

## TRANSFER TO SECONDARY EDUCATION SEPTEMBER 2017

## ALLOCATIONS SHEET FOR NORTON HILL SCHOOL PLACES AVAILABLE 300

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>) 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 **452** applications were originally received for Norton Hill School which has an Admission Number of **247** but the Academy Trust has decided to work to a higher Admission Number of **300.** 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 school.

4 places have been offered to children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs or Education, Health and Care Plan where the school has been named in their statement. These children are included within the Admission Number for the school. The Initial Allocation of places on 01 March 2017 was made on behalf of the Governors/Academy Trust of Norton Hill School to:

- A) Children in Public Care (Looked after children). 2 Children
- B) Children in receipt of the mobility component of the Disability Living Allowance in respect of a physical disability and who live within the Area of Prime Responsibility (APR) for either Norton Hill School or Somervale School. **0 Children**
- C) Children from within the Area of Prime Responsibility (APR) whose older sibling will be attending the school on the admission date. **47 Children**
- D) Children living within the APR. **76 Children**
- E) Children living outside the APR whose older sibling will be attending the school on the admission date. **63 Children**
- F) Children living outside the APR. 108 Children. The furthest direct line distance offered in this category was 3.360 miles.

**20 children in total have initially been refused a place at Norton Hill 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 authority by **15 March 2017** and your letter of appeal should be sent to - Clerk to the Appeals Panel for Norton Hill School, PO Box 5100, Charlton Hill, Radstock BA3 9BF by no later than **31 March 2017**.

Date of Statement: 01 March 2017