

Allocation Statement for Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Primary School - September 2022

As Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Primary School was oversubscribed, the criteria stated in their published admissions policy available on the school and Local Authority websites have been applied to allocate the places that are available at the school.

74 on-time applications (42, 1st preferences, 18, 2nd preferences, 14, 3rd preferences have been received for Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Primary School, which has an Admission Number of 30.

How the Initial Allocation of Places was made

The 30 places have been offered to the following children according to our policy:

1. Catholic children looked after and previously looked after children. (1 place)
2. Catholic children who are resident in the school's designated parishes at Our Lady of the Rosary, Lawrence Weston, Sacred Heart, Westbury on Trym and St Anthony's, Henbury (10 siblings, 5 other children)
3. Other Catholic children (3 siblings, 2 other children)
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children (0 children)
5. Children who are a Catechumen (0 children)
6. Any other children (6 siblings, 3 other children)

Where we are oversubscribed random allocation from the school policy is followed. For applications in September 2022, this was applied to Category 6.

Random Allocation is the drawing of lots, supervised by a person independent of the school. Each child will be allocated a number. All the numbers will be placed into a hat or other suitable container and will be drawn out and ranked in the order that they were drawn. For children of a multiple birth, only the allocated number of one of the children will be entered in the draw. Where this number is drawn, the other 3 child or children will be deemed to have also been drawn. Lots will then also be drawn for these children to decide their individual ranking. This process will also be applied to brothers or sisters who are not from a multiple birth but are applying for a place in the same year group. Supporting Evidence For categories 1, 2, 3 and 5 supporting evidence must be provided

Infant class size prejudice appeals - effects of infant class size legislation.

Appeals for Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Primary School will be heard on the basis of infant class size prejudice as the school will have one Reception classes containing 30 pupils.

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Appeals should be made using the form available on the School website and returned to; Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Primary School, Tide Grove, Lawrence Weston, Bristol, BS11 0PA or to ourlady@bristol-schools.uk by 1st June 22.