

SERVICE UPDATE

<u>Name of Function:</u>	Education and Lifelong Learning
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UPDATE:

At the November ECS committee members asked that the number of placing requests made and accepted for S1 pupils in 2025 were circulated.

The table below shows the presents the information requested by school

School	Number of Applications	Application Numbers				Accepted				Declined			
		Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3	Priority 4	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3	Priority 4	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3	Priority 4
Aberdeen Grammar School	132	46	4	9	73	21	0	0	0	25	4	9	73
Bridge of Don Academy	101	13	15	4	69	12	14	4	41	1	1	0	28
Bucksburn Academy	38	10	2	2	24	6	2	2	14	4	0	0	10
Cults Academy	63	19	1	1	42	16	0	0	0	3	1	1	42
Dyce Academy	18	3	4	1	10	3	4	1	8	0	0	0	2
Harlaw Academy	108	27	27	0	54	16	23	0	45	11	4	0	9
Hazlehead Academy	84	30	6	7	41	15	6	6	31	15	0	1	10
Lochside Academy	7	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1
Northfield Academy	11	1	1	2	7	1	1	2	5	0	0	0	2
Oldmachar Academy	72	8	19	6	39	6	17	3	4	2	2	3	35
Orchard Brae School	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
St Machar Academy	37	13	6	3	15	7	0	0	1	6	6	3	14
Total	672	173	86	36	377	104	68	19	150	69	18	17	227

Priorities refer to categories below

- Priority 1 – Your child is moving into a zone after 15 March in a given year or already lives in the zone but isn't attending the zoned school. Where you have more than one property, it is the child's main family home which applies to this priority.
- Priority 2 – Where an older sibling is already attending the school you are applying to and will be in continuing education at the school when your child begins attending
- Priority 3 – You are currently taking your child to a childminder (including family other than parents) who lives in the school zone, because you are working. Your child must currently be receiving childcare from that person and will continue to do so when your child begins attending the school.
- Priority 4 – Where none of the above applies, priority is given to those who live within Aberdeen City.