committee is recommended to note the revised arrangements for the primary-secondary transfer from the North Lanarkshire schools associated with Uddingston Grammar.

Appendix 1

	PUPILS WHO CAN AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFER TO A SECONDARY SCHOOL AT THE P7-S1 STAGE	WHO NEEDS TO MAKE A PLACING REQUEST AT THE P7-S1 STAGE	WHO NEEDS TO MAKE A PLACING REQUEST TO PLACE A CHILD IN SECONDARY SCHOOL OTHER THAN AT THE P7-S1 STAGE
Current General Position (some secondary schools have delineation associated with their existing catchment areas)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All pupils who attend the associated primary schools (unless they live in an area that is delineated to another secondary school) 2. Pupils who live in the catchment area of the secondary school (irrespective of which primary school they attend) 	Parents of any pupil who lives outwith the catchment area of the secondary school, and who currently does not attend an associated primary school	Parents of any pupils who lives outwith the catchment area of the secondary school
Proposed position to take effect from August 2003	All pupils who attend the associated primary schools, and live within the delineated catchment area of the secondary school	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Parents of pupils who live outwith the delineated catchment area of the secondary school (irrespective of which primary school they attend) 2. Parents of pupils who wish to transfer from a denominational primary school to a non-denominational secondary school (irrespective of where they live) 3. Parents of pupils who wish to transfer from a non-denominational primary school to a denominational secondary school (irrespective of where they live) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Parents of pupils who live outwith the delineated catchment area of the secondary school 2. Parents of pupils who wish to transfer from a non-denominational secondary school to a denominational secondary school or vice versa. (irrespective of where they live)