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Dear Parent/Carer

**Appeal for a Reception Class Place – September 2014**

I am writing to you on behalf of Birmingham Local Authority because I understand that you are not satisfied with the reception school place recently offered to your child for September 2014.

Offers of places have been made in accordance with the arrangements set out in the parents' information booklet "Primary Education - Opportunities for your child in Birmingham 2014", which was made available to parents/carers from September 2013.

The primary school preferences that you submitted for your child were considered on the same basis as those of other parents/carers. Unfortunately, we were unable to meet one or more of your preferences. This was because the school or academy you prefer received more applications than there are places available. Children who met the admission criteria were offered all available places.

If you wish to appeal for a place at a Birmingham school or Academy, which is not named overleaf, and you included that school or academy as one of your original preferences, then you should complete the enclosed form and return it to the address below by **Monday 2 June 2014**, at the latest. You can appeal for more than one school on the form as long as each of the schools or academies was included as one of your original preferences.

**If the school or academy is listed overleaf you will need to contact the school or academy directly to establish their appeal arrangements.** For schools outside Birmingham, you should contact the appropriate Local Authority for further information on their appeal procedures.

Please note that appeals received after Monday 2 June 2014 may not be heard until the start of the new academic year in September 2014.

If you have any queries regarding the appeals process please do not hesitate to contact the Children's Information and Advice Service on 0121 303 1888.

Yours sincerely



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**If you wish to appeal against the decision not to offer your child a place at an academy, voluntary aided or foundation school named below, you should contact the school or academy directly to establish their appeal arrangements. All other schools and academies can be included on the enclosed form.**

Abbey Catholic Primary School (The)	Al-Hijrah School (All through school)
Ark Rose Primary Academy	Ark Tindal Primary Academy
Chivenor Primary School	Christ the King Catholic Primary School
Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School	Deanery Church of England Primary School (The)
English Martyrs' Catholic Primary School	Guardian Angels Catholic Primary School
Harper Bell Seventh Day Adventist School	Holly Hill Methodist / Church of England (VA) Infant & Nursery School
Holy Cross Catholic Primary School	Holy Family Catholic Primary School
Holy Souls Catholic Primary School	Holy Trinity Church of England Primary School
Maryvale Catholic Primary School	Moseley Church of England Primary School
Oratory Roman Catholic Primary School (The)	Our Lady and St Rose of Lima Catholic Primary School
Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Primary School	Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary & Nursery School
Our Lady's Catholic Primary School	Percy Shurmer Academy
Rosary Catholic Primary School (The)	Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School
St Alban's Catholic Primary School	St Ambrose Barlow Catholic Primary School
St Anne's Catholic Primary School	St Augustine Catholic Primary School
St Barnabas Church of England Primary School	St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School
St Bernard's Catholic Primary School	St Brigid's Catholic Primary School
St Catherine of Siena Catholic Primary School	St Chad's Catholic Primary School
St Clare's Catholic Primary School	St Clement's CE Academy
St Columba's Catholic Primary School	St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School
St Dunstan's Catholic Primary School	St Edmund's Catholic Primary School
St Edward's Catholic Primary School	St Francis Catholic Primary School (B19)
St Francis Church of England (VA) Primary & Nursery School (B30)	St George's Church of England Primary School (B16)
St George's CE Academy Newtown (B19)	St Gerard's Catholic Primary School
St James Catholic Primary School	St John and St Monica Catholic Primary School
St John Fisher Catholic Primary School	St John's C E Primary School
St John's and St Peter's C of E Academy	St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Kings Norton
St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Nechells	St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Sutton Coldfield
St Jude's Catholic Primary School	St Laurence's Church Infant School
St Margaret Mary Catholic Primary School	St Mark's Catholic Primary School
St Martin De Porres Catholic Primary School	St Mary and St John Junior and Infant School
St Mary's Catholic Primary School (B17)	St Michael's Church of England J & I School (B32)
St Nicholas Catholic Primary School	St Patrick's Catholic Primary School
St Paul's Catholic Primary School	St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School
St Peter's Catholic Primary School	St Teresa's Catholic Primary School
St Thomas' Church of England (VA) Primary School	St Thomas More Catholic Primary School
St Vincent's Catholic Primary School	St Wilfrid's Catholic Primary (NC) School
Woodhouse Primary School	Yarnfield Primary School