## Council Gypsy/Traveller Site Pitch Allocations Policy Child-Friendly Version









We have a site for Gypsy/Traveller families to stay on. There are 16 spaces (called pitches) where you can park your caravan and live safely. We want to make sure that people who need a pitch the most get one.



There are 4 Bands to help decide who needs a pitch the most:

Band I:You have a caravan but nowhere to put it

Band 2:You are homeless or about to lose your home

Band 3:Your current place is not safe, healthy, or suitable

Band 4:You already have a good place to live



People in Bands 2 and 3 get points based on how long they've needed help. The longer you've needed help, the more points you get (up to 4 points).

When you make an application, we will decide what your needs are. If a pitch becomes free, it goes to the person with the highest need. If two people have the same points, the one who applied first gets it. People with a local connection (like family or work nearby) will be given priority.



If you're offered a pitch you must own or have access to a caravan. If you say no the pitch, it will be offered to the next person.

