

## Allocation Factsheet for Year 7 places September 2017

Preferences for the Community Secondary Schools in Brighton & Hove were allocated as set out in the tables below. The table also shows preferences for Cardinal Newman Catholic School, Portslade Aldridge Community Academy, Brighton Aldridge Community Academy and King's School. The Governors of Cardinal Newman Catholic School were able to offer places to all children in priorities 1-9 of their admission criteria. If children falling within priorities 1-9 have **not** been offered a place at Cardinal Newman it is because they have been offered a higher preference. King's School was oversubscribed and allocated places according to their published priorities. Please refer to pages 33-37 of the School Admissions booklet for [Cardinal Newman Catholic School's admission priorities](#) and [King's School's admission priorities](#). Please refer to pages 17-21 of the School Admissions booklet for the [Council's admission priorities](#) for Community Schools and the Aldridge Community Academies. If a child lives within Brighton & Hove and was not offered a place at one of their preferred schools a place would have been offered at the nearest school with places available.

School	No of 1 <sup>st</sup> preferences	No of 2 <sup>nd</sup> preferences	No of 3 <sup>rd</sup> preferences	Total
Blatchington Mill	336 (282)	323 (14)	238 (4)	897 (300)
Brighton Aldridge Community Academy	90 (90)	22 (9)	31(9)	143 (108)
Cardinal Newman	362 (330)	154 (20)	278 (10)	794 (360)
Dorothy Stringer	459 (327)	455 (3)	159 (1)	1073 (331)*
Hove Park	198 (198)	299 (45)	229 (12)	726 (255)
Kings School	124 (94)	123 (4)	142 (2)	389 (100)
Longhill	131 (131)	33 (8)	39 (11)	203 (150)
Patcham High	211 (185)	90 (12)	303 (18)	604 (215)
Portslade Aldridge Community Academy	158 (158)	65 (13)	84 (5)	307 (176)
Varndean	304 (228)	482 (35)	244 (7)	1030 (270)
Total	2373 (2023)	2046 (163)	1747 (79)	

Numbers in brackets are the numbers offered places at this school.

\* Please note that 1 additional child was allocated a place at Dorothy Stringer School in order that twins could be kept together at the same school.

### **Blatchington Mill School – 300 places**

Blatchington Mill School admitted students from priorities 1-4. If students from priorities 1, 2 and 3 have not been offered a place at Blatchington Mill it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

7 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

Priority	No of applications	No of places offered
1) Looked after children	11	6
2) Exceptional reasons	1 (+7 EHCP pupils)	1 (+7 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	101	97
4) In catchment area	533	189
5) Out of catchment area	244	0
<i>Total</i>	<i>897</i>	<i>300</i>

There were 44 children In catchment area who couldn't be offered Blatchington Mill School or a higher preference.

### **Brighton Aldridge Community Academy – 180 places**

Brighton Aldridge Community Academy admitted students from priorities 1-5. If students from priorities 1-5 have not been offered a place at the Academy it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

6 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	0	0
2) Exceptional reasons	0 (+6 EHCP pupils)	0 (+6 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	26	26
4) In catchment area	56	50
5) Out of catchment area	55	26
<i>Total</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>108</i>

### **Dorothy Stringer School – 330 places**

Dorothy Stringer School admitted students from priorities 1-4. If students from priorities 1, 2 and 3 have not been offered a place at Dorothy Stringer it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

4 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	7	2
2) Exceptional reasons	1 (+4 EHCP pupils)	1 (+4 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	105	102
4) In catchment area	605	222
5) Out of catchment area	351	0
<i>Total</i>	<i>1073</i>	<i>331</i>

There were 113 children In catchment area who couldn't be offered Dorothy Stringer School or a higher preference.

There were 57 children in the Dorothy Stringer/Varndean Catchment area who couldn't be offered a catchment area school or a higher preference.

### **Hove Park School – 300 places**

Hove Park admitted students from priorities 1-5. If students from priorities 1-5 have not been offered a place at Hove Park it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

2 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	7	4
2) Exceptional reasons	0 (+2 EHCP pupils)	0 (+2 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	60	53
4) In catchment area	449	127
5) Out of catchment area	208	69
<i>Total</i>	<i>726</i>	<i>255</i>

### **Longhill School – 270 places**

Longhill School admitted students from priorities 1-5. If students from priorities 1-5 have not been offered a place at Longhill it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

2 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	2	2
2) Exceptional reasons	0 (+2 EHCP pupils)	0 (+2 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	40	39
4) In catchment area	116	91
5) Out of catchment area	43	17
<i>Total</i>	<i>203</i>	<i>151</i>

### **Patcham School – 215 places**

Patcham admitted students from priorities 1-5. If students from priorities 1-4 have not been offered a place at Patcham it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

2 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	1	0
2) Exceptional reasons	1 (+2 EHCP pupils)	1 (+2 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	69	69
4) In catchment area	139	125
5) Out of catchment area	392	18
<i>Total</i>	<i>604</i>	<i>215</i>

There were 75 children Out of catchment area who couldn't be offered Patcham High School or a higher preference.

### **Portslade Aldridge Community Academy – 240 places**

Portslade Aldridge Community Academy admitted students from priorities 1-5. If students from priorities 1-5 have not been offered a place at the Academy it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

4 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	5	2
2) Exceptional reasons	0 (+4 EHCP pupils)	0 (+4 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	19	19
4) In catchment area	127	97
5) Out of catchment area	152	54
<i>Total</i>	<i>307</i>	<i>176</i>

### **Varndean School – 270 places**

Varndean admitted students from priorities 1-4. If students from priorities 1-3 have not been offered a place at Varndean it is because they have been offered a higher preference.

4 pupils were automatically offered a place due to having the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

<b>Priority</b>	<b>No of applications</b>	<b>No of places offered</b>
1) Looked after children	7	4
2) Exceptional reasons	0 (+4 EHCP pupils)	0 (+4 EHCP pupils)
3) Sibling link	87	74
4) In catchment area	607	188
5) Out of catchment area	325	0
<i>Total</i>	<i>1030</i>	<i>270</i>

There were 70 children In catchment area who couldn't be offered Varndean School or a higher preference.

There were 57 children in the Dorothy Stringer/Varndean Catchment area who couldn't be offered a catchment area school or a higher preference.

If you require clarification on this factsheet or would like to discuss which schools have spaces available, please contact the School Admissions office on 01273 293653 or by emailing [schooladmissions@brighton-hove.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@brighton-hove.gov.uk). Please note that the telephone lines may be very busy during the first few weeks in March.

**Please note that this document does not show how late applications were processed or how directions were made for children who could not be offered a school of preference. Therefore, schools that initially had places left may now be full.**

The figures above include successful applications from outside Brighton & Hove.