

Allocation Statement for Cotham School - September 2017

As Cotham School is oversubscribed, the criteria stated in the booklet 'A guide for parents and carers on applying for a secondary school place for the school year 2017-2018' have been applied to allocate the places that are available at the Academy.

741 on-time applications (220 first preferences, 275 second preferences and 246 third preferences) have been received for Cotham School which has an admission number of 216.

How the initial allocation of places was made

3 places were offered to children with Special Educational Needs where the Education Health & Care Plan names Cotham School.

The remaining 213 places have been offered to the following children:

1. Those children who are defined as 'Children in Care'; or children who were previously in care, but immediately after being in care became subject to an adoption order, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order. **(1 place)**
2. Those children living within the area of first priority for Cotham School, with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy, who will still be on roll in September 2017 **(23 places)**
3. Those children who live within the area of first priority for Cotham School, **(91 places)**
4. Those children living outside the area of first priority with siblings of statutory school age attending the Academy who will still be on roll in September 2017 **(56 places)**
5. Those children living outside the area of first priority for Cotham School who live closest to the Academy as measured in a direct line from the home address to the Academy **(42 places)**

The furthest distance offered a place in this category was **1.341 km**.