

## Allocation Breakdown for Admission to Secondary School September 2021 - **Edgbarrow School**



*Places have been allocated in accordance to Edgbarrow School's published admissions arrangements 2021/2022*

**-National Offer Day 01 March 2021**

<b>Edgbarrow School</b>	
Preferences Received	565
Number of Places Available	<b>240</b>
<b>Criteria</b>	
Education Health Care Plan (EHCP)	3
(A) Looked After Children (LAC)	5
(B) Looked After Children (outside of England)	0
(C) Social and Medical Grounds	0
(D) Staff	7
(E) Designated Area and Sibling	60
(F) Designated Area	147
(G) Sibling	16
(H) All other children	2
<b>Total Number of Places Allocated</b>	<b>240</b>

- Where there are an equal number of applications in one category then radial distance from the applicant's home address to Edgbarrow School has been used to separate applications.
- Edgbarrow School Admissions Arrangements can be found within: [The Guide to Secondary Education in Bracknell Forest 2021/2022](#)

# Allocation of places for admission to Edgbarrow School 2021/22

*The following information is based on the initial allocation at 1 March 2021 of applications received by the deadline of 31 October 2020. This information provides you with a statement on how places were allocated in line with the published admissions arrangements at Edgbarrow School.*

Admissions Number	Information regarding the allocation
240	The school was fully allocated. Places were offered down to those applicants who fulfilled criterion (H) all other children to a distance of 0.625 miles from the school according to the radial distance policy listed below. There were insufficient places for the remaining applicants ranked below this. These applicants have been places on a waiting list.

## Edgbarrow School – Admission Criteria 2021/22

- (A) Looked After Children<sup>1</sup> and all previously looked after children. Previously looked after children are children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted<sup>2</sup> (or became subject to a child arrangements order<sup>3</sup> or special guardianship order<sup>4</sup>) immediately following having been looked after.
- (B) Children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted<sup>5</sup>
- (C) Children who have either medical or social grounds for admission to Edgbarrow School. This evidence must set out the particular reason why the school is the only suitable school and the difficulties caused if the child had to attend another school. The Trustee's decision in these matters is final. An additional form will need to be completed.
- (D) Children of staff at the school. Where a member of staff has been employed at the school or two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made and/or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is demonstrable skill shortage.

<sup>1</sup> A 'looked after child' is a child who is (a) in the care of a local authority in England, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority in England in the exercise of their social services functions (see the definition in Section 22(1) of the Children Act 1989) at the time of making an application to a school.

<sup>2</sup> This includes children who were adopted under the Adoption Act 1976 (see section 12 adoption orders) and children who were adopted under the Adoption and Children's Act 2002 (see section 46 adoption orders).

<sup>3</sup> Child arrangements orders are defined in s.8 of the Children Act 1989, as amended by s.12 of the Children and Families Act 2014. Child arrangements orders replace residence orders and any residence order in force prior to 22 April 2014 is deemed to be a child arrangements order.

<sup>4</sup> See Section 14A of the Children Act 1989 which defines a 'special guardianship order' as an order appointing one or more individuals to be a child's special guardian (or special guardians).

<sup>5</sup> This includes children who were in state care in a place outside of England, if they were accommodated by, a public authority, a religious organisation or other provider of care whose sole purpose is to benefit society.

(E) Children who live in the **designated area** of the school and who have a **sibling** who will still be attending the school at the time of the child's admission.

(F) Children who live in the **designated area** of the school.

(G) Children who do not live in the designated area of the school but who have a **sibling** at the school, and who will still be attending school at the time of the child's admission.

(H) All other children.

Children must be living in the designated area at the closing date of 31 October 2020 to be considered under this criterion.

**Sibling does not include those in the 6<sup>th</sup> form of the school.**

### **Tie Break**

If there are still insufficient places and no distinction can be made between the applicants or if they do not fulfil any of the above criteria, a final decision will be made on the *radial distance* (straight line distance on a map) between the home and the school. Those living nearer to the school will be placed higher than those living further away. Radial distance will be based on the co-ordinates for the property and the school as defined in the Local Land and Property Gazetteer and based on the Ordnance Survey's national system.

Distances are measured using direct distance calculations within a computer system. The measurement of each distance has been calculated using Pythagoras' Theorem. In the unlikely event that two or more children live at the same distance or additional distance (measured as stated above) from school (including, for example, flats within the same building), and there are fewer places available, random allocation will be used to decide which child will be allocated the remaining place(s). This will be by supervised drawing of lots, carried out