



Bedford High School

This document explains how places were allocated at the school for admission to Year 7 in September 2025.

Admission number (number of places available) – 240 (determined admission number 210).

The school have admitted over their determined admission number for the 2025/26 Year 7 intake.

Number of preferences received on time (by the closing date) – 457

How places were allocated

Bedford High school is a Community School.

All applications were processed using the 'equal preference' system as explained in the 'Applying for a Year 7 place 2025/26 booklet'.

237 places were allocated to children whose applications were received before the closing date. This left 3 places to offer to late applicants whose applications were received before 14th February 2025.

Applications received after the closing date of 31 October 2024 are deemed to be late and only considered after applications received on time. Changes of preferences 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'.