

Retention of the Sibling Link

Please note that in order to retain the sibling link when applying for future siblings, **you must:**

Continue to live at the same address from which the older sibling was admitted, or:

If you have moved,

The distance from your new address to the school must be within 2 miles, or:

if you lived more than 2 miles from the school when the older sibling was admitted, your new address must be closer than this

For example:

Older Sibling admitted at 1.9 miles from the school. Family moves and is now 1.6 miles from the school **Sibling Link Retained**

Older Sibling admitted at 2.5 miles from the school. Family moves and is now 2.2 miles from the school **Sibling Link Retained**

Older Sibling admitted at 1.9 miles from the school. Family moves and is now 2.1 miles from the school **Sibling Link Lost**

All distances will be calculated using the local authority's specific measuring software, and not internet based tools. If you are in any doubt of the distance you live from the school, please contact KCC admissions on 03000 412121.

The older sibling **MUST** still be attending the school in the academic year the younger sibling is due to start.

Please refer to our Important Information Document which outlines the rules for the provision of documentary evidence.

(For in-year applications, the address for future siblings will link to the address of the eldest sibling at the time of application)

If you are thinking of moving or if you are in any doubt at all, please contact KCC Admissions on 03000 412121 or email kentonlineadmissions@kent.gov.uk and ask them to check your eligibility for you.