

Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 002359
Date 1 June 2018

Oversubscribed Schools

Request:

- 1) Which primary and secondary schools (for ages 4-16) are oversubscribed in Wolverhampton?
[Oversubscribed schools as at allocation for entry in September 2018](#)

Primary

Bilston CofE
Bushbury Hill
Castlecroft
Christ Church Infant
Corpus Christi
Dunstall
Eastfield
Elston Hall
Graiseley
Holy Trinity
Manor
Merridale
Oak Meadow
Palmers Cross
Parkfield
Perry Hall
SS Mary and John's
SS Peter and Paul
St Andrew's CE
St Bartholomew's CE
St Luke's CE
St Martin's CE
St Michael's CofE
St Michael's Catholic
St Patrick's Catholic
St Paul's CE
St Stephen's CofE
Stow Heath
The Royal School, Wolverhampton
Uplands Junior
Warstones

West Park
Westacre Infant
Whitgreave Infant
Whitgreave Junior
Wodensfield
Wood End

Secondary

Coppice School
Heath Park Academy
Highfields Schools
Moseley Park Academy
Ormiston SWB Academy
Our Lady and St Chad
S Peters Collegiate
St Edmund's Catholic Academy
The Royal School Wolverhampton
Wolverhampton Girls High School

2) Admissions data for the last five years for primary and secondary schools (for ages 4-16) in Wolverhampton which includes the following:

2i) Annual data on demand over a five year period including:

- Number of first choice applicants;
- Numbers successful in gaining their first choice and number of places offered;

In response to the bullet points above, please see our response in the tables below:

Primary

Academic Year	2018-2019	2017-2018	2016-2017	2015-2016	2014-2015
Places offered	3343	3210	3515	3333	3254
Numbers successful in gaining their first choice	2898	2767	3019	2963	2772

Secondary

Academic Year	2018-2019	2017-2018	2016-2017	2015-2016	2014-2015
Places offered	3394	3196	3052	3070	2885
Numbers successful in gaining their first choice	2263	2245	2310	2178	2201

- Total admissions (following appeals) in main year of entry (aged 4-16); In respect of your above question, it has been established after careful consideration that the Council does not hold all the above information.

We only hold accurate information for the last two years which is in line with the statutory guidance.

Consequently, we are unable to provide all of the above information, and are informing you as required by Section 1(1) (a) of the Act, that states:

"Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request".

2016-2017 = 10 upheld in total

2017-2018 = 12 upheld in total

- Number of appeals at each school (secondary)

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Please see attachment providing you with information.

- 3) Growth data to cover a four year period from 2017-18 - 2020-21 (which relates to point number 2 above).

Data provided is based on the 2017 Projections provided to the DfE as part of the School Capacity Return.

National Curriculum Year	Total Reception to Year 6	Total Year 7 to Year 11	Total Year 7 to Year 13
2017/18 Projection	23967	14,442	16,886
2018/19 Projection	24322	15,251	17,761
2019/20 Projection	24528	16,066	18,720
2020/21 Projection	24793	16,642	19,460

Please note the following regarding projections:

- Projecting pupil numbers is not an exact science; demand is influenced by a wide variety of dynamic factors that can significantly alter pupil numbers.
- Pupil projections are predictions informed by the information available at the time of production (June 2017).

- Longer term projections are less robust.
- 4) The number of children/ young people (aged 0-16) in the system broken down per year group.
Please see attachment.
- 5i) In the last five years how many children/ young people (aged 4-16) have gone to a school outside the Borough (please provide annual data over the last five years)?
2013: 179
2014: 981
2015: 972
2016: 796
2017: 923
2018 (as of 13.07.18): 170
- 5ii) For those children/ young people (aged 4-16) who have gone to a school outside the Borough, where have they gone (please provide annual data over the last five years):
- a) Selective education or;
 - b) Maintained schools or;
 - c) Other schools

In respect of question 5ii), it has been established after careful consideration that the Council does not hold the above information.

Consequently, we are unable to provide any information relating to the above, and are informing you as required by Section 1(1) (a) of the Act, that states:

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- 6) What is the percentage of disadvantaged/ free school meal children (primary and secondary) in Wolverhampton (please provide LA average)?
22%. Source DfE School Census Spring 2018.

School Appeals for Secondary 2016-17

Aldersley	1
Colton Hills	4
Coppice	
Arts	16
Girl's High	27
Heath Park	38
Highfields	82
Moreton	2
Smestow	12
St Peter's	32
SWBA	39
The Royal	1
Wednesfield	12
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School Appeals for Secondary 2017-18

Aldersley	4
Colton Hills	3
Coppice	20
Heathpark	23
Highfields	67
Moseley	5
Smestow	2
St Peter's	29
SWBA	16
The Royal	10
Wednesfield	9
WGHS	18

Pupils at Maintained, Academy and Free Schools in Wolverhampton - Spring Census 2018

Wolverhampton Primary School Summary

E1 PT	E2 PT	N1 PT	N2 PT	E1 FT	E2 FT	N1 FT	N2 FT	R	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total - Nursery	Total - R to Y6
0	222	606	2336	0	8	30	202	3349	3547	3644	3417	3291	3320	3248	3404	23816

Wolverhampton Secondary School Summary

7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total 7 - 11	Total Post 16	Total Y7 - 14
3068	3007	2932	2791	2608	1279	1113	0	14406	2392	16798

Wolverhampton Special School Summary

E1 PT	E2 PT	N1 FT	N2 FT	R	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total Nursery to Y14
0	0	0	3	17	51	59	55	66	65	56	69	61	81	74	62	36	41	33	829

Wolverhampton PRU School Summary (Current & Main Registration)

R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	All Ages
0	4	1	3	3	3	2	2	8	10	16	21	0	0	0	73

All Pupils School Summary

E1 PT	E2 PT	N1 PT	N2 PT	E1 FT	E2 FT	N1 FT	N2 FT	R	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total - Nursery	Total - R to Y6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total 7 - 11	Total Post 16	Total Y7 - 14	Total number of pupils in Schools
0	222	606	2336	0	8	30	205	3366	3602	3704	3475	3360	3388	3306	3407	24201	3139	3076	3023	2881	2691	1315	1154	33	14810	2502	17312	44920

Source : Spring School Census 2018