



## **TRANSFER TO SECONDARY EDUCATION SEPTEMBER 2022**

### **ALLOCATIONS SHEET FOR OLDFIELD SCHOOL - PLACES AVAILABLE 224**

Applications for all schools have been considered under an equal preference system which means that all preferences (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>) for each school have been considered equally for places under the school's published admissions criteria. If there were any cases where more than one of the school preferences named on the application form could have been met only the highest preference school has been allocated by the Local Authority.

A total of **698** applications were originally received for Oldfield School which has a published Admission Number of **200**. The Governors/Academy Trust have agreed to work to a higher admission number of **224** for Sept 2022. As the school was oversubscribed applications have been considered by the Governors/Academy Trust and places have been allocated in accordance with the school's published admissions criteria stated in the booklet 'A Secondary School for Your Child' and which are listed below in priority order. If, under any of the categories listed, places were offered and refused, priority was given to those who live closest to the school as measured in a direct line between the home address and the identified school point.

**7 places have been offered to children with an Education, Health and Care Plan** where the school has been named in their plan. These children are included within the Admission Number for the school. The Initial Allocation of remaining places on 01 March 2022 was made on behalf of the Governors/Academy Trust of Oldfield School to:

**Category 1** - Children in Public Care (looked after children and previously looked after children. Previously looked after children are children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted or became subject to a Child arrangement order or special guardianship order). **1 Child**

**Category 2** - Children whose older sibling attending will be attending the school on the admission date or have left the school within two years of the admission date. **78 Children**

**Category 3** - Children of members of staff employed by the school in either or both of the following circumstances: a) where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, and/or b) the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. **0 Children**

**Category 4** - Those children who live nearest to the school, as measured in a direct line between the home and the school as outlined on page 44 of the booklet 'A Secondary School for your Child'. **138 Children with the furthest direct line distance being 4.687 miles.**

**74 children in total have initially been refused a place at Oldfield School.** (All other preferences originally considered have qualified for another school as a higher preference)

**Please Note** If you decide to lodge a formal appeal for a place at this particular school your initial notification of intent to appeal should be sent to your home local authority by **15 March 2022** and your letter of appeal to the Clerk to Appeals Panel, Oldfield School, Kelston Road, Bath, BA1 9AB by no later than **1 April 2022**.

Date of Statement: 01 March 2022

### **Position as at 9 May 2022 following the initial allocations on 01 March 2022**

**37 of the places originally offered on 01 March 2022 have become available.**

10 parents originally refused a place have lodged an appeal, 38 parents opted to go on the waiting list only and 17 late applications were received.

All these children were considered for the remaining 37 places available and the places have been offered to:

37 children under category 4 **with the furthest direct line distance being 6.820 miles.**

**If being refused a place as a late applicant and if you decide to lodge a formal appeal for a place at this particular school your initial notification of intent to appeal should be sent to your home local authority by 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022 and your letter of appeal to the Clerk to Appeals Panel, The Clerk to the Governors, Oldfield School, Kelston Road, Bath, BA1 9AB by no later than 13<sup>th</sup> June 2022**

Date of Statement: 09 May 2022

### **Position as at 7 June 2022**

**3 of the places originally offered on 01 March 2022 have become available.**

2 further late applications were received.

All appeal, waiting list and further late applications were considered for these 3 places, and the places have been offered to:

3 children under category 4 **with the furthest direct line distance being 2.868 miles.**

**If being refused a place as a late applicant and if you decide to lodge a formal appeal for a place at this particular school your initial notification of intent to appeal should be sent to your home local authority by 21<sup>st</sup> June 2022 and your letter of appeal to the Clerk to Appeals Panel, The Clerk to the Governors, Oldfield School, Kelston Road, Bath, BA1 9AB by no later than 5<sup>th</sup> July 2022**

Date of Statement: 07 June 2022

### **Position as at 10 June 2022**

1 place became available awarded to Category 4 child with evidenced change of address **1.115 miles.**

Date of Statement: 10 June 2022

### **Position as at 22 June 2022 following Appeals**

Following appeals heard, 1 appeal has been upheld and offered by an independent appeal panel taking the school 1 over its admission number. 3 appeals were dismissed.

Date of Statement: 22 June 2022

### **Position as at 24 June 2022**

2 places originally offered are no longer required taking the school 1 below its admission number and the place has been offered to:

1 child under Category 4 **with the furthest direct line distance being 0.810 miles**

Date of Statement: 24 June 2022

**Position as at 11 July 2022**

1 place became available and offered to a Category 4 child **with the furthest direct line distance being 1.882 miles**

Date of Statement: 11 July 2022