

## The Children's Service

### Proposed admission arrangements for Hornsey School for Girls for the 2007/08 school year.

Where there are more applications received than places available, places will be offered in the following order of priority:

- a) Girls with Special Educational Needs identified through a statement issued under the Education Act 1996 which names the school, or are children in public care, or who are the subject of an Education Supervision Order under the Children Act 1989 which names the school.
- b) Girls whom the Director of the Children's Service accepts have an exceptional medical, social or educational need for a place. Applications will only be considered under this category if they are supported by a written statement from a doctor, social worker or other appropriate professional. In each case, the connection between the child's need and the specific school applied for must be demonstrated.
- c) Girls with a sister already attending the school, and who will still be attending on the date of admission. This category includes foster sisters, half sisters and stepsisters. Parents should note that in all of these cases, the sister must be living at the same address as the child for whom the application is being made.
- d) Girls allocated places in proportion to the applications received from each primary school. If there are more requests from girls attending a particular primary school than the proportionate allocation, places will be allocated to those girls living closest to Hornsey School for Girls (distance is measured in a straight line using a computerised mapping system). If a place becomes available but there are no remaining requests from that particular primary school, (school A), the place will be added to the proportion allocated to the primary school (school B) **which is the primary school with the highest unmet demand**. Girls who attend independent schools or who move into the area and who are unplaced in a primary school will be assigned to their nearest community primary school.

The waiting list for Hornsey School for Girls will be held in this order until the half term break in October 2006 when, after criteria a), b) and c), criterion d) will be replaced by criterion e) below:

- e) The remaining places will be allocated to those girls who live closest to Hornsey School for Girls. (Distance is measured in a straight line using a computerised mapping system).