

Summary of preferences and offers into Secondary School September 2024 (1st March 2024)

Admission criteria can be found at bolton.gov.uk/admissions or via the relevant schools' website.

Bolton Muslim Girls School Admission Number 150

There were 394 preferences expressed for the school. Not all children could be offered a place; any child refused a place where BMGS is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
EHCP	2
Criteria 1 (LAC)	0
Criteria 2 (sibling BL1,2,3 & 4)	51
Criteria 3 (staff)	1
Criteria 4 (social/medical)	0
Criteria 5 (sibling BL5,6,7,8 & 9)	0
Criteria 6 (proximity, last distance 0.7 miles)	96
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	140

Bolton St Catherine's Academy Admission number 160

There were 234 preferences expressed for the school. Places were offered to all those who expressed the school as a preference and had not been offered a higher preference school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
children with EHCP	4
LAC/previous	2
Criterion 2 (vulnerable)	2
criterion 3 (sibling)	50
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (children of staff)	0
criterion 6 (proximity)	57
Alternative/no preference offers	45
Places available	0

Canon Slade CE Admission Number 300

There were 784 preferences expressed for the school. Not all children could be offered a place; any child refused a place where Canon Slade school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	5
LAC/previous	16
408 - 4 points	243
0 points, last distance 1.4 miles	36
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	49

Eden Boys' School Bolton

Admission number 124

There were 393 preferences expressed for the school. Not all children could be offered a place. Any child refused a place where Eden Boys' School is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	5
LAC/previous LAC	0
Staff	1
Social/Medical	1
Attending The Olive School	23
Sibling	32
BL3 resident (reduced by any already allocated by sibling/attending The Olive Primary, last distance offered 1.68 miles)	21
Proximity (last distance offered 0.46 miles)	41
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	238

Essa Academy

Admission number 210

There were 640 preferences expressed for the school. Not all children could be offered a place. Any child refused a place where Essa is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	7
LAC/previous LAC	1
criterion 2 (vulnerable)	3
criterion 3 (sibling)	86
criterion 4 (Essa Primary)	14
criterion 5 (medical/social)	0
criterion 6 (proximity, last distance offered 0.90 miles)	99
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	91

Harper Green

Admission Number 240

There were 350 preferences expressed for the school. Not all children could be offered a place. Any child refused a place where Harper Green is a higher preference than the school offered will be added to the waiting list.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	3
LAC/previous LAC	2
criterion 2 (child protection)	0
criterion 3 (sibling)	66
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (proximity)	122
Alternative/no preference offers	47
Places available	0

Kearsley Academy

Admission Number 180

There were 272 preferences expressed for the school. Places were offered to all those who expressed the school as a preference and had not been offered a higher preference school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	3
LAC/previous LAC	1
criterion 2 (child protection)	0
criterion 3 (sibling)	48
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (proximity)	96
Alternative/no preference offer	32
Places available	0

Kings Leadership Academy

Admission number 180

There were 595 preferences expressed for the school, not all children could be offered a place. Any child refused a place where Kings Leadership is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	4
LAC/previous LAC	0
criterion 1 (sibling)	51
criterion 2 (social/medical)	2
criterion 3 (staff children)	1
criterion 4 (proximity, last distance offered 0.937 miles)	122
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	95

Ladybridge High

Admission number 240

There were 592 preferences expressed for the school, any child refused a place where Ladybridge school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	9
LAC/previous LAC	3
criterion 2 (child protection)	3
criterion 3 (sibling)	76
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (proximity, last distance offered 1.141 miles)	149
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	73

Little Lever

Admission number 240

There were 424 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where Little Lever school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	4
LAC/previous	1
criterion 2 (child protection)	0
criterion 3 (sibling)	64
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (proximity, last distance offered 1.61 miles)	171
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	54

Mount St Joseph RC

Admission number 180

There were 515 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where Mount St Joseph school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	4
Criterion 1(RC LAC &previous LAC	0
criterion 2 (RC feeder primary)	1
criterion 3 (other RC)	3
criterion 4 (other LAC)	0
criterion 5 (sibling)	66
criterion 6 (staff)	0
criterion 7 (non RC partner primary)	35
criterion 8 (non RC other RC primary)	2
criterion 9 (proximity, last distance offered 0.66 miles)	69
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	56

Rivington and Blackrod

Admission number 300

There were 528 preferences expressed for the school. Places were offered to all those who expressed the school as a preference and had not been offered a higher preference school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	6
LAC/previous LAC	4
criterion 2 (child protection)	4
criterion 3 (sibling)	64
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (faith)	1
Criterion 6 (Horwich/Blackrod)	107
criterion 7 (proximity)	106
Alternative offer/no preference offer	8
Places available	0

Sharples

Admission number 245

There were 823 preferences expressed for the school, any child refused a place where Sharples school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	8
LAC/previous LAC	3
criterion 2 (child protection)	3
criterion 3 (sibling)	88
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (staff child)	5
Criterion 6 (proximity, last distance offered 1.16 miles)	138
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	158

Smithills

Admission number 250

There were 427 preferences expressed for the school. Places were offered to all those who expressed the school as a preference and had not been offered a higher preference school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	3
LAC/previous LAC	4
criterion 2 (vulnerable)	3
criterion 3 (sibling)	79
criterion 4 (medical/social)	0
criterion 5 (proximity)	133
Alternative offer, not a preference	28
Places available	0

St James CE

Admission number 210

There were 871 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where St James school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. Applicants who received 19 points or more were allocated places. Tiebreak was applied at 18 points. Not all children with 18 points could be offered a place, 211 places offered. The additional child was admitted under exceptional circumstances. For further information about admissions please contact the school

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	11
LAC/previous LAC	11
Applications with 28 points	33
Applications with 24 points	22
Applications with 22 points	105
Applications with 20 points	3
Applications with 19 points	3
Applications with 18 points	23
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	199

St Joseph RC

Admission number 216

There were 500 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where St Joseph school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	9
LAC	7
Category 2 (RC parish)	57
Category 3 (RC not parish associated primary)	8
Category 4 (RC sibling)	3
Category 5 (other RC)	12
Category 6 (staff)	2
Category 7 (social/medical)	0
Category 8 (non RC associated primary)	34
Category 9 (non RC sibling)	32
Category 10 (proximity, last distance offered 1.35 miles)	52
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	18

Thornleigh RC

Admission number 270

There were 741 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where the school is a higher preference than the one offered will be kept on the waiting list. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	7
Category A (RC LAC)	1
Category B (RC parish associated primary)	88
Category C (RC parish)	24
Category D (RC not parish associated primary)	8
Category E (RC sibling)	2
Category F (other RC)	6
Category G (other LAC)	7
Category H (staff)	0
Category I (other at associated primary)	81
Category J (other sibling)	15
Category K (proximity, last distance offered 1.25 miles)	31
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	64

Turton

Admission number 270

There were 564 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where Turton school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	4
LAC/previous LAC	4
criterion 2 (child protection)	1
criterion 3 (sibling)	70
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (Turton nearest)	106

How places were allocated	Number of children
criterion 6 (proximity, last distance offered 2.48 miles)	85
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	32

Westhoughton

Admission number 270

The school was oversubscribed, there were 454 preferences expressed for the school. Any child refused a place where Westhoughton school is a higher preference than the school offered will be kept on the waiting list.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	2
LAC/previous LAC	4
criterion 2 (child protection)	2
criterion 3 (sibling)	76
criterion 4 (medical)	0
criterion 5 (proximity)	173
Alternative/no preference offers	13
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	0

University Collegiate School

Admission number 120

There were 244 preferences expressed for the school. Places were offered to all those who expressed the school as a preference and had not been offered a higher preference school. For further information about admissions please contact the school.

How places were allocated	Number of children
Children with EHCP	1
LAC/previous LAC	2
criterion 2 (social/medical)	0
criterion 3 (sibling)	35
criterion 4 (QUEST primary)	0
criterion 5 (proximity)	68
Alternative/no preference offers	14
Places available	0
Number of children on waiting list	0