

Dear,

Thank you for your recently submitted Freedom of Information Request.

I am now able to provide you with the information supplied by the relevant department, as follows:

In relation to the two places allocated on the dates below

27.05.2016 & 01.06.2016

1/ What category (in relation to the oversubscription criteria) did those allocations fall into ?

27.05.16 place allocated to a child whose application had been considered under special circumstances as outlined in NCC's determined admission arrangements 2016/17

#### 2.1.6 Special consideration

There may be very rare circumstances in which evidence can be provided from a doctor, social worker or other relevant professional to demonstrate that there is only one school that can meet a child's needs. Nottinghamshire County Council will consider applications for community and voluntary controlled schools where the application can be supported by written evidence from a doctor, social worker or relevant professional demonstrating why a particular school is the only school which could cater for the child's particular needs. The evidence must be presented at the time of application.

The appropriate designated officers will consider each case and determine the allocation of any such place on the basis of written evidence. Where it is agreed that a particular school is the only school that could meet a child's needs, the application will have priority following the allocation of looked after and previously looked after children.

01.06.16 place allocated criterion 3 (catchment area)

2/What distances of each from the school.

The council is withholding this information under s40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). This section of the FOIA prevents disclosure of personal information relating to third parties in line with the principles of the Data Protection Act. The council are withholding this information on that basis that it may lead to identifying an individual.

Could you please also inform me

3/ How many out- catchment applicants had siblings at the school ,

On national offer day there were 13 out of catchment applications that had indicated a sibling link.

4/ What is the distances to the school of those (in order of priority)

The direct distances of these applications range from 0.302 miles to 3.731 miles.

I hope this now satisfies your request, and should you have any further enquiry please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

In addition to the this and for future reference Nottingham County Council regularly publishes previous FOIR,s and answers on its website, under Disclosure logs. (see link)  
<http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/>

You can use the search facility using keywords.

If you wish to raise any concerns about the way your request was dealt with, then please write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or e-mail [foi@nottscc.gov.uk](mailto:foi@nottscc.gov.uk) quoting the reference number above.

Following this, if you remain dissatisfied, you can ask the Information Commissioner to review your request. However, the Information Commissioner cannot normally make a decision unless you have exhausted the procedure provided by the Council. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF  
Tel: 0303 123 1113 or 01625 54 57 45  
[www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

Kind Regards  
Janet Lowe

Complaints, Information & Mediation Officer.  
Complaints and Information Team  
Resources Department  
Nottinghamshire County Council  
County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP

-----Original Message-----

Subject: Freedom of Information request - School Admissions High Oakham 2016

Dear Nottinghamshire County Council,

Thank you for your response in relation to FOI request NCC-028440-17

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27.05.2016 & 01.06.2016

1/ What category (in relation to the oversubscription criteria) did those allocations fall into ?

2/What distances of each from the school.

Could you please also inform me

3/ How many out- catchment applicants had siblings at the school ,

4/ What is the distances to the school of those (in order of priority)