

## Secondary Transfer Report 2011

### 1. Applications from Slough Residents

The number of applications from Slough residents for schools within Slough and outside was 1591 compared to 1582 for the previous year. Slough Borough council has a duty to provide education for these pupils.

### 2. Preferences

The total number of preferences for Slough schools has increased, although most of the increase is due to an increase in the number of preferences for Slough Grammar. These figures include preferences made by Slough residents and residents of other boroughs and indicate the demand for places at Slough schools.

The total number of preferences for schools outside Slough has fallen. This includes Slough residents only and indicates demand from Slough residents for places outside Slough.

<b>Slough Schools &amp; PAN</b>	<b>Total Preferences 2009</b>	<b>Total Preferences 2010</b>	<b>Total Preferences 2011</b>	<b>Change 2010 to 2011</b>
Baylis (155)	356	344	376	+32
Beechwood (150)	328	292	360	+68
Herschel (120)	1556	1548	1567	+19
Langley Grammar (145)	1538	1730	1817	+87
Langley Academy (180)	509	578	592	+14
St Bernard's (120)	578	697	744	+47
St Joseph's (124)	352	307	350	+43
Slough & Eton (165)	307	316	293	-23
Slough Grammar (145)	1567	1173	1773	+600
Westgate (150)	666	623	648	+25
Wexham (150)	521	495	457	-38
	<b>8278</b>	<b>8103</b>	<b>8977</b>	<b>+874</b>
<b>Main Out Borough Schools</b>	<b>Slough Resident Preferences 2009</b>	<b>Slough Resident Preferences 2010</b>	<b>Slough Resident Preferences 2011</b>	<b>Change 2010 to 2011</b>
Altwood	87	107	91	-16
Beaconsfield High	16	35	24	-11
Burnham Upper	103	115	90	-25
Burnham Grammar	529	549	544	-5
Charters	3	2	2	0
Chesham High	1	1	0	-1
Chalfont Community College	21	32	25	-7
Churchmead	92	93	110	+7
Cox Green	30	81	97	+16
Cranford Community School	1	0	0	0
Desborough	68	61	48	-13
Dormers Wells	1	0	0	0
Dr Challoners Grammar	2	7	4	-3
Dr Challoners High	4	5	2	-3
Furze Platt	10	7	16	+9
Guru Nanak	6	11	12	+1
John Hampden Grammar	9	7	6	-1

Kendrick Girls Grammar	18	18	16	-2
Matthew Arnold	4	3	1	-2
Magna Carta	12	13	4	-9
Newlands	21	29	13	-16
Reading School	7	4	5	+1
Sir William Borlase	4	3	3	0
The Royal Grammar	6	7	2	-5
Tiffin Girls	4	0	2	+2
Wye Valley	10	15	10	-5
Uxbridge High	1	0	1	+1
Vyners	2	0	1	+1
Wycombe High School	2	1	2	+1
Tiffin School	5	5	5	0
	<b>1079</b>	<b>1211</b>	<b>1136</b>	<b>-75</b>

### 3. Place Offers

Place offers were fully co-ordinated by Slough Borough Council with support from Slough schools, so that each Slough resident applicant received one offer only. All 1591 Slough resident parents who applied for a place received an offer on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2011. The proportion receiving their first preference is low by national standards because Slough is a fully selective area and many parents use their first preference to apply to a grammar school but their child is not successful reaching the qualifying mark in the test. Where none of the preferred schools could be offered, applicants received an offer at the nearest school with vacancies.

	<b>Number of Offers</b>	<b>Percentage of Total</b>
First Preference	735	46%
Second Preference	242	15%
Third Preference	187	12%
Fourth Preference	163	10%
Fifth Preference	92	6%
Sixth Preference	60	4%
Alternative Offers	112	7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1591</b>	<b>100%</b>

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