

September 2024 first round allocation statement for Ashton Park School

As Ashton Park School was oversubscribed, the admissions criteria published on the Academy and Local Authority websites have been applied to allocate the places that are available at the Academy.

Number of applications received

435 on-time applications (227 first preferences, 126 second preferences and 82 third preferences) have been received for Ashton Park School which has a published admission number of 216. The Academy has breached the admission number for Year 7 in 2024 to 224.

6 places were required for children with the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan.

This left 218 places to allocate using the published criteria.

How the initial allocation of places was made

The 218 places have been offered to the following children:

1. Those children who are defined as Children in Care or children who were previously in care but immediately after being in care became subject to an adoption, child arrangements or special guardianship order. (2 places)
2. Those children living within the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy, who will still be on roll in September 2024. (45 places)
3. Those children who live within the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, who live closest to the Academy as measured in a direct line from the home address to the school. (154 places)
4. Those children living outside the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy, who will still be on roll in September 2024. (11 places)
5. Those children living outside the area of first priority for Ashton Park School who live closest to the Academy as measured in a direct line from the home address to the Academy. (6 places) The furthest distance offered a place under this criteria was 2.159 km.

Second round allocation statement for Ashton Park School

As at April 29th 6 places had become available at Ashton Park School for reallocation. A total of 23 applicants were wanting to be considered so it was necessary to apply the published admissions criteria to determine who could be offered the places at the Academy.

The 6 places were offered to:

1. Those children who are defined as Children in Care or children who were previously in care but immediately after being in care became subject to an adoption, child arrangements or special guardianship order. (0 places)
2. Those children living within the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy, who will still be on roll in September 2024. (2 places)
3. Those children who live within the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, who live closest to the Academy as measured in a direct line from the home address to the school. (2 places)
4. Those children living outside the area of first priority for Ashton Park School, with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy, who will still be on roll in September 2024. (1 place)
5. Those children living outside the area of first priority for Ashton Park School who live closest to the Academy as measured in a direct line from the home address to the Academy. (1 place)

The furthest distance offered a place under this criteria was 2.161 km.