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Template for a grammar school admissions appeal letter

YOUR NAME
YOUR ADDRESS

LOCAL AUTHORITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE NAME
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DATE

Dear LOCAL ADMISSIONS OFFICER,

SCHOOL ADMISSION APPEAL FOR CHILD'S NAME TO ATTEND SCHOOL NAME

I would like to appeal against the decision of the admission authority not to offer CHILD'S NAME a place at GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.

I set out below the grounds for my appeal:

The admission arrangements were not correctly and impartially applied in my case.

I believe that the admission arrangements were not correctly and impartially applied in my case and that this has effectively denied CHILD'S NAME a place at GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.

The school can accommodate CHILD'S NAME without causing prejudice.

I believe that the school can accommodate CHILD'S NAME without causing prejudice. I will provide more information after I have received the admission authority's case in due course.

Why I would like CHILD'S NAME to attend GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.

CHILD'S NAME passed the 11+ entrance test for GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.

The reasons that I would like CHILD'S NAME to attend GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME are as follows:

CHILD'S NAME did not pass the 11+ entrance test for GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.
However, I believe CHILD'S NAME merits a place at GRAMMAR SCHOOL NAME.

The reasons that I would like CHILD'S NAME to attend SCHOOL NAME are as follows:



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Why it would not be suitable for CHILD'S NAME to attend NAME OF ALLOCATED SCHOOL.

I believe that it would not be suitable for CHILD'S NAME to attend NAME OF ALLOCATED SCHOOL for the following reasons:

Additional considerations

In addition to the above points, I would like the appeal panel to take into consideration the following points:

In support of this appeal, please find attached the following documents:

I look forward to hearing from you with details of when the appeal will be heard.

Yours truly,

YOUR SIGNATURE

YOUR NAME