

# WOKINGHAM BOROUGH SCHOOLS ALLOCATION OF PLACES FOR SEPTEMBER 2022



**WOKINGHAM  
BOROUGH COUNCIL**

## Statement of allocation for appeal purposes

*The following information is based on the initial allocation on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022 for applications received by the deadline. Please see the last page for an explanation of the oversubscription criteria which applies to The Bulmershe School, and the Parent's Guide to Secondary School Admissions gives more detailed information and the guide also provides information relating to individual school policies for Bohunt School Wokingham, The Emmbrook School, The Forest School, The Holt School, Maiden Erlegh School, Oakbank School, The Piggott School, St Crispins School and Waingels College. This information sheet provides you with a statement on the allocation for individual schools should you wish to exercise your right to appeal and details on how places were allocated (allocation information for undersubscribed schools is included for completeness).*

School	Admission Number	Information on how places were allocated.
Bohunt School Wokingham	240	Bohunt School Wokingham agreed the ranked list prepared by Wokingham Borough Council on its behalf in line with the school's admission policy. The school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria 1 to 4 plus 141 children in criterion 6 (priority 5 is not applicable at this time). The last child allocated under criterion 6 lived a radial distance of 2.798 miles from Bohunt School according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 123 (75 in criterion 6, and 48 in criterion 7) children. These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
The Bulmershe	240	The school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to C plus 178 children in criterion D. The last child allocated under criterion D lived a radial distance of 1.893 miles from The Bulmershe School according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 162 children (55 in criterion D, 33 in criterion E, and 74 in criterion F). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
The Emmbrook	240	The Circle Trust ranked the applications on behalf of The Emmbrook School in line with the school's admission policy. Prior to allocation it was determined this school would offer an additional 30 places for this academic year, taking their Published Admission Number from 210 to 240 for September 2022 year 7 entry. The school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to E, plus 14 in criterion F. The last child allocated under Criterion F lived 3.203 miles from The Emmbrook School according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 21 children (all criterion F). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
The Forest	210	The Academy Trust Board (also known as the Governing Body) at The Forest School commissioned Wokingham Borough Council to rank applications on its behalf against the school's oversubscription criteria and it met to agree the ranking prior to allocation. After co-ordination, all applicants who expressed the school as a preference and where no higher ranked preference could be offered were allocated places. 63 children, whose applications for other schools were unsuccessful, were allocated to the school as the designated area school or most accessible school with places available.
The Holt	240	The Academy Trust Board (also known as the Governing Body) at The Holt School commissioned Wokingham Borough Council to rank applications on its behalf against the school's oversubscription criteria and it met to agree the ranking prior to allocation. After co-ordination, the school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to D, and 184 in criterion E. The last child allocated under criterion E lived a radial distance of 2.063 radial miles from The Holt School according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 165 children (55 in criterion E, 8 in criterion F, 57 in criterion G, and 45 in criterion H). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.

School	Admission Number	Information on how places were allocated.
Maiden Erlegh	279	The Maiden Erlegh School Academy Trust commissioned Wokingham Borough Council to rank applications on its behalf against the school's oversubscription criteria and it met to agree the ranking prior to allocation. The school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria 1 to 3 plus 136 children based on radial distance in criterion 4. The last child allocated under criterion 4 lived 0.741 miles from Maiden Erlegh School according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 365 children (145 children in criterion 4; 12 in criterion 5 and 208 in criterion 6). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
Oakbank	112	The Academy Trust Board (also known as the Governing Body) at Oakbank School ranked the applications in accordance with the school's policy. After co-ordination, the school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to E plus 28 children in criterion F. The last child allocated under criterion F lived a radial distance of 1.815 miles from Oakbank School according to their published arrangements. There were insufficient places for the remaining 14 children. These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
The Piggott	252	The Academy Trust Board (also known as the Governing Body) at The Piggott School ranked the applications in accordance with the school's oversubscription criteria and after coordination the school was fully allocated. Prior to allocation it was determined this school would offer an additional 46 places for this academic year, taking their Published Admission Number from 206 to 252 for September 2022 year 7 entry. The school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to F, plus 11 children based on radial distance in criterion G. The last child allocated under criterion G lived 2.587 miles from The Piggott School based on radial distance according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 71 children (All criterion G). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.
St Crispin's	300	The Circle Trust ranked the applications on behalf of St Crispin's School in line with the school's admission policy. Prior to allocation it was determined this school would offer an additional 100 places for this academic year, taking their Published Admission Number from 200 to 300 for September 2022 year 7 entry. After co-ordination, all applicants who expressed the school as a preference and where no higher ranked preference could be offered were allocated places. 39 children, whose applications for other schools were unsuccessful, were allocated to the school as the designated area school or most accessible school with places available.
Waingels College	240	The Academy Trust Board (also known as the Governing Body) at Waingels College commissioned Wokingham Borough Council to rank applications on its behalf against the school's oversubscription criteria and it met to agree the ranking prior to allocation. After co-ordination, the school was fully allocated with children who qualified under oversubscription criteria A to D plus 6 children in criterion E. The last child allocated under criterion E lived a radial distance of 1.469 miles from Waingels College according to the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team. There were insufficient places for the remaining 62 children (18 in criterion E and 44 in criterion F). These children have been provisionally placed on the waiting list and parents will be able to request to be removed from this wait list upon responding to their child's offer.

**KEY TO HOW PLACES WERE ALLOCATED FOR WOKINGHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**  
**Applicable to The Bulmershe School.**

Full details are given in the Parent's Guide to Secondary School Admissions in the Wokingham Borough and the Wokingham Borough Published Arrangements 2022-2023.

Children with statements of special educational needs or an Education, Health and Care Plan that named a school in the statement or plan were admitted to the school that is named.

**Oversubscription Criteria applicable to The Bulmershe School:**

- A      Looked after children and children who were looked after, but ceased to be so because they were adopted or became subject to a residence order or special guardianship order (previous looked after children)
- B      Families who have exceptional medical or social needs as the grounds for their admission to a particular school
- C      Children whose permanent home address is in the school's designated area and who has a sibling at the school, at the time of application, who is expected to be attending the school when the child will enter the school
- D      Children whose permanent home address is in the school's designated area
- E      Children whose permanent home address is outside the school's designated area and who has a sibling at the school, at the time of application, who is expected to be attending the school when the child will enter the school
- F      Any other children

If the school does not have sufficient places for all children in any category A to F, places will then be allocated based on the radial distance between the home and the school (straight line measurement). All measurements are undertaken consistently using the computerised mapping system used by the council's School Admissions Team and the distance will be measured as a straight line between the Land and Property Gazetteer address points for the respective home address and school. Living in the designated area does not guarantee a school place as there may be more applications from parents living in the designated area than places available.

The Admissions Arrangements 2022-2023 provides additional notes to the above oversubscription criteria.

The policies, including oversubscription criteria, for own admission authority schools – Bohunt School Wokingham, The Emmbrook School, The Forest School, The Holt School, Maiden Erlegh School, Oakbank School, The Piggott School, St Crispins and Waingels College are available in the Parent's Guide and in full detail in their Published Arrangements 2022-2023.