

# Our Lady of Sion Orphanage

1913 – 1947

**Other Names:** • Notre Dame de Sion Orphanage

## Details

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The Our Lady of Sion Orphanage was established in 1913. It was run by the Sisters of Sion and situated in the town of Sale on the grounds of a college for girls. It generally accommodated girls aged from 4 to 15 years. It ceased to operate in 1947.

The Orphanage was run by the Sisters of Sion. According to '*A piece of the story*' (1999), many children admitted to the Orphanage were placed there 'by their families for varying periods of time because of difficulties at home'.

## Gallery

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**Our Lady of Sion Convent, Sale**

**Description:** This is an image of Our Lady of Sion Convent where Our Lady of Sion College and Orphanage were located.

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## More info

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### Related Entries

**Run by**

- [Sisters of Sion \(c. 1890 - current\)](#)  
Date: 1913 - 1947

### Resources

- Pearce, Esther, [Submission no 429 to the Senate Inquiry into Institutional Care: 'The green-eyed one: Esther's story'](#), 2005

## Records

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For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

# Records

- [Correspondence files, single number series with 'B' \[Child Endowment\] prefix \(1904 - 1974\)](#)
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