

Allocation Statement for Elmlea Infant School - September 2022

As Elmlea Infant School was oversubscribed, the criteria stated in their published admissions policy available on the school and Local Authority websites have been applied to allocate the places that are available at the school.

268 on-time applications (142 x 1st preferences, 88 x 2nd preferences, 38 x 3rd preferences) have been received for Elmlea Infant School, which has an Admission Number of 90.

How the Initial Allocation of Places was made

The 90 places have been offered to the following children:

1. Children in the care of the Local Authority or who were previously in Care but immediately after being in Care became subject to an adoption order, child arrangement order or special guardianship order. (4 places)
2. Those children with siblings already at Elmlea Infant School or the paired Junior School and who will still be there in September 2022. (36 places)
3. Those children living closest to Elmlea Infant School as measured in a direct line from the home address to the school. (50 places) The furthest distance offered a place in this category was 0.868 km.

Infant class size prejudice appeals - effects of infant class size legislation.

Appeals for Elmlea Infant School will be heard on the basis of infant class size prejudice as the school will have three Reception classes containing 30 pupils.

Guidance on infant class size prejudice appeals is available on the school admissions website.

ELMLEA INFANT SCHOOL - RECEPTION ADMISSION SEPTEMBER 2022
LETTER OF APPEAL – INFANT CLASS SIZE PREJUDICE

Please complete and return to infant@elmleaschoolstrust.com by **1 June 2022**

Please submit a separate letter for **each** school

Parent/Carer details – BLOCK CAPITALS

Name -

Date: DD/MM/YYYY

Contact Details

Telephone Number -

Email address -

Child's details

First Name(s): -

Surname/Family Name: -

Date of Birth: DD/MM/YYYY

Address: -

I wish to appeal for a place at - School

Grounds for Appeal

It is important that you read the enclosed information on the effects of Infant Class Size legislation. Please provide your grounds of appeal in writing, providing evidence to support your case.

An appeal hearing cannot be set up unless until your grounds of appeal are received in writing.

1. My child would have been offered a place if the admission arrangements had been properly implemented.

Please provide written evidence to support the above statement

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2. My child would have been offered a place if the admission arrangements had not been contrary to mandatory provisions in the School Admissions Code and the School Standards and Framework Act 1998.

Please provide written evidence to support the above statement

3. The decision was not one which a reasonable Admission Authority would make in the circumstances of the case.

Please provide written evidence to support the above statement and refer to definition of 'reasonable' in Guidance Notes provided.

If possible, please return by email to infant@elmleaschooltrust.com alternatively by post to Elmlea Infant School, Elmlea Avenue, Westbury on Trym, Bristol, BS9 3UU. Deadline 1 June 2022