

Secondary Allocation Information

Allocation Information for Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead Middle, Secondary and Upper Schools

For September 2021 Entry

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The Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead Secondary Aged Schools

All RBWM secondary aged schools are their own admitting authorities, some of which buy back into our validation service. The following schools do not buy back into our service, and therefore if you wish to find out their allocation information, please contact the schools directly:

Schools that do not buy back into our validation service

School	Contact Details
Altwood CE Secondary School Type: Academy DfE Ref: 868/4506	Email: altwood@altwoodschoo.co.uk Tel: 01628 622236 Website: https://altwoodschoo.co.uk
Churchmead School Type: Voluntary Aided DfE Ref: 868/4084	Email: office@churchmead.org Tel: 01753 211330 Website: https://www.churchmead.org
Cox Green School Type: Academy DfE Ref: 868/4056	Email: enquiries@coxgreen.com Tel: 01628 629415 Website: https://www.coxgreen.com
Furze Platt Senior School Type: Academy DfE Ref: 868/4055	Email: office@furzeplatt.com Tel: 01628 625308 Website: https://www.furzeplatt.com
St. Edward's Royal Free Middle School Type: Voluntary Aided DfE Ref: 868/4704	Email: office@sterf.org.uk Tel: 01753 867809 Website: https://www.sterf.org.uk
St. Peter's CE Middle School Type: Academy DfE Ref: 868/4003	Email: office@st-petersoldwindsor.org.uk Tel: 01753 866253 Website: http://oldwindsor.org/
Trevelyan Middle School Type: Academy DfE Ref: 868/4083	Email: office@trevelyan.org.uk Tel: 01753 864371 Website: http://www.trevelyan.org.uk

Allocation information for schools that buy back into our validation service

The following information is based on the initial allocation on 01 March 2021 of applications received by the deadline of 31 October 2020.

Middle Schools – Entry into Year 5

Dedworth Middle School

Type: Academy
DfE Ref: 868/4063
All preferences met

Total preference received: 202
Number of places offered: 115
Number of divert offers: 7
Vacancies at national offer day: 35

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
150	0	1	0	27	62	5	11	0	2	N/A	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for Dedworth Middle School

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Dedworth Middle School will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children who live in the designated area of the school and have a sibling attending the school and who will still be on roll at the time of admission
4. Children living in the designated area of the school
5. Children who live outside the designated area of the school with a sibling attending the school and who will still be on roll at the time of admission
6. Children who attend a feeder school – All Windsor first schools, Wraysbury Primary School or Datchet St. Mary's Primary School
7. Children whose parents selected the school for co-educational reasons when the local alternative is a single sex school
8. All other applicants

Secondary Schools – Entry into Year 7

Charters School

Type: Academy

DfE Ref: 868/4029

Furthest distance met: 3.755 miles

(Furthest distance under lowest category)

Total preference received: 615

Number of places offered: 270

Number of divert offers: 0

Vacancies at national offer day: 0

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
270	0	0	2	5	83	160	20	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for Charters School

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Charters School will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children of staff in either of the following circumstances:
 - a. The member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application; *and/or*
 - b. The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage
4. Children living in the designated area of the school and have a sibling attending the school
5. Children who live in the designated area of the school
6. Children who live outside the designated area of the school and have a sibling attending the school
7. All other applicants

Tiebreaker 1– (applies to categories 4 and 6) Preference will be given to siblings of students in the learning Support Centre, who will be allocated places before other siblings.

Tiebreaker 2 – Proximity to the school. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the school. Random allocation will be used if two or more children live at the same distance from the school (for example, families living in flats).

Desborough College

Type: Academy
 DfE Ref: 868/4000
 All preferences met

Total preference received: 372
 Number of places offered: 137
 Number of divert offers: 9
 Vacancies at national offer day: 52

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
189	2	0	0	0	81	2	43	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for Desborough College

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Desborough College will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children of staff in either of the following circumstances:
 - a. The member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application; *and/or*
 - b. The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage
4. Children living in the designated area of the school
5. Children who live outside the designated area of the school and have a sibling attending the school who will still be on roll at the time of admission
6. All other applicants

Tiebreaker 1 – (applies to criteria 1,2 and 4) Children who have a sibling of compulsory school age at the College at the time the applicant would enter the college.

Tiebreaker 2 – Proximity to the college. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the college.

Holyport College (Day)

Type: Free School

DfE Ref: 868/4001

Furthest distance met: 1.39 miles

(Furthest distance under lowest category)

Total preference received: 351

Number of places offered: 53*

(Last place available allocated to twins)

Number of divert offers: 0

Vacancies at national offer day: -1

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
52	3	6	3	0	6	3	1	31	0	0	N/A

*Over allocation due to system error. No further offers will be made during or after the second round of allocations until the number drops back down below 52.

Oversubscription Criteria for Holyport College (Day)

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Holyport College will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children whose parents are founders of Holyport College and who have been granted this provision by the Secretary of State for Education
4. Children of staff in either of the following circumstances:
 - a. The member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application; *and/or*
 - b. The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage
5. Children eligible for Pupil Premium up to 20% of places
**The distance tie break will be used when the number of pupils eligible for Pupil Premium exceeds 20%*
6. Children who live in the designated area of the school with a sibling who is also a day pupil at the school at the time of admission
7. Children who live in the designated area of the school
8. Children who live outside the designated area with a sibling who is a day pupil at the school at the time of admission
9. Proximity to school – All others

Tiebreaker 1 – Proximity to the college. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the college. In the event of students meeting identical criteria in the selection process, the students to be admitted will be determined by the drawing of lots.

Holyport College (Boarding)

Type: Free School
DfE Ref: 868/1113

Total preference received: 56
Number of places offered: 17
Number of divert offers: 0
Vacancies at national offer day: 1
Contact school for full details

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
18	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	4	0	7

Initial allocations and offers directly managed by the school due to suitability to board requirements. Please contact the school directly for full details and information about how places were allocated. Waiting list offers directly managed by the school due to suitability to board requirements.

Oversubscription Criteria for Holyport College (Boarding)

All pupils applying for a boarding place in year 7 will be invited for an interview with the school solely to assess their suitability for a boarding school education. These interviews will take place after the closing date for applications to RBWM and prior to national offer day. Candidates for boarding places will be assessed to determine their suitability for boarding prior to application of the oversubscription criteria.

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children of members in the UK Armed Forces
3. Children with a 'boarding need'
4. Children who are at risk of being taken into care
5. Children transferring from a day place to a boarding place at Holyport College
6. Children who meet the criteria for and have been offered a Holyport College bursary
7. Children whose parents are founders of Holyport College and who have been granted this provision by the Secretary of State for Education
8. Children with a sibling at the school who also boards and who will still be a pupil of Holyport College at the time of admission
9. Children who are eligible for Pupil Premium and who have full funding for boarding fees secured by an external charitable foundation. This funding must be in place by 20 January in the proposed year of entry
10. Proximity to school for those applicants whose permanent residence is in the UK

Tiebreaker 1 – Proximity to the college. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the college. In the event of students meeting identical criteria in the selection process, the students to be admitted will be determined by the drawing of lots.

Newlands Girls' School

Type: Academy

DfE Ref: 868/4036

Furthest distance met: 1.74 miles

(Furthest distance under lowest category)

Total preference received: 495

Number of places offered: 192

Number of divert offers: 0

Vacancies at national offer day: 0

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
192	2	1	0	28	161	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for Newlands Girls' School

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Newlands Girls' School will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children who live in the designated area of the school and who have a sibling who will still be on roll at the time of admission
4. Children living in the designated area of the school
5. Children who live outside the designated area of the school and have a sibling attending the school who will still be on roll at the time of admission
6. Children who attend a formally linked school – *Courthouse Junior School, Holyport CE Primary School, Oldfield Primary School, Riverside Primary School and St. Luke's CE Primary School*
7. Individual preference for a single-sex educational school where the only alternative (Co-educational) is available in the child's local area
8. Children whose parents have any other reason for their preference

Tiebreaker – Proximity to the school. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the school.

Upper Schools – Entry into Year 9

Holyport College (Day)

Type: Free School

DfE Ref: 868/4001

Furthest distance met: 1.26 miles

(Furthest distance under lowest category)

Total preference received: 157

Number of places offered: 26

Number of divert offers: 0

Vacancies at national offer day: 0

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
26	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	13	4	N/A	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for Holyport College (Day)

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Holyport College will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children whose parents are founders of Holyport College and who have been granted this provision by the Secretary of State for Education
4. Children of staff in either of the following circumstances:
 - a. The member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application; *and/or*
 - b. The member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage
5. Children eligible for Pupil Premium up to 20% of places
**The distance tie break will be used when the number of pupils eligible for Pupil Premium exceeds 20%*
6. Children who live outside the designated area of the school with a sibling who is also a day pupil at the school at the time of admission. The sibling must have been admitted to the college in years 9, 10 or 11
7. Children who attend a Windsor middle school (up to a maximum of 22 places). This category only applies during the initial allocation of places made on 1st March. Places allocated from the waiting list after 1st March will be allocated through category 1-6 first and then by category 8 (proximity to school)
8. Proximity to school – All others

Tiebreaker 1 – Proximity to the college. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the college. In the event of students meeting identical criteria in the selection process, the students to be admitted will be determined by the drawing of lots.

Holyport College (Boarding)

Type: Free School
DfE Ref: 868/1113

Total preference received: 23
Number of places offered: 13
Number of divert offers: 0
Vacancies at national offer day:
Contact school for full details

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	10

Initial allocations and offers directly managed by the school due to suitability to board requirements. Please contact the school directly for full details and information about how places were allocated. Waiting list offers directly managed by the school due to suitability to board requirements.

Oversubscription Criteria for Holyport College (Boarding)

All pupils applying for a boarding place in year 9 will be invited for an interview with the school solely to assess their suitability for a boarding school education. These interviews will take place after the closing date for applications to RBWM and prior to national offer day. Candidates for boarding places will be assessed to determine their suitability for boarding prior to application of the oversubscription criteria.

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children
2. Children of members in the UK Armed Forces
3. Children with a 'boarding need'
4. Children who are at risk of being taken into care
5. Children transferring from a day place to a boarding place at Holyport College
6. Children who meet the criteria for and have been offered a Holyport College bursary
7. Children whose parents are founders of Holyport College and who have been granted this provision by the Secretary of State for Education
8. Children with a sibling at the school who also boards and who will still be a pupil of Holyport College at the time of admission
9. Children who are eligible for Pupil Premium and who have full funding for boarding fees secured by an external charitable foundation. This funding must be in place by 20 January in the proposed year of entry
10. Proximity to school for those applicants whose permanent residence is in the UK

Tiebreaker 1 – Proximity to the college. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the college. In the event of students meeting identical criteria in the selection process, the students to be admitted will be determined by the drawing of lots.

The Windsor Boys' School

Type: Academy
 DfE Ref: 868/4044
 All Preferences met

Total preference received: 248
 Number of places offered: 236
 Number of divert offers: 1
 Vacancies at national offer day: 24

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
260	1	1	0	26	153	0	5	26	0	23	N/A

Oversubscription Criteria for The Windsor Boys' School

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming The Windsor Boys' School will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children, including children who were previously looked after outside of England
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children who live in the designated area of the school and who have a sibling who will still be on roll at the time of admission
4. Children living in the designated area of the school
5. Children selected according to their aptitude for performing arts (to a maximum of 10% of the new intake)
6. Children who live outside the designated area of the school and who have a sibling of compulsory school age attending the school who will still be on roll at the time of admission
7. Children who attend a feeder Middle school
8. Children whose parents have selected the school because of a preference for a single-sex school when the local alternative is a co-educational school
9. All other applicants

Tiebreaker – Proximity to the school. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the school.

Windsor Girls' School

Type: Academy
 DfE Ref: 868/4046
 All Preferences met

Total preference received: 223
 Number of places offered: 214
 Number of divert offers: 2
 Vacancies at national offer day: 16

Admission Number	EHCP	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10
230*	1	0	0	18	154	1	24	16	N/A	N/A	N/A

*Official published admission number is 208. The school agreed to a temporary increase to meet local demand. No further places will be offered after national offer day until numbers drop back down to below 208.

Oversubscription Criteria for Windsor Girls' School

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming Windsor Girls' School will always be offered places. Remaining places are allocated according to the following oversubscription criteria:

1. Children who are looked after and previously looked after children, including children who were previously looked after outside of England
2. Children with exceptional medical or social needs for requiring the school
3. Children who live in the designated area of the school and who have a sibling of compulsory school age who will still be on roll at the time of admission
4. Children living in the designated area of the school
5. Children who live outside the designated area of the school and who have a sibling of compulsory school age attending the school who will still be on roll at the time of admission
6. Children who attend a feeder Middle school
7. All other applicants

Tiebreaker – Proximity to the school. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's house as determined by Ordnance Survey to the address point of the school.