

## **September 2021 first round allocation statement for Bristol Cathedral Choir School**

As Bristol Cathedral Choir School is oversubscribed, the admissions criteria published on the School and Local Authority website have been applied to allocate the places that are available at the school.

### **Number of applications received**

1275 on-time applications (372 first preferences, 505 second preferences and 398 third preferences) have been received for Bristol Cathedral Choir School which has a published admission number of 150.

5 places were required for children with the school named in their Education, Health and Care Plan. This left 145 places to allocate using the published criteria.

### **How the initial allocation of places was made**

The 145 places have been offered to the following children:

1. Those children who are defined as looked after children and children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, a child arrangements order, or special guardianship order. (8 places)
2. Those children who are probationer choristers at The Cathedral. (8 places)
3. Those children who qualified as Music Specialists. (15 places)
4. Those children who are a son/daughter of a member of staff at the school. (2 places)
5. Those children who are at the named Feeder School. (30 places)
6. Those children with a sibling on roll at Bristol Cathedral Choir School. (39 places)
7. Those children who live within the Bristol Postcode areas BS1 to BS16 and have been randomly allocated. (43 places)
8. Those children who live outside the Bristol Postcode areas BS1 to BS16. (None)