Fair Admissions Campaig

Let's open up all state-funded schools to un all children, without regard to religion A LE SAL

Are you happy to live in a society in which children are unable to gain admittance to their local state school, because of religious selection?

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While parents feel they must game the system in order to get them in?

The Fair Admissions Campaign aims to put an end to this. Schools should be a beacon of fairness, but are mired in discrimination.

Reasons to oppose faith-based selection

- 1. Religious selection amounts to legalised discrimination by the state on the basis of belief or practice.
- 2. Dividing children on the grounds of religion damages **community cohesion.** Allowing children to grow up with friends from diverse religious backgrounds promotes harmony.
- 3. Religious segregation leads socio-economic to segregation. Religiously selective schools typically admit a much smaller percentage of pupils on free school meals than others in their postcode or local authority.
- 4. Many faith schools choose not to select children by faith and yet are still able to maintain their ethos – proving that selection is not necessary in order to do so.

How you can help

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There are a range of ways you can get involved with the Campaign. Visit our website to find out more!

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