

St Thomas' CE Junior and Infant School, Golborne

This document explains how places were allocated at the school for admission to reception class in September 2022.

Admission number (number of places available) - 30

Number of preferences received on time (by the closing date) - 72

How places were allocated

St Thomas' CE Junior and Infant School is a Voluntary Aided (church) School.

All applications were processed using the 'equal preference' system as explained in the 'Admissions to Primary Schools 2022/23 booklet'.

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan which names the school.
Places offered - 0

Criterion 1. Looked after children and previously looked after children.
Places offered under this criterion - 0

Criterion 2. Children who are baptised and whose parents/carers are involved in the life and worship of St. Thomas' Church, Golborne and attend at least once a month for the twelve months prior to the closing date for applications. A letter from the appropriate clergy must accompany the application.
Places offered under this criterion - 0

Criterion 3. Brothers or sisters of children who will be attending the school at the time of admission. Brother or sister includes full, half, foster and adopted brothers or sisters living at the same address as part of the same family unit and full brothers and sisters living apart.
Places offered under this criterion - 17

Criterion 4. Children whose parents/carers are involved in the life and worship of another Christian church which is a member of Churches Together in England. A letter of support will be required from the church.
Places offered under this criterion - 1

Criterion 5. Children who have been baptised or dedicated.
Places offered under this criterion - 4

Criterion 6. Children with proven Special Educational Needs, medical or social needs who would benefit from a place at St. Thomas'. A supporting letter from a doctor, Social Services, member of the clergy or another profession with knowledge of the family and the needs of the child must accompany the completed application form. The letter should explain why admission to St. Thomas' is necessary for the child's well-being.
Places offered under this criterion - 0

Criterion 7. Children living closest to the school.
Places offered under this criterion - 8

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Places in criterion 7 were allocated to the 8 pupils living nearest to the school. The last of these places was allocated to a pupil living 0.326 miles from the school.

Applications received after the closing date of 15 January 2022 are deemed to be late and only considered after applications received on time. Changes of preference 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'.