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Applications to St. Michael's C of E (Aided) Primary School, Sandhurst
for the Reception Group for 2021/22

There are 30 places available for admission to our Reception Year Group in the academic year 2021/22 for children with birthdates between 1 September 2016 and 31st August 2017. Bracknell Forest Borough Council received 51 applications naming St. Michael's C of E (Aided) Primary School, Sandhurst as one of their preferred schools.

The information extracted from the Common Application Form by Bracknell Forest Borough Council, together with information provided on the Supplementary Forms, was given careful consideration with regard to St. Michael's Admissions Policy for 2021/22 by the Admissions Committee in March 2021. Applications were ranked in accordance with the admissions criteria; preference being given to those that fulfilled more than one category, and distance between the home address and the school being used to determine order within a category. The rankings of the 51 applications were as follows:

Category	Number of Applications	Ranked
1	0	0
2, 3 and 4	0	0
2 and 3	2	1-2
2 and 4	0	0
2	13	3-15
3 and 4	0	0
3	5	15-19
4	1	20
5	30	21-51

Category 1: Looked After Children: A child who is/was in the care of a local authority

Category 2: Designated Area: A child with a home address in the designated area of the school.

Category 3: Sibling: A child with a sibling on the roll of the school at the time the application is processed and who is expected still to be in attendance at the time of entry to the school.

Category 4: Preference for a Church School: Children whose parents chose the school for denominational grounds, supported by a completed supplementary form.

Category 5: Other Reasons: Grounds other than the above.

A ranked list was forwarded to Bracknell Forest Borough Council, who removed applicants where a higher ranked parental preference for another school could be met, and then offered places to the first 30 on the revised list.

Joanna Paterson Chair of Admissions