

Frequently Asked Questions for *Appeal for transfer*

1) What is the school's cut-off point?

The school's cut-off point will only be made known by MOE after the results of the PSLE posting every year. We have yet to receive information from MOE on the cut-off point for our 2021 Secondary 1 students. RGS' PSLE cut-off point **last year** for 2020 Secondary 1 was 261.

2) I am posted to a school through the DSA exercise (including NUS High School, School of Science and Technology, School of the Arts and Singapore Sports School). I want to transfer to RGS now. How can I do so?

Students who have already gained admission into a secondary school via DSA or AEIS are NOT allowed to participate in the S1 Posting Exercise and Appeal for transfer. Students who have been posted to a school via DSA must remain committed to that choice of secondary school.

3) In the event that I am not successful in being posted to RGS, how can I appeal?

The appeal process starts on the day the PSLE posting results are released. Registration for appeal has to be done through e-application via the RGS Admission site. Please refer to this [website](#) for details. Application will open **from 9am, Tue 22 Dec 2020 to 9am, Thu 24 Dec 2020**.

This appeal process is not applicable to students who have already gained admission to a secondary school via DSA or AEIS.

4) What are the criteria for admission through Appeal for Transfer after Secondary 1 Posting?

Admissions through the Appeal Exercise will be based on academic merit, i.e., PSLE performance, and objective measures. Students who wish to gain admission to RGS on the basis of other talents and achievements would have had the option of participating in the Direct Schools Admissions (DSA) Exercise, which was completed in September 2020.

5) What are my chances when I appeal?

We are unable to advise you on this as your appeal is dependent on the total number of 'appeal' applications and the number of vacancies available for the year.

6) What is the total enrolment for Secondary 1 in 2020?

The total Secondary 1 enrolment for 2020 at RGS is around 400 students.

7) How many applications of appeal were received last year?

The number of applications and number of vacancies available at the appeal stage vary from year to year.

8) Do I have to report to the secondary school that I was posted to while waiting for the result of my appeal, and when will the results be announced?

Students are to complete their Secondary 1 registration with the secondary school that they have been posted to as per MOE's instructions. Students need not buy uniforms and books as yet because they have appealed to be considered for admission to other schools. If students are successful in their appeals to RGS, they will be contacted by phone by 31 Dec 2020. All appeal applicants will receive an email informing them about the results of their applications by 31 Dec 2020.