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Date: 7 September 2021

Dear Mr Chaplin

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000 relating to first choice schools. Please see the response provided below:

(a) Which secondary school did parents in the CT5 postcode choose as their first choice school for start September 2021. If this could be broken down into numbers for individual schools please.

DfE	School name	1st preferences
5444	Barton Court Grammar School	29
5421	Canterbury Academy	13
5448	Herne Bay High School	10
5449	Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School	66
4534	Simon Langton Girls' Grammar School	28
5412	Simon Langton Grammar School for Boys	37
5446	St Anselm's Catholic School	8
4091	Whitstable School	144
	Other schools	5

(b) what are the current on roll numbers for year 7 in each of the schools listed above?

DfE	School	NC Year 7
8865444	Barton Court Grammar School	154
8865421	Canterbury Academy	230
8865448	Herne Bay High School	282
8865449	Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School	153
8864534	Simon Langton Girls' Grammar School	174
8865412	Simon Langton Grammar School for Boys	161
8865446	St Anselm's Catholic School, Canterbury	182
8864091	Whitstable School	244

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I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

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