Bedford Hall Methodist Primary School

This document explains how places were allocated at the school for admission to reception class in September 2024.

Admission number (number of places available) - 30

Number of preferences received on time (by the closing date) - 81

How places were allocated

Bedford Hall Methodist Primary School is an Academy school.

All applications were processed using the 'equal preference' system as explained in the 'Admissions to Primary Schools 2024/25 booklet'.

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan which names the school. Places offered - 0

Criterion 1.

Looked after children and children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, a residency order, a child arrangements order or special guardianship order. Applications for previously looked after children must be supported with appropriate evidence i.e. a copy of the adoption order, residence order or special guardianship order.

Children who appear to the Epworth Education Trust to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. Places offered under this criterion - 0

Criterion 2.

Children whose older brothers or sisters attend the school and will still be there at the time of admission. Places offered under this criterion - 8

Criterion 3.

Children who live closest to the school. Places offered under this criterion - 22

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Places in criterion 3 were allocated to the 22 pupils living nearest to the school. The last of these places was allocated to a pupil living 1.117 miles from the school.

Applications received after the closing date of 15 January 2024 are deemed to be late and only considered after applications received on time. Changes of preference received after the closing date are also classed as late applications.

For details of how the waiting list operates and how to appeal, please see the information sheet 'Waiting Lists and Appeals'.