



**Apply by
15 January
2027**

Choose a Wandsworth **Primary School**

A guide for admission to primary schools
in Wandsworth in September 2027



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If there are any further questions you want to ask, or if there is anything you do not understand, staff in the School Admissions Team will be pleased to help you. You can contact them by:

- Telephoning: (020) 8871 7316
- Email: admissions@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk
Website: www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions
- Writing to: School Admissions Team
Children's Services Department
Town Hall Extension
Wandsworth High Street
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- Visiting: Children's Services Department
Customer Centre, Ground Floor,
Town Hall Extension
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Introduction

Starting primary school is a big event in your child's life. The months leading up to this are an important time for you to find out about the schools in your area and apply for places. We have produced this booklet to help you.

All Wandsworth schools offer a curriculum which covers the academic subjects and more besides. As well as providing excellent teaching in key areas like reading and mathematics, Wandsworth's schools aim to encourage the healthy development of a child's physical, emotional and social skills.

Schools are inspected regularly both by the council's inspectors and by OFSTED. This helps schools to continue to provide a good and often outstanding standard of education and to meet the targets which children are expected to achieve at the end of each key stage of their education.

The council co-ordinates school admission applications for all Wandsworth residents, including applications for Reception class places in September 2027. Parents and carers are able to apply for a Reception place at up to six primary schools, whether those schools are in Wandsworth or in another council's area, by completing a single common application form online at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions. For those who cannot apply online, paper forms are available from the School Admissions Team.

We strongly recommend that you find out more about schools before applying. You can use the information in this booklet to contact schools for their prospectus or to arrange a visit. Details of individual school open days are also available on school websites and at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions.

Some schools have more applications than there are places available. This booklet tells you the admissions criteria which will be used to decide which children qualify for places. This will give you an idea of whether or not your child stands a good chance of getting a place at a school you prefer. Unless you are certain that your child will get a place at a particular school, you should apply for other schools as well, listing them in the order you prefer them.

We hope that by reading this booklet and following the step by step guide, you will be well equipped to make informed choices about which schools to include on your application form. We wish your child a happy and successful start to their primary education in a Wandsworth school.

This booklet provides information for parents and carers of children born between **1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023** who can start in a primary school Reception class in September 2027. If your child is older than this, please see page 63 for further information.

The booklet includes details of 57 state-funded primary schools in Wandsworth and a map to help you find your local school. Each school also issues its own prospectus that tells you what it has to offer. You can obtain a copy from the school.

When children start primary school in Wandsworth

Wandsworth Council provides a full-time place in a primary school Reception class in the September of the school year in which children reach their fifth birthday.



Councillor
George Crivelli
**Cabinet Member
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Ian Dodds
**Interim Executive
Director of
Children's Services**

Timetable

This timetable tells you the important dates for applications, offers and appeals for Reception class places.

15 January 2027 – Closing date for applications

- Online applications must be submitted before midnight on this date.
- Paper forms must reach Wandsworth Council offices by this date. Paper forms are available by contacting the School Admissions team.

16 April 2027 – Results are posted

- On 16 April, the council* will notify you of the outcome of your application. If you applied online you will be sent an email via the London Eadmissions website on the evening of 16 April and will also be able to view the outcome on the online system. The council will also send you a further more detailed notification email if it has not been possible to offer you your first preference school. If you applied on a paper form (and not provided an email address), you will be sent a notification letter by first class mail on 16 April.
- You will be offered a place at no more than one of the schools you have applied for.
- The place offered will be at whichever of the schools is able to allocate your child a place using the published admission criteria. You will be asked to confirm that you accept the place offered.
- If more than one of the schools is able to allocate your child a place, you will be offered whichever one of these you said you would prefer on your application form.
- Your child's name can be put on the waiting list for any school of your preference.

30 April 2027 – Final date for accepting places

If you haven't let the council* know by this date that you want to accept the offer, the place may be offered to someone else. When you have accepted the place, the school will contact you requesting information including proof of address.

30 April 2027 – Subsequent offers

- Some schools will have vacancies because people have turned down their offers. The council* will write to the applicants at the top of waiting lists to offer them the vacant places.
- If you get an offer at this stage you will need to let the council* know straight away whether or not you want to accept it.

June/July 2027 – Appeals are heard

If you want to appeal against refusal of a place, please visit **www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissionappeals** or contact Wandsworth Education Appeals Service at **wandswortheducationappeals@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk** or (020) 8871 7554 for further information. Deadlines for appealing will be published on the council's website.

* Parents/carers who live outside of Wandsworth apply for schools in Wandsworth through their home council. Any offer of a place in a Wandsworth school will be made by the parent/carer's home council.



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Don't be late! Apply by 15 January 2027.

Parents who apply after 15 January will be offered any places remaining after all on-time applications have been processed. If a school is full, the child's name will be placed on the waiting list in the order of the school's admission criteria. Places are then offered as vacancies arise.

Choosing and applying for schools

Before you apply

- Use the map on pages 12-13 to find the schools in your local area.
- Read the admission criteria for these schools on pages 28-61 to decide at which schools you have the best chance of being offered a place.
- Find out how places were offered last year by visiting **www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions**.
- Apply for up to six schools, including those at which you have the best chance of a place.
- Apply for more than one school unless you are sure your child will get a place.
- Some schools can only offer places to those living very close to the school, so you should apply to other local schools as well.
- If you apply for a faith school which gives priority based on attendance at a place of religion or worship, you should read the admission criteria carefully to decide if you are likely to be offered a place.
- If your child is in the nursery class they do not get priority for a place in the reception class, so you should apply for other schools as well.
- If your child has an older brother or sister already in the school, you must still apply for a place for your younger child.

How and when to apply

- Apply online at **www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions**.
- If you cannot apply online, paper forms are available from Wandsworth primary schools or by contacting the School Admissions team. Please return the form to School Admissions at Wandsworth Town Hall. If you live in another borough, you must use your own borough's form.
- If you apply for a faith school which requires you to complete a supplementary information form, you need to get the form from the school or the council's website and return it to the school.
- All applications and forms must be received by **15 January 2027**.

Co-ordinated admissions system

- Wandsworth Council co-ordinates admissions to any state school for applicants living in the borough.
- You may apply for up to six state schools on a single form. The schools must be listed in the order that you prefer them.
- Your application for each school will be considered separately using the **admission criteria** to decide if you can be offered a place.
- If your application meets the **admission criteria** well enough to be offered a place at more than one school, you will be offered whichever one of these you listed as a higher preference.
- Because nobody will be offered more than one school place, more applicants will be offered a school they have applied for and fewer will receive no offer at all.
- Our step by step guide on pages 5-11 explains how the process works and what you need to do

Supplementary Information Forms

Most of the faith schools also require you to complete their own supplementary information form. You need to get the form from the school or the council's website and return it to the school no later than 15 January 2027.

A supplementary information form on its own is not a valid application for a place. Parents must still apply for the school on the Wandsworth application form either online or on paper by the closing date of 15 January 2027.



Frequently asked questions

1 Does the law guarantee my child a place in the school of my choice ?

No. The law says that parents may express a preference for any school. However, if more parents express a preference for a school than the number of places available, there has to be an order of priority to decide which children to admit.

The law allows parents to appeal to an independent panel if their child is refused a place at a school of their preference.

2 Does the system mean I have more chance of getting a place at my first preference school?

No. The aim of the system is to ensure that nobody gets more than one offer from amongst the schools they applied for, so that more people will get the offer of a school place. This does not mean that there will be more places available at any particular school than previously. Schools can only admit as many pupils as they can accommodate. The places will still be allocated to those who have the highest priority under the school's published admission criteria.

It is therefore important that you read the admission criteria carefully so that you do not waste your preferences by only listing schools where your child is unlikely to get a place.

3 Do I have to use all six preferences?

No. However, unless you are certain of getting a place in a particular school, you are strongly advised to apply for several schools.

If you list only one or two schools and your application is unsuccessful, you may be without a place when offers are made on 16 April. At that stage, other schools you could have originally applied for are likely to be full and your options will be more limited (see question 12).

4 Can I change my preferences or the order of my preferences after the application closing date?

If you add or change preferences

after the application closing date, the changes will be considered to be a late application unless there are exceptional reasons why the changes were not included on the original application form. Late applications are not considered until after the initial offer of places on 16 April.

5 Will a school know where I listed it in my order of preferences?

No. Schools will not be told the order in which you listed them on your application form. The decision whether your child qualifies for a place will be based on the published admission criteria alone.

6 Will my child get priority for a place in a school where they already attend the nursery?

No. There is no automatic transfer to the Reception class at the same school for children who attend the nursery. All parents must reapply and be considered equally with all other applicants. The admission criteria do not include priority to children in the school's nursery class.

7 Will I get priority for a Wandsworth school because I live in the borough?

No. The law does not allow the council to give priority to its residents for places in its schools. However, the council aims to ensure that all resident children whose parents apply, have access to a place at a primary school in the borough.

8 How important is distance from home to school?

Distance from home to school is used by many schools to decide which children qualify for a place. Unless your application meets religious criteria for a church school, you are more likely to be offered a place in a school closer to home than one further away. However, this isn't always the case, especially if the nearby school is particularly popular. The furthest distance that places were offered under the criterion of straight line distance last year and in other years is given at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

9 How is my distance from home to school measured?

The distance used to prioritise applications for admission to schools in Wandsworth will be measured in a **straight line between your home and the centre of the school site**. All measurements will be calculated by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. No other measurements will be taken into account.

10 Is my child guaranteed a place in one of the schools I have applied for?

No. However, if you read the admission criteria and see how the places were allocated last year, it will give you a better idea of whether the school is likely to offer your child a place. The more schools you apply for at which your child has a realistic chance of a place, the more likely it will be that you will be offered a place.

11 What can I do if I am not offered a place in a school of my preference?

Your child can remain on the waiting list for any school. Waiting lists are held in the order of the admission criteria, irrespective of when the application was made. This means that later applicants will sometimes be placed above those who applied before the original closing date. If you wish to be placed on the waiting list for a school in another borough you must indicate this on your offer letter reply slip. Wandsworth will co-ordinate your requests with other boroughs. You have the right to appeal against the refusal of a place at any school.

12 What if my child is not offered a place in any school on 16 April?

If you are not offered a place at any of the schools you applied for, and places are available at other schools, the council is required to make you an alternative offer if possible. This will usually be at your nearest school with available places. However, parents may make additional late applications.

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STEP 1

Understanding the process

Wandsworth Council is working with all other London borough councils to co-ordinate applications and the offer of reception places at all state schools.

Before you decide which schools to apply for and complete your application, it is very important that you understand how the process works:

- You apply for any state school in any area on one form by 15 January 2027.
- Apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk or link to the site from www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions. If you can't apply online, you can apply on a paper form available from the School Admissions Team.
- All applications must be received by **15 January 2027**. Forms received after this date will be treated as late unless the council considers there are very exceptional circumstances as to why the application could not be submitted on-time.

- You can apply for up to six schools and must list them in the order you prefer them.
- Your child will be considered separately for each school.
- The published admission criteria will be used to decide whether or not your child can be offered a place at each school.
- The fact that you have applied for other schools, and the order in which you say you prefer the schools, will not be taken into account in assessing your application for each school.
- Before places are offered, Wandsworth Council will check whether your child can be offered a place at more than one of the schools you have applied for, including those in other boroughs.
- If your child can be offered a place in more than one school, the council will offer you a place at whichever one of these schools was your highest preference.
- Nobody will receive the offer of more than one school, on 16 April 2027.

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Collecting information

It is important to collect as much information as possible about the schools you want to apply for and the admission procedures.

You can do this by:

- Reading this booklet and using the schools list and map to find out which schools are available in your area.
- Reading other councils' booklets if you are considering a school in another borough.
- Contacting schools for a copy of their prospectus.
- Visiting schools on special open days or by making an appointment.
- Asking for advice from staff at your child's current nursery.

You can also find out background information on schools by:

- Looking at reports on the school by OFSTED inspectors (available at www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ofsted or from libraries).
- Looking at school performance tables (available at www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk)

You can find information on schools by visiting www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions and following the link 'search for schools.'



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Considering the facts

Many schools have more applications than they have places to offer. So before making your choices, it is important to get a realistic idea whether or not your child is likely to qualify for a place at each of the schools you are interested in.

If there are more applications than there are places at a school, the admissions criteria are used to decide the order in which children qualify for places. You should carefully read the admission criteria on pages 28-61 for each of the schools in your local area.

We also tell you the distance from the school within which an applicant had to live to get a place last year. Please refer to the 'Important Information' box on page 8 regarding home-to-school distances. For faith schools please see www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions for information.

If you want to talk to someone about the likelihood of securing a place in a particular school, please contact the school or School Admissions (Telephone (020) 8871 7316).

Important note regarding Children attending a Nursery Class:

If your child attends a nursery class, you will not automatically be offered a Reception class place in the same school. You MUST reapply and be considered with all other applicants. The offer of a place will depend on the number of applications for the number of places available and whether other applicants have higher priority under the admissions criteria. Schools' oversubscription criteria do NOT give priority to children in the nursery class. An offer of a nursery place does not give an older child a sibling priority for a reception place (see admissions criteria pages 28-61).

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Completing the application form

Please apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk, or use the link from the council's website at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions. If you do not wish to apply online, you can request a paper form (see Step 1) if you live in Wandsworth, or request a form from your home borough if you live elsewhere.

If your child has an Education, Health and Care Plan, please **do not** complete the Wandsworth form. You should follow the advice on page 65 of this booklet.

The information below will help you to complete the form correctly.

Your child's name

Please make sure that your child's name is written correctly and in the same way as their details are held by their current school (if relevant).

Your child's date of birth

You should only complete the form if your child's date of birth is between 1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023. This means that they are the right age to start in a Reception class in a Wandsworth primary school in September 2027.

Older children – Children born before 1 September 2022 must not use the form in this booklet to apply for school places. Please ask the School Admissions Team (Tel: 020 8871 7316 or email: admissions@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk) for an 'in-year application form'. Please see page 63 of this booklet for more information.

Younger children – Children born between 1 September 2023 and 31 August 2024 can start in a Wandsworth nursery school or class in September 2027. Please contact schools direct to apply for a nursery place.

Your child's address

The address you give on the application form must be your child's **permanent address** on the closing date for applications and this must be the address where the family normally lives. Parents are not permitted to use a temporary address to secure a school place for the child. A business address, a childminder's address, or any address including a family member's address other than the child's **permanent home** will not be accepted. Proof of address will be sought if there is any doubt about the validity of the address given and may be the subject of further investigation.

If a family move into a property temporarily to increase the chances of gaining a school place, the council will use the permanent residence for the purpose of the application. If the family own a property but are living at and apply from a different address, the council will assume that the second address is temporary and that the property they own is where the child ordinarily lives. Where the owned property is being renovated, this will still be considered the family's permanent address. Evidence will otherwise be required that the property has been disposed of. If a family own more than one property, the council will request further evidence to demonstrate where they normally live to determine the address we will use for the child's application.

The address will be checked against information already held by the council and you will be asked to provide satisfactory proof if a discrepancy is found. Where proof of address is requested it **must** be provided. If satisfactory proof is received after **11 February 2027**

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your application will be processed after the initial offer of places has been made on 16 April 2027.

If a place is offered on the basis of false or misleading information, the place will be withdrawn.

Where parents share custody, only one address must be provided and parents must prove the child's residency at this address.

If you change address after completing the form, you must tell the council straight away. If you change address before 11 February 2027, we will use your new address for admissions purposes. Satisfactory proof must be provided that a move to a new permanent address has taken place. Evidence of disposal of the previous property may also be required. Changes of address after 11 February 2027 will not be used for admissions purposes until after national offer day on 16 April 2027, but can be used for correspondence.

Children living abroad

If you currently live abroad but intend to move to the UK prior to your child starting school, we will accept an admission application but this will normally be based on your address abroad. We will normally only accept a Wandsworth address for admissions purposes for the initial round of allocations if you are physically resident at this address by the closing date of 15 January 2027.

It is sometimes possible to consider applications exceptionally, on the basis of the Wandsworth address, where we are satisfied that the address given is the family's permanent address, that the absence outside of the UK from that address is only temporary (up to six months) and there is evidence of a firm date that the family will return to live at this address. Such instances

might be where the family are on an extended holiday or short-term work placement abroad of up to six months.

Children of UK service personnel (UK Armed Forces and Crown Servants)

For families of UK service personnel with a confirmed posting in Wandsworth, or crown servants returning from overseas to live within Wandsworth, an address in Wandsworth will be used for admission purposes in advance of arrival in the UK provided that the application is accompanied by an official letter (i.e. from the MOD or FCO) which declares a relocation date and a Unit postal address or quartering area address. Wandsworth Council is a signatory of the Armed Forces Covenant and committed to removing disadvantage for armed services families.

Multiple births

If you are applying for a place for more than one child as a result of multiple births, you must complete a separate form for each child. Occasionally, the last place available at a school is offered to the first child from a family with multiple births. Where applicable, agreement will be sought from the admission authority for the school concerned to offer an additional place to accommodate the other child(ren).

Children in public care (or previously in public care)

Children in public care (children looked after) and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order, receive priority for admission to school. The School Admissions Code has extended this priority to include those children who appear (to the admission authority)

to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

A child looked after is a child in the care of a local authority or provided with accommodation by that authority

in accordance with Section 22 of the Children Act 1989. An adopted child is defined by section 46 of the Adoption and Children Act 2002 or section 12 of the Adoption Act 1976. A residence order is defined by section 8 of the Children Act 1989. A child arrangement order is defined by section 8 of the Children Act 1989 as amended by section 14 of the Children and families Act 2014. A special guardianship order is defined by section 14A of the Children Act 1989.

If the conditions above apply to your child, you must give details on the application form and provide a letter from the relevant Local Authority Social Services Dept confirming the details and status of the child. This letter must state the following;

- Confirmation that the child was 'looked after' or is 'looked after' in accordance with the definition provided in the first paragraph of this section.
- Confirmation that if the child was previously 'looked after', then the date at which the child ceased to be 'looked after' is needed. Also the date of the order of adoption, residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order which led to the cessation of the 'looked after' status is needed.

If the child was adopted from abroad, you must provide proof of adoption and evidence that the child was in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

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Important information - Home to School distance

- The oversubscription criteria of most Wandsworth primary schools include priority based on the distance of home to school.
- The distance used to prioritise applications for admission to schools in Wandsworth will be measured in a **straight line between the home and the centre of the school site**.
- All measurements will be calculated by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. **No other measurements will be taken into account.**
- Distances change from year to year depending on the number of applications and other oversubscription criteria.

Important information - Apply for more than one school

Applying for one school only will NOT improve your chances of getting a place at that school. If your application is unsuccessful, and you have not included alternative schools on the form, your child may be without the offer of a place at any school when places are offered on 16 April. At that stage the alternative schools you could have originally applied for may already be full and your options will be far more limited.

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Any orders must be accompanied with the letter from Social Services. Please also note that both the letter and court orders will be sent to the schools or the boroughs in which the schools applied for are located.

List of preferences

Please follow these important rules when you complete this part of the form:

- List up to six schools in the borough of Wandsworth or in other boroughs. Do not list private schools.
- Apply to several schools unless you are certain of getting a place in the school you most prefer.
- Make your choices carefully by reading the admission criteria that will be used to decide which children will qualify for places if there are more applications than places.
- Apply for the schools in your local area. Distance is used by most schools to decide which children are offered places.
- List the schools in the order you prefer them. If your child can be allocated a place at more than one school, the council will use this information to offer whichever of these you most prefer. The order cannot be changed later.

Supplementary Information Forms

If you have included a **faith school** in your list of preferences, you must also complete the school's supplementary information form, which will ask for details and evidence of religious commitment. You should contact the relevant school for the form and must return it to them by **15 January 2027**.

If you have included a preference for **Belleville Wix Academy or Shaftesbury Park School** on your common application form, and you wish to be considered for a place in the bilingual class, you must also complete the relevant school's bilingual class supplementary information form and return it to the School Admissions Team by **15 January 2027**.

All the supplementary information forms for schools in Wandsworth are available to download from our website www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

All applicants must complete the council's application form. Supplementary information forms on their own are not valid applications.

Siblings

If your child has a brother or sister already attending school, you **must** still complete the application form and give details of the sibling.

Please note that priority is only given to children who will have a sibling at the school on the date they are admitted (September 2027).

A sibling is defined as:

- a full brother or sister;
- a step/half brother or sister living at the same address;
- a child who is living as part of the family by reason of a court order; or
- a child who has been placed with foster carers as a result of being looked after by a local authority.

Note: An offer of a nursery place does not give an older child a sibling priority for a reception place (see admissions criteria pages 28-61).

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Returning the form - don't be late!

Medical or social circumstances

If your child has an exceptional medical or social reason for needing a place at a particular school, you **must** state this on the form. Applications **must** be supported by a current letter from a specialist health professional, or a social worker/care professional working with the family. The letter **must** give reasons why the child's exceptional condition or circumstances make it essential for them to attend a particular school and must state the difficulties that would be caused by them attending an alternative school. If evidence is received after the closing date of **15 January 2027**, it will not be taken into account until after places have been offered on **16 April 2027** (Note: Some schools do not consider medical or social needs at all).

Where exceptional medical or social reasons were not included on the original application, it will not generally be possible to take these into account unless the condition or circumstances have arisen since the application was submitted.

Applicants who submit supporting information will **not** be advised whether their application is likely to be successful under this criterion prior to the offer of places on **16 April 2027**.

Children of Staff

Some schools in Wandsworth, including all community schools, give priority to children of members of staff. If you wish to apply for a place at a school on this basis, please give details on your application. Please check the admission policies for each school for further information.

Reasons for preference

Please note that schools can **only** use their published admissions criteria to decide which children qualify for a place. It is therefore not necessary to give reasons for your preference(s) unless you want to.

If you apply online, you must submit the form before midnight on 15 January 2027.

If you apply on a paper form, you must return it by 15 January 2027 to:

**School Admissions Team,
Wandsworth Council,
Children's Services Department,
Town Hall Extension,
Wandsworth High Street
SW18 2PU**

This is also the deadline for the receipt of supplementary information forms.

All applications received by **15 January 2027** will be considered together. If your application is not received by the council's School Admissions Team by **15 January 2027**, your child will not be considered for a place until after the initial offer of places on **16 April 2027**.

If the schools you have applied for are full at that time, your child's name will be put on a waiting list in the order of the school's admission criteria.

The council reserves the right to accept a late application where it considers that there are **exceptional** reasons for the application not being submitted on time. No applications received after **11 February 2027** can be accepted as 'on-time'.

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

If your child has an EHCP, you should not complete the Wandsworth application form. Different requirements and procedures apply for pupils with an EHCP – please see page 65 for further information.

Schools will admit pupils with an EHCP which names the school. Places may also be held during the admission process for pupils for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority, pending the outcome of that consultation. These will be included in the overall admission number of the school.



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Being offered a place

On 16 April, Wandsworth Council will notify you of the outcome of your application.

- If you applied online you will be sent an email via the London Eadmissions website on the evening of 16 April and will also be able to view the outcome on the online system. The council will also send you a further more detailed notification email if it has not been possible to offer you your first preference school.
- If you applied on a paper form (and not provided an email address), you will be sent a notification letter by first class mail on 16 April.
- You will be offered a place at no more than one of these schools.
- The place offered will be at whichever of the schools is able to allocate your child a place using the published admission criteria.
- If more than one of the schools is

able to allocate your child a place, you will be offered whichever one of these you said you would prefer on your application form.

When you received the notification offering a place:

- Accept the place you have been offered by accepting online or returning the reply slip by the date given. Do not reject the place unless you have a place arranged elsewhere.
- If there are schools which you placed higher on your list than the school you have been offered, the email or letter will explain:
- How you can find out why your child did not have high enough priority for a place under the admission criteria.
- How to find out your child's position on the waiting list. If a place becomes available later, you will be given the opportunity to accept that instead.

- How to appeal against not being offered a place at any of the schools you applied for and the date by which you must do this.

If you are not offered a place at any of the schools you applied for, and places are available at other schools, the council is required to make you an alternative offer if possible. This will usually be at the nearest school with available places. Your outcome email or letter will explain why you could not be offered a place at one of your preferred schools and which alternative place is being offered. The email or letter will also tell you how to make late applications for other schools.

How waiting lists operate

The council will maintain waiting lists for each Wandsworth school. Children not offered a place at the school, or at any school which was a higher preference, are placed on a waiting list in the order of the school's admission criteria.

Parents must advise the School Admissions Team if they wish their child to be on the waiting list for a school in another borough.

Places are allocated to children at the top of the waiting list as vacancies arise.

Late applications are placed on the waiting list in order of the published oversubscription criteria, regardless of the date the application was added to the list. This means that a child's position on the list can move down as well as up. This is a legal requirement. Waiting lists are maintained until the end of the Summer Term 2028.



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STEP 7

Deciding whether to appeal

You have a legal right to appeal to an independent appeals panel against not being offered a place at a school you have applied to. You may appeal for more than one school if you wish.

Appeals when the class already has 30 pupils

The law states that there must be no more than 30 pupils in an infant class. If your child has been refused a place in a Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 class and there are already 30 children in the class, an appeal will only be successful in very limited circumstances.

The appeals panel can only allow any more children into the class if they decide either:

1. That the admissions procedures were not carried out properly and that your child would have been offered a place if they had been; or
2. That your child would have been offered a place if the admissions arrangements were not contrary to mandatory provisions in the School Admissions Code and the School Standards and Framework Act 1998.
3. That the decision not to offer your child a place was not one which a reasonable admission authority would make in the circumstances of the case. (The appeals panel will consider the published admission arrangements in relation to your child's circumstances, to decide if it was entirely unreasonable or irrational not to offer a place.)

Important

If the notification you have received refusing your child a place states that there are already 30 children in the class, you should only consider appealing against the decision if you believe that your child was not offered a place for reasons 1, 2 or 3 above.

Appeals when the class does not have 30 pupils

If your child has been refused a place in an infant class which does not already have 30 pupils, or in any junior class, the appeals panel are not restricted to the circumstances set out above. As well as considering the school's circumstances, they will consider your personal reasons for wanting your child to attend the school. However, you should still think carefully about whether you have a strong case before deciding whether to appeal.

How to appeal

If you want to appeal against the refusal of a place, you should do so online at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissionappeals. If you require a paper copy of the appeal form and need information please contact the Wandsworth Appeals Service on 020 8871 7554 or email wandswortheducationappeals@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk

- Information on the deadlines for appealing will be available on the council's website at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissionappeals
- Your appeal will be heard by an independent panel of people who have no connection with the school that you wish your child to attend. You will be told the date of

the hearing and invited to attend to explain your case to the panel.

- If you decide to appeal, you must still obtain a place in another school in case your appeal is not successful. Do not leave it until after your appeal has been heard, as there will be fewer places available by then.
- Please see pages 37 and 29 for important information about appealing against the refusal of a place at Belleville Wix Academy or Shaftesbury Park School.

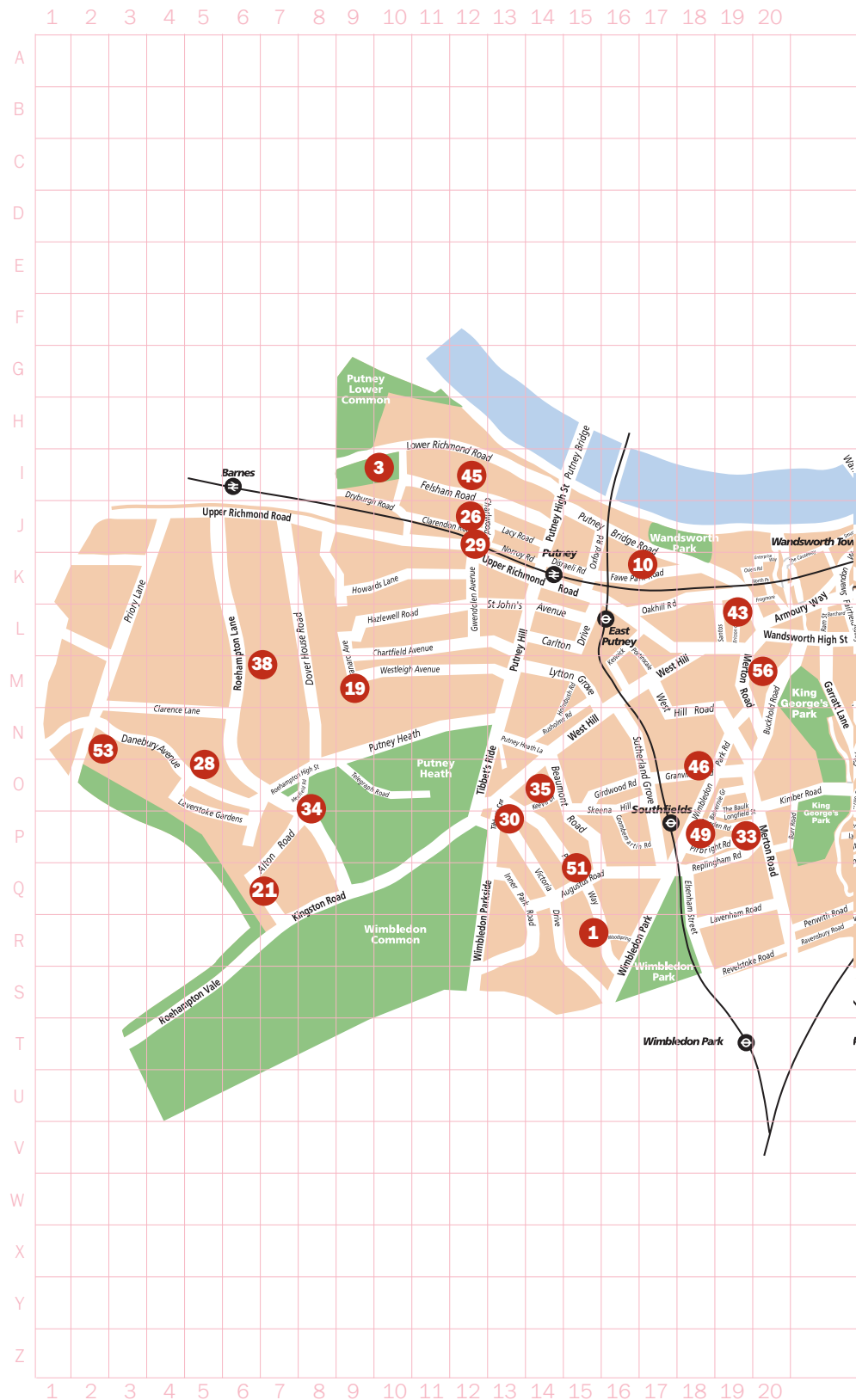
For information about appealing for a place in a school in another borough please contact that borough to find out how to appeal.



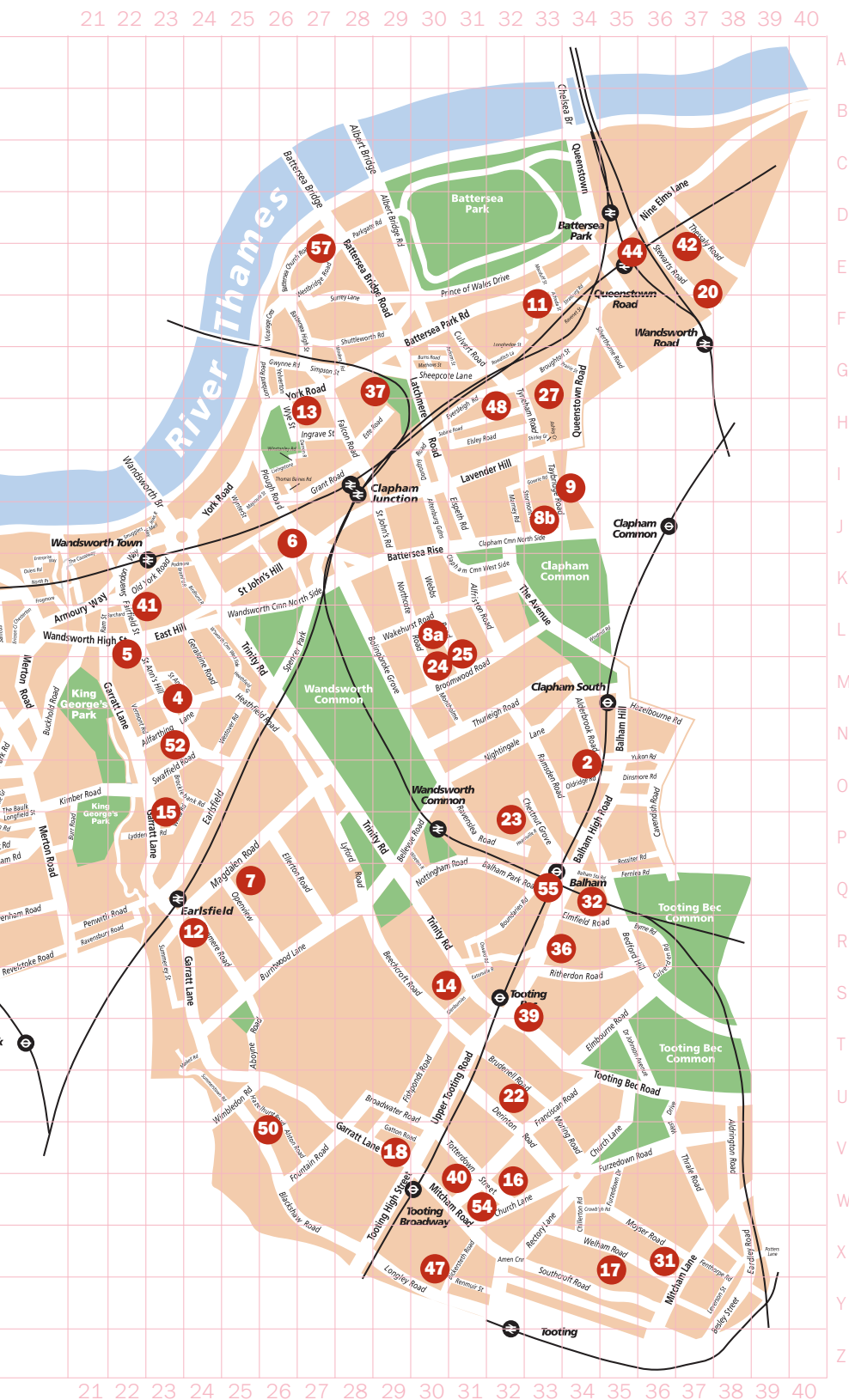
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No.	Primary School	Map Ref.
1	Albemarle	R,15
2	Alderbrook	N,34
3	All Saints (CE)	I,10
4	Allfarthing	M,23
5	Anglo-Portuguese School of London	L,22
6	Ark John Archer	J,26
7	Beatrix Potter	Q,25
8a	Belleville (Webbs Road site)	L,30
8b	Belleville (Meteor Street site)	J,33
9	Belleville Wix	I,34
10	Brandlehow	K,16
11	Chesterton	F,33
12	Earlsfield	R,24
13	Falconbrook	H,27
14	Fircroft	S,30
15	Floreat Wandsworth	P,23
16	Franciscan	W,32
17	Furzedown	Y,35
18	Gatton (Muslim)	V,29
19	Granard	M,9
20	Griffin	E,37
21	Heathmere	Q,6
22	Hillbrook	U,32
23	Holy Ghost (Catholic)	P,32
24	Honeywell Infant	M,30
25	Honeywell Junior	M,31
26	Hotham	J,12
27	John Burns	G,33
28	Mosaic (Jewish)	O,5
29	Our Lady of Victories (Catholic)	K,12



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No.	Primary School	Map Ref.
30	Our Lady Queen of Heaven (Catholic)	P,13
31	Penwortham	X,36
32	Ravenstone	Q,34
33	Riversdale	P,19
34	Roehampton (CE)	O,8
35	Ronald Ross	O,14
36	Rutherford House	R,34
37	Sacred Heart Battersea (Catholic)	G,28
38	Sacred Heart Roehampton (Catholic)	M,6
39	St Anselm's (Catholic)	S,33
40	St Boniface (Catholic)	W,31
41	St Faith's (CE)	K,22
42	St George's (CE)	D,37
43	St Joseph's (Catholic)	L,19
44	St Mary's Battersea (Catholic)	E,35
45	St Mary's Putney (CE)	I,12
46	St Michael's (CE)	O,18
47	Sellincourt	X,30
48	Shaftesbury Park	H,32
49	Sheringdale	P,18
50	Smallwood	V,26
51	Southmead	Q,15
52	Swaffield	N,23
53	The Alton	N,2
54	Tooting	W,32
55	Trinity St Mary's (CE)	Q,33
56	West Hill	M,20
57	Westbridge	E,27

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Key and guide to terms used

There are four different types of schools listed:

- **Community schools**, where Wandsworth Council is responsible for the arrangements for admitting children.
- **Foundation schools**, where the school governors are responsible for admitting children.
- **Voluntary aided schools**, where the school governors are responsible for admitting children.
- **Academies** (including Free Schools), where the school governors are responsible for admitting children.

The council funds and maintains community schools, foundation schools and voluntary aided schools in broadly the same way. Academies (including Free Schools) are funded directly by the Department for Education.

School type

C	Community School
CP	Community School with priority area
F	Foundation School
VA	Voluntary Aided School
A	Academy/Free School
(N)	Nursery class

DfE number

The Department for Education unique school identification number.

Admission Number

The **Admission Number** is the number of Reception age children the school can admit in September 2027. The numbers at some schools may be increased as a result of any future decision to accommodate additional children in September 2027 to meet local demand for a school place. Under normal circumstances there must be no more than 30 pupils in an infant class.

Total preferences

The number of applicants listing the school as one of the six preferences on the application form at the closing date of 15 January 2026.

Size

This number is the total number of children in the school in May 2026, not including the nursery class.

Previous Years' Admissions

Information about previous years' admissions is available at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions. This is intended as a guide and will vary from year to year.



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The symbols

These show whether each school has before school or after school provision. **Please note that this information is subject to change throughout the year. Contact Family Information Service on (020) 8871 7899 or individual schools for up to date information.**

- ◀ Breakfast club
- ◀ Breakfast club linked to another setting
- ◀ After school provision
- ◀ After school provision linked to another setting
- ◀ Other care provision. Please contact the school for more details

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1	Albemarle Primary School 						
	Princes Way, SW19 6JP (020) 8788 3170 info@albemarle.wandsworth.sch.uk www.albemarle.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Emilie Haston Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	F (N)	212 5205	60	Page 33	126	329
2	Alderbrook Nursery and Primary School 						
	Oldridge Road, SW12 8PP (020) 8673 4913 info@alderbrook.wandsworth.sch.uk www.alderbrookprimaryschool.co.uk Head: Carly Foulkes Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2004	30	Page 28	93	191
3	All Saints' (CE) Primary School 						
	Putney Common, SW15 1HL (020) 8788 5196 admin@allsaints.wandsworth.sch.uk www.allsaintsputney.org.uk Head: Joanne Ghosh Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3304	30	Page 45	116	148
4	Allfarthing Primary School 						
	St Ann's Crescent, SW18 2LR (020) 8874 1301 info@allfarthing.wandsworth.sch.uk www.allfarthing.org.uk Head: James Heale Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2010	60	Page 28	248	352
5	Anglo-Portuguese School of London 						
	25 Courthouse Way, SW18 4QG (020) 3417 0905 info@angloportugueseschool.org www.angloportugueseschool.org Principal: Marta Correia Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A	212 2008	30	Page 35	63	158
6	Ark John Archer Primary Academy 						
	Plough Terrace, St John's Hill, SW11 2AA (020) 7228 1710 admin@arkjohnarcher.org www.arkjohnarcher.org Principal: Glenn Prior Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2301	30	Page 36	74	195

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7	Beatrix Potter Primary School 						
	Magdalen Road, SW18 3ER (020) 8874 1482 info@beatrixpotter.wandsworth.sch.uk www.beatrixpotterschool.com Head: Amanda Robertson Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 1 appeal was heard, 0 was successful	CP (N)	212 2034	60	Page 32	292	332
8	Belleville Primary School 						
	Webb's Road, SW11 6PR and Meteor Street, SW11 5NZ (020) 7228 6727 enquiries@belleville.q1e.org.uk www.belleville-school.org.uk Executive Headteacher: Toby Martlew Headteacher: Mary-Lyne Latour Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 1 appeal was heard, 0 was successful	A (N)	212 2040	150	Page 36	512	999
9	Belleville Wix Academy 						
	Wix's Lane, Clapham Common Northside, SW4 0AJ Telephone: (020) 7228 3055 admin@bellevillewix.q1e.org.uk www.bellevillewix.org.uk Head: Séana Henry Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions * 30 bilingual (French/English) places and 30 English only places - see page 37.	A (N)	212 2009	60*	Page 37	199	277
10	Brandlehow Primary School 						
	Brandlehow Road, SW15 2ED (020) 8874 5429 info@brandlehow.wandsworth.sch.uk www.brandlehowschool.org.uk Head: Natalie Caraccio Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2064	60	Page 28	171	363
11	Chesterton Primary School 						
	Dagnall Street, SW11 5DT (020) 7622 1619 office@chestertonschool.org.uk www.chestertonschool.org.uk Executive Headteacher: Danine Smith Head of School: Alex Green Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2107	60	Page 38	142	376
12	Earlsfield Primary School 						
	Tranmere Road, SW18 3QQ (020) 8946 5452 info@earlsfield.wandsworth.sch.uk www.earlsfield.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Hilly Bryde Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 2 appeals were heard, 0 were successful	C (N)	212 2180	60	Page 28	391	403

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13	Falconbrook Primary School 						
	Wye Street, SW11 2LX (020) 7228 7706 admin@falconbrook.net www.falconbrook.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Sarah Pieniek-Jones Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2211	30	Page 28	52	151
14	Fircroft Primary School  						
	Fircroft Road, SW17 7PP (020) 8672 6258 office@fircroft.family www.fircroft.family Head: Denise York Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2217	30	Page 38	117	237
15	Floreat Wandsworth Primary School  						
	305 Garratt Lane, SW18 4EQ (020) 8353 4195 office@wandsworth.floreat.org.uk www.floreatwandsworth.org.uk Head: Matthew Custance Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2006	60	Page 38	388	314
16	Franciscan Primary School  						
	221 Franciscan Road, SW17 8HQ (020) 8672 3048 admin@franciscan.wandsworth.sch.uk www.franciscan.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Fahri Francis Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2231	30	Page 39	96	205
17	Furzedown Primary School  						
	Beclands Road, SW17 9TJ (020) 8672 3480 admin@furzedown.wandsworth.sch.uk www.furzedownschool.co.uk Head: Dionne Morris Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	CP (N)	212 2237	60	Page 30	168	383
18	Gatton Primary School (Muslim)  						
	13E Broadwater Road, SW17 0DS (020) 8682 5570 info@gatton.wandsworth.sch.uk www.gatton.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Majid Ishaque Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 4 appeals were heard, 0 were successful	VA	212 2005	90	Page 61	174	628

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19	Granard Primary School 						
	Cortis Road, SW15 6XA (020) 8788 3606 info@granard.wandsworth.sch.uk www.granardprimary.co.uk Head: Cheryl Grigg Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2781	30	Page 28	56	299
20	Griffin Primary School 						
	Stewarts Road, SW8 4JB (020) 7622 5087 admin@griffinprimary.org www.griffinprimary.co.uk Head: Nicholas Read Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2011	30	Page 40	11	128
21	Heathmere Primary School 						
	Alton Road, SW15 4LJ (020) 8788 9057 office@heathmere.wandsworth.sch.uk www.heathmereprimary.org Head: Natasha Ojo Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2786	30	Page 28	32	222
22	Hillbrook Primary School 						
	Hillbrook Road, SW17 8SG (020) 8672 3957 admin@hillbrook.wandsworth.sch.uk www.hillbrookschool.org.uk Head: Deborah Hart Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	F (N)	212 5201	90	Page 33	164	504
23	Holy Ghost (Catholic) Primary School 						
	Nightingale Square, SW12 8QJ (020) 8673 3080 office@holyghost.wandsworth.sch.uk www.holyghost.wandsworth.sch.uk Head of School: Gabriella Murphy / Executive Headteacher: Jared Brading Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA	212 3376	30	Page 52	103	199
24	Honeywell Infant School 						
	Honeywell Road, SW11 6EF (020) 7228 6811 office@honeywell.wandsworth.sch.uk www.honeywellschools.org Heads: Fiona Arnold Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 3 appeals were heard, 0 were successful	F (N)	212 5203	90	Page 34	392	266

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25	Honeywell Junior School 						
	Honeywell Road, SW11 6EF (020) 7223 5185 office@honeywell.wandsworth.sch.uk www.honeywellschools.org Head: Jo Clarke This school admits children in year 3 using the criteria on page 34. Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	F	212 5204	90	Page 34	N/A	350
26	Hotham Primary School 						
	Charlwood Road, SW15 1PN (020) 8788 6468 info@hotham.wandsworth.sch.uk www.hothamprimaryschool.org.uk Head: Richard Byrne-Smith Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 3 appeals were heard, 0 were successful	C (N)	212 2314	60	Page 28	248	382
27	John Burns Primary School 						
	Wycliffe Road, SW11 5QR (020) 7228 3857 office@johnburns.wandsworth.sch.uk www.johnburnsprimary.co.uk Head: Brian Grogan Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2334	30	Page 28	54	145
28	Mosaic Jewish Primary School 						
	170 Roehampton Lane, SW15 4EU (020) 8944 8731 admin@mjps.org.uk www.mjps.org.uk Head: Liz Gyepi-Garbrah Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A	212 2001	30	Page 41	25	146
29	Our Lady of Victories (Catholic) Primary School 						
	1 Clarendon Drive, SW15 1AW (020) 8788 7957 info@ourladyofvictories.wandsworth.sch.uk www.ourladyofvictories.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Anna Madden Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA	212 3387	30	Page 53	123	168
30	Our Lady Queen of Heaven (Catholic) Primary School 						
	Victoria Drive, SW19 6AD (020) 8788 7420 info@olqh.net www.ourladyqueenofheaven.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Jeremy Tuke Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 1 appeal was heard, 0 was successful	VA (N)	212 3636	30	Page 54	101	195

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31	Penwortham Primary School  						
	Penwortham Road, SW16 6RJ (020) 8769 3949 info@penwortham.wandsworth.sch.uk www.penwortham.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Sandie Andrews Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	CP (N)	212 2467	90	Page 30	233	625
32	Ravenstone Primary School  						
	Ravenstone Street, SW12 9SS (020) 8673 0594 info@ravenstoneprimary.org.uk www.ravenstoneschool.co.uk Head: Mike Riches Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A (N)	212 2495	60	Page 42	155	245
33	Riversdale Primary School  						
	302a Merton Road, SW18 5JP (020) 8874 6904 info@riversdale.wandsworth.sch.uk www.riversdaleschool.org.uk Head: Steven Sousa Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	C (N)	212 2511	60	Page 28	166	300
34	Roehampton CE Forest School  						
	245 Roehampton Lane, SW15 4AA (020) 8788 8650 info@roehampton.wandsworth.sch.uk www.roehampton.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Larisa Alikhan Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3390	30	Page 46	39	111
35	Ronald Ross Primary School  						
	145 Beaumont Road, SW19 6RY (020) 8788 5233 info@ronaldross.wandsworth.sch.uk www.ronaldross.org.uk Head: Abby Brady Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 4 appeals were heard, 0 were successful	C (N)	212 2807	30	Page 28	156	209
36	Rutherford House Primary School  						
	217 Balham High Road, SW17 7BQ (020) 8672 5901 info@rutherfordhouseschool.co.uk www.rutherfordhouseschool.co.uk Head: Rob Farrell Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	A	212 2002	60	Page 43	210	369

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37	Sacred Heart (Battersea) (Catholic) Primary School  	VA (N)	212 3645	60	Page 55	104	333
Este Road, SW11 2TD (020) 7223 5611 admin@sacredheart-battersea.wandsworth.sch.uk www.sacredheartschoolbattersea.co.uk Executive Head: Jared Brading Associate Head: Nicola Byrne Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
38	Sacred Heart (Roehampton) (Catholic) Primary School  	VA (N)	212 3629	60	Page 56	62	328
Roehampton Lane, SW15 5NX (020) 8876 7074 info@sacredheart-roe.wandsworth.sch.uk www.sacredheart-roe.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Anthony Gibbons Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
39	St Anselm's (Catholic) Primary School  	VA	212 3644	30	Page 57	94	202
Louisville Road, London, SW17 8RW (020) 8672 9227 admin@stanselms.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stanselms.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Sean Dobson Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 2 appeals were heard, 0 were successful							
40	St Boniface (Catholic) Primary School  	VA (N)	212 3422	30	Page 58	68	226
Undine Street, SW17 8PP (020) 8672 5874 admin@stboniface.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stboniface.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Lisa Platts Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
41	St Faith's (CE) Primary School  	VA (N)	212 3434	30	Page 47	105	172
Alma Road, East Hill, SW18 1AE (020) 8874 2653 admin@stfaiths.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stfaiths.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Mrs Julie De Silva Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 2 appeals were heard, 0 were successful							
42	St George's (CE) Primary School  	VA (N)	212 3444	30	Page 48	39	185
Corunna Road, SW8 4JS (020) 7622 1870 admin@st-georges.wandsworth.sch.uk www.st-georges.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Sarah Collymore Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							

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Map no	School name	School type	DfE Number	Admission Number	Admission criteria	Total preferences	Size
43	St Joseph's (Catholic) Primary School 						
	90 Oakhill Road, SW15 2QD (020) 8874 1888 info@stjosephs.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stjosephs.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Emma Cashier Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3486	30	Page 59	74	122
44	St Mary's (Battersea) (Catholic) Primary School 						
	7 St Joseph's Street, SW8 4EN (020) 7622 5460 admin@st-marys-pri.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stmarysschoolbattersea.co.uk Executive Head: Jared Brading Associate Head: Claire Mitchell Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3528	30	Page 60	50	180
45	St Mary's (Putney) (CE) Primary School						
	Felsham Road, SW15 1BA (020) 8788 9591 admissions@st-marys-putney.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stmarysschoolputney.co.uk Head: Cheryl Payne Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3524	30	Page 49	146	171
46	St Michael's (CE) Primary School 						
	Granville Road, SW18 5SQ (020) 8874 7786 info@stmichaels.wandsworth.sch.uk www.stmichaels.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Angela Harris Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	VA (N)	212 3550	60	Page 50	221	409
47	Sellincourt Primary School 						
	Sellincourt Road, SW17 9SA (020) 8672 6796 info@sellincourt.wandsworth.sch.uk www.sellincourt.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Hayley Clayton Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions	CP (N)	212 2541	60	Page 30	135	351
48	Shaftesbury Park Primary School 						
	Ashbury Rd, SW11 5UW (020) 7228 3652 info@shaftesburypark.wandsworth.sch.uk www.shaftesburypark.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Oshunbunmi Richards Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions *30 bilingual (French/English) places and 30 English only places - see page 29.	C (N)	212 2545	60*	Page 28	97	277

Map no	School name	School type	DfE Number	Admission Number	Admission criteria	Total preferences	Size
49	Sheringdale Primary School 	C (N)	212 2774	60	Page 28	364	412
Standen Road, SW18 5TR (020) 8874 7340 adminsupport@sheringdale.wandsworth.sch.uk www.sheringdale.org Head: Sarah Jones Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions 1 appeal was heard, 0 was successful							
50	Smallwood Primary School and Language Unit 	C (N)	212 2558	30	Page 28	51	227
Smallwood Road, SW17 OTW (020) 8672 6024 admin@smallwood.wandsworth.sch.uk www.smallwood.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Fiona Loudon Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
51	Southmead Primary School 	C (N)	212 2780	30*	Page 28	64	233
Princes Way, SW19 6QT (020) 8788 8901 office@southmead.wandsworth.sch.uk www.southmeadschool.co.uk Head: Taw Stagg Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions * subject to consultation							
52	Swaffield Primary School 	C (N)	212 2584	60	Page 28	147	233
St Ann's Hill, SW18 2SA (020) 8874 2825 swaffield@swaffield.wandsworth.sch.uk www.swaffield.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Julia Hamilton Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
53	The Alton School 	A (N)	212 2877	30	Page 43	45	206
Danebury Avenue, SW15 4PD (020) 8876 8482 admin@thealton.q1e.org.uk www.thealton-q1e.org.uk Head: Linsay Thomson Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							
54	Tooting Primary School 	A	212 2000	60	Page 44	160	391
Franciscan Road, SW17 8HE (020) 3700 0790 admin@tootingprimary.org www.tootingprimary.org.uk Head: Jacqueline Wilson Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions							

Schools in Wandsworth

Map no	School name	School type	DfE Number	Admission Number	Admission criteria	Total preferences	Size
55	Trinity St Mary's Primary School (CE) 	VA (N)	212 3525	30	Page 51	40	95
	6 Balham Park Road, SW12 8DR (020) 8673 4166 admissions@tsm.wandsworth.sch.uk www.tsm.wandsworth.sch.uk Head: Lynn Anderson Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions						
56	West Hill Primary School 	C (N)	212 2633	30	Page 28	66	142
	5 Merton Road, SW18 5ST (020) 8874 5900 info@westhill.wandsworth.sch.uk www.westhill.wandsworth.sch.uk Headteacher: Richard Milsom Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions						
57	Westbridge Academy 	A (N)	212 2007	30	Page 44	40	155
	Bolingbroke Walk, Westbridge Road, SW11 3NE Telephone: (020) 7228 1293 office@westbridgestepacademy.org www.westbridgestepacademy.org Executive Head: Gerard Brown Last year: See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions						

How children are admitted to Wandsworth primary schools

Admission Authority

Each school has an **Admission Authority** which is legally responsible for deciding which children will be admitted if there are more applications than places. The Admission Authority is determined by the **type** of the school.

There are four types of school in Wandsworth:

- **Community schools** ('C' in the list on the next page)
- **Foundation Schools** ('F' in the list on the next page)
- **Voluntary Aided Schools** ('VA' in the list on the next page)
- **Academies/Free Schools** ('A' in the list on the next page)

At Community Schools, the Admission Authority is the Local Authority (Wandsworth Council). At Foundation Schools, Voluntary Aided Schools, Free Schools and Academies, the Admission Authority is the Governing Body of the school. The list on the next page gives the type and Admission Authority for each school.

Admission Criteria

The order in which children are admitted if there are more applications than places is called the **Admission Criteria**. There are Admission Criteria for each school in Wandsworth, but they are not all the same. The list on the next page tells you where to find each school's Admission Criteria in this booklet.

Supplementary Information Forms

To apply for any of the schools listed, you must complete the local authority online application or paper form. However, some schools require a **supplementary information form** to be completed so that they can assess whether an application meets the Admission Criteria. The list on the next page tells you for which schools you need to complete and return a supplementary form, as well as the local authority application.

School Admissions Code

All Admission Authorities must act in accordance with the **School Admissions Code**, a document issued by the Department for Education and available at www.gov.uk.



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How children are admitted to Wandsworth primary schools

The Type, Admission Authority and Admission Criteria of Wandsworth Schools

School	Type	Admission Authority	Admission Criteria	Supp. Form (Yes/No)
Albemarle	F	Governing Body	Page 33	No
Alderbrook	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
All Saints (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 46	Yes
Allfarthing	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Anglo-Portuguese School of London	A	Academy Trustees	Page 35	No
Ark John Archer	A	Academy Trustees	Page 36	No
Beatrix Potter	C	Local Authority	Page 32	No
Belleville	A	Academy Trustees	Page 36	No
Belleville Wix	A	Academy Trustees	Page 37	Yes for bilingual
Brandlehow	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Chesterton	A	Academy Trustees	Page 38	No
Earlsfield	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Falconbrook	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Fircroft	A	Academy Trustees	Page 38	No
Floreat	A	Academy Trustees	Page 38	No
Franciscan	A	Academy Trustees	Page 39	No
Furzedown	C	Local Authority	Page 30	No
Gatton (Muslim)	VA	Governing Body	Page 61	Yes
Granard	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Griffin	A	Academy Trustees	Page 40	No
Heathmere	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Hillbrook	F	Governing Body	Page 33	No
Holy Ghost (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 52	Yes
Honeywell	F	Governing Body	Page 34	No
Hotham	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
John Burns	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Mosaic (Jewish)	A	Academy Trustees	Page 41	Yes
Our Lady of Victories (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 53	Yes

The Type, Admission Authority and Admission Criteria of Wandsworth Schools

School	Type	Admission Authority	Admission Criteria	Supp. Form (Yes/No)
Our Lady Queen of Heaven (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 54	Yes
Penwortham	C	Local Authority	Page 30	No
Ravenstone	A	Academy Trustees	Page 42	No
Riversdale	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Roehampton CE Forest School	VA	Governing Body	Page 47	Yes
Ronald Ross	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Rutherford House	A	Academy Trustees	Page 43	No
Sacred Heart (SW11) (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 55	Yes
Sacred Heart (SW15) (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 56	Yes
St Anselm's (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 57	Yes
St Boniface (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 58	Yes
St Faith's (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 47	Yes
St George's (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 48	Yes
St Joseph's (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 59	Yes
St Mary's (SW8) (Catholic)	VA	Governing Body	Page 60	Yes
St Mary's (SW15) (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 49	Yes
St Michael's (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 50	Yes
Sellincourt	C	Local Authority	Page 30	No
Shaftesbury Park	C	Local Authority	Page 28	Yes for bilingual
Sheringdale	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Smallwood	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Southmead	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Swaffield	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
The Alton	A	Academy Trustees	Page 43	No
Tooting	A	Academy Trustees	Page 44	No
Trinity St Mary's (C of E)	VA	Governing Body	Page 51	No
West Hill	C	Local Authority	Page 28	No
Westbridge	A	Academy Trustees	Page 44	No

Admission criteria

Community Schools

Alderbrook
Allfarthing
Brandlehow
Earlsfield
Falconbrook
Granard

Heathmere
Hotham
John Burns
Riversdale
Ronald Ross
Shaftesbury Park

Sheringdale
Smallwood
Southmead
Swaffield
West Hill

Admission criteria for schools listed above.

Places will first be allocated to Children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school or for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be offered in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted (see note 1);
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by Wandsworth Local Authority (see note 2);
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission (see note 3);
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at the school (see note 5);
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4).

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4).

Notes:

1. A child looked after is a child in the care of a local authority or provided with accommodation by that authority in accordance with Section 22 of the Children Act 1989. An adopted child is defined by section 46 of the Adoption and Children Act 2002 or section 12 of the Adoption Act 1976. A residence order is defined by section 8 of the Children Act 1989. A child arrangement order is defined by section 8 of the Children Act 1989 as amended by section 14 of the Children and Families Act 2014. A special guardianship order is defined by section 14A of the Children Act 1989. Priority under this criterion will also be given to those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. Documentary evidence will be required in all circumstances.
2. Applications made on exceptional medical grounds must be supported by a current letter from a specialist health professional. Applications made on exceptional social grounds must be supported by a current letter from a social worker or other care professional working with the family. The letters must give reasons why the child's condition or circumstances make it necessary for the child to attend the school applied for, and the difficulties that would be caused if the child had to attend an alternative school. If this information is not provided by the application closing date, the application will not be considered under this criterion. The Local Authority may request professional advice, from within or outside Wandsworth Council, before reaching a decision.
3. A sibling is a full brother or sister, a step/half brother or sister living at the same address, a child who is living as part of the family by reason of a court

order, or a child who has been placed with foster carers as a result of being looked after by a local authority. Please note sibling priority only applies to children with sibling(s) at the school in Years R-6 at the time of admission not nursery.

4. The straight-line measurement used to prioritise applicants for admission to schools in Wandsworth commences in all cases at the location of the property and terminates at the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Measurements by alternative systems and/or to other points will not be taken into account in any circumstances. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random.
5. Priority to children of staff will be given only where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, and/or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. The member of staff must be employed on at least a 0.6 full time equivalent (FTE) basis and employed directly at the school (rather than through an agency or third party organisation). Priority of admission will only be given for the community school at which the member of staff is working. The number of places offered under this criterion will be limited to a maximum of one place per Form of Entry (FE) at each school.

6. The permanent address of the parent/guardian with whom the child is living on the closing date for applications will be used for this purpose and this must be the address where the family normally lives. Parents are not permitted to use a temporary address to secure a school place for the child. A business address, a child-minder's address, or any address including a family member's address other than the child's permanent home will not be accepted. Proof of address will be sought and if there is any doubt about the validity of the address given it may be the subject of further investigation. Please see the "Choose a Wandsworth Primary School" admissions brochure for further information.

7. Where a child lives with parents with shared custody/responsibility, the address where the child spends the

majority of the week should be used by parents for the school application. If there is a genuine 50/50 shared arrangement in place, the address where the child lives is determined using a joint declaration from the parents stating the pattern of residence. In cases where an agreement cannot be reached between the parents and Child Benefit is claimed, the address that is registered for this claim will be used. Additional proof may be requested, eg court order or a solicitor's letter to confirm the arrangements.

8. There is no automatic right of transfer from the nursery class to the infant reception class within the same primary school. If there are more applications than places available, priority will be based on the above criteria alone.

Community school with a bilingual class (French/English)

Shaftesbury Park Primary School provides bilingual immersion education. The school will have two reception classes. In both classes the children will follow the English curriculum but in the bilingual class the curriculum will be delivered in French for a proportion of the time. In Reception, French and English will be used to teach the children across all areas of the EYFS curriculum with only reading, writing and phonics delivered exclusively in English (children will begin to learn to read and write in French as they move into KS1). The children in the 'English' class will also benefit from many opportunities to learn in French. Each class will consist of 30 pupils.

Admission arrangements

All applicants for a Reception place at Shaftesbury Park, must list the school on their Local Authority online or paper application form.

Those applicants who wish their child to be considered for a place in the bilingual class, must also complete the supplementary information form for the school. The form can be downloaded from www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

All applicants not offered a place in the bilingual class will be considered for the English only class. Those who do not wish to be considered for the English only class **must** indicate this on the supplementary form.

Admission criteria

If there are more applications than places for either the bilingual or the English only class, children will be admitted to **each class** in the order of priority set out in the school's criteria.

Appeal arrangements

Applicants refused a Reception place at Shaftesbury Park School (except those offered a place in one class but not the other) will have the right to appeal to an independent panel against the decision. However, the Panel cannot decide whether a successful appellant should be placed in the bilingual class or the English language class. Parents/carers who wish their child to be considered for the bilingual class only should bear this in mind if they decide to appeal.

Waiting lists

A waiting list will be maintained for **each class** in the order of the school's criteria.

Additional note

Parents/carers of children admitted to the bilingual class, should be aware that the Headteacher reserves the right to move a child from the bilingual class to the English language class and vice versa, where he or she considers this to be in the child's best interests, and subject to the class size not exceeding the admission number.



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How places were offered last year at Shaftesbury Park School:

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

Admission criteria

Community Schools with priority areas

Furzedown, Penwortham and Sellincourt

Furzedown, Penwortham and Sellincourt primary schools in Tooting have priority areas. Children living in the areas are given priority over those living elsewhere. However living in a priority area does not guarantee a place at the school. This will depend on the demand for places from people living in the priority area in a particular year.

Parents are advised to apply to other schools as well, in case their application is unsuccessful. Further information on the likelihood of obtaining a place at the school can be obtained from the school or the School Admissions Team.

Admission criteria for Furzedown, Penwortham and Sellincourt Schools

Places will first be allocated to Children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school or for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be offered in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. (See note 1);

- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by Wandsworth Local Authority (see note 2);
- iii) Brothers and sisters of children on the school roll on the date of admission (see note 3);
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at the school (see note 5);
- v) Children living inside the priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. (see note 4);
- vi) Other children living outside the priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. (See note 4).

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4).

Notes:

Please refer to the notes on page 28.

How places were offered last year

Furzedown:

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

Penwortham:

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

Sellincourt

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions



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Priority area boundaries

The boundaries of the priority areas for Furzedown School, Penwortham School and Sellincourt Schools run along the roads detailed below. These roads and all the roads inside the boundary are included in the priority area (unless otherwise stated).

Furzedown School

- Furzedown Road
- West side of Thrale Road (odd numbers 75-99) from junction with Furzedown Road to Nimrod Road
- Brookview Road to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Woodnook Road to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Parklands Road to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Moyser Road (odd numbers 91-133 and even numbers 96-144) to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Longstone Road to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Spalding Road to the junction with Nimrod Road
- Welham Road (odd numbers 143-163 and even numbers 50-78) to the junction with Nimrod Road

- Southcroft Road (odd numbers 1-161 and even numbers 2-248), 47-50 Eastbourne Road, 1-9 Amen Corner, 223-249 Mitcham Road (east side)

- East side of Rectory Lane (numbers 1-113)

Penwortham School*

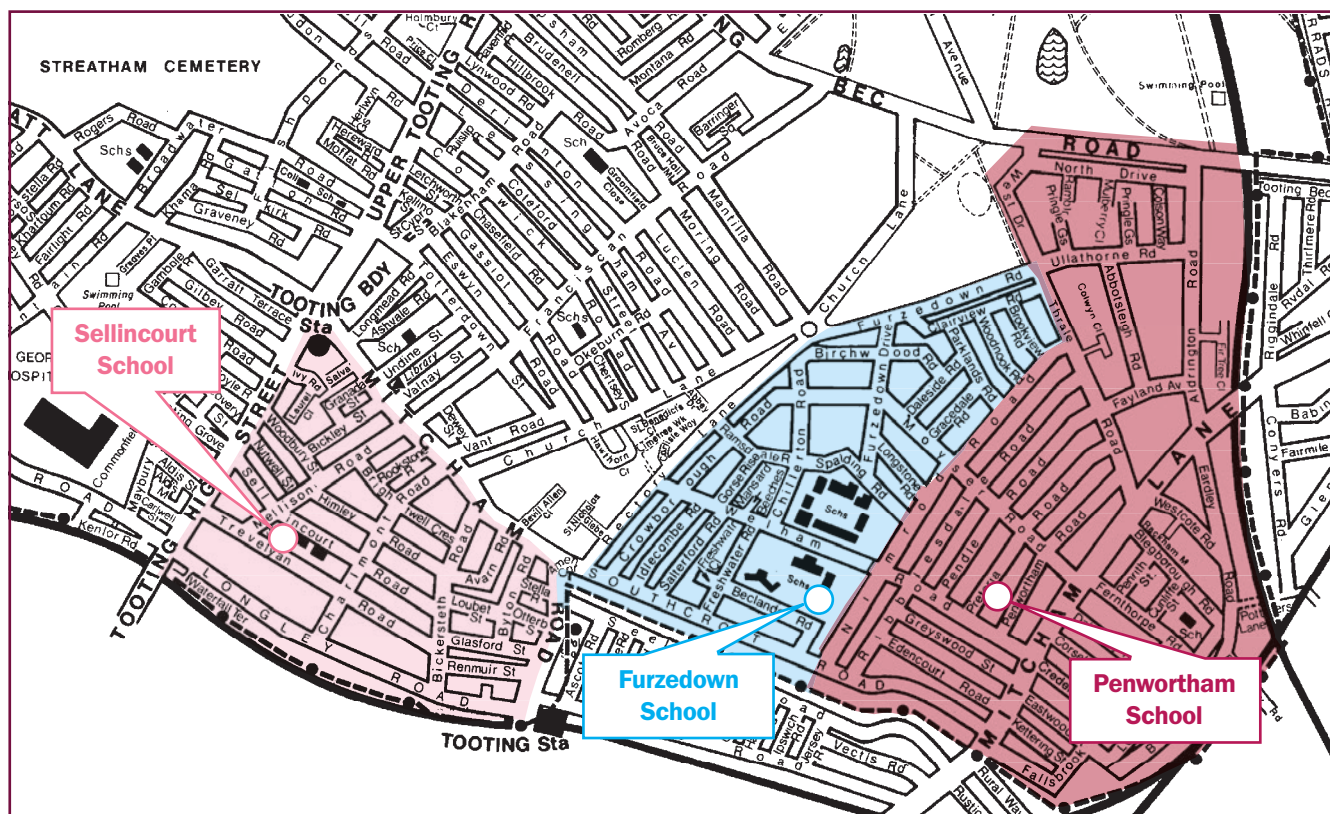
- Nimrod Road (both sides)
- Thrale Road (odd numbers 1-73 (west side) and even numbers 4-62 (east side))
- West Drive
- Tooting Bec Road (from junction with West Drive to junction with Aldington Road)
- Aldington Road (including all properties between eastside of Aldington Road and railway line; that is, Shepley Court in the north to Fir Tree Close in the south)
- Carriage Place
- Eardley Road (both sides odd numbers 1-169a, even numbers 2-108)
- Besley Street
- Anvil Close
- Fallsbrook Road
- Southcroft Road (odd numbers 225-313 and even numbers 250-444) and Swain Close

- NB Only the following properties in Moyser Road (odd numbers 1 & 1A-89 and even numbers 2 & 2A-94), Welham Road (odd numbers 1-131 and even numbers 18-34) and Mitcham Lane (even numbers 120-282, odd numbers 71-271) fall in the priority area.

* Priority area for Penwortham School subject to approval from the Office of the Schools Adjudicator.

Sellincourt School

- East side of Tooting High Street (odd numbers 71-221)
- South side and west side of Mitcham Road (even numbers 2-284) and west side of London Road (even numbers 2-6)
- Longley Road (both sides) including Waterfall Terrace.



Admission criteria

Community Schools with priority areas

Beatrix Potter

Beatrix Potter primary school has a first and a second priority area. Children living in the first priority area are given priority over those living in the second priority area. However, living in either priority area does not guarantee a place at the school. This will depend on the demand for places from people living in the priority areas in a particular year. Parents are advised to apply to other schools as well, in case their application is unsuccessful. Further information on the likelihood of obtaining a place at the school, can be obtained from the school or the School Admissions Team.

Admission criteria for Beatrix Potter School

Places will first be allocated to Children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school or for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be offered in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. (See note 1);
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by Wandsworth Local Authority (see note 2);
- iii) Brothers and sisters of children on the school roll on the date of admission (see note 3);
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at the school (see note 5);
- v) Children living within the first priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4);
- vi) Children living within the second priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4);
- vii) Children living outside the priority areas in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4).

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System (see note 4).

Notes:

Please refer to the notes on page 28.

How places were offered last year

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

Priority area boundaries

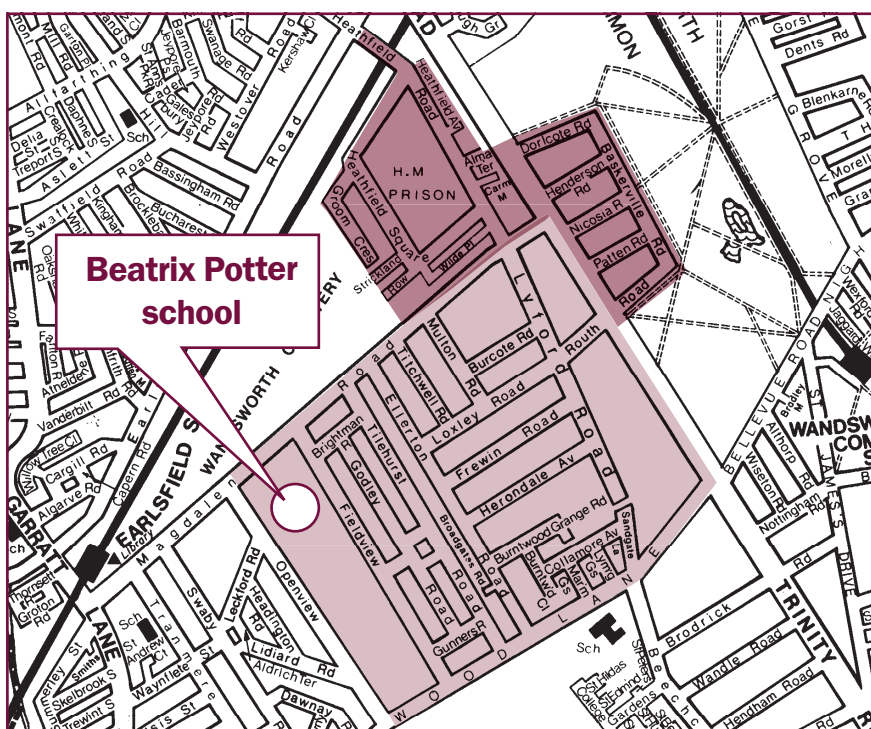
The boundary of the first priority area runs along the following roads. These roads and all the roads inside the boundary are included in the first priority area (unless otherwise stated).

- Openview (east side from the School boundary wall to the corner of Burntwood Lane);
- Burntwood Lane (north side only from junction of Openview to junction with Trinity Road, odd numbers 227-315);
- Trinity Road (west side only from Burntwood Lane to Magdalen Road, odd numbers 261-309);

- Magdalen Road (numbers 1-145 only and Masons Yard).

The second priority area is comprised of the following:

Dorlcote Road, Henderson Road, Nicosia Road, Patten Road, Baskerville Road, the west end of Routh Road (odd numbers 1-15 and even numbers 2-20a), Trinity Road (even numbers 238-324, odd numbers 311-345), Groom Crescent, Strickland Row, Alma Terrace, Heathfield Square, and Heathfield Road (numbers 1-31) to the junction of Earlsfield Road, Wilde Place, Carmichael Mews.



■ First priority area ■ Second priority area

Albemarle School

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) children looked after and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the school governing body; * **
- iii) brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of staff employed at Albemarle; * **
- v) children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System; * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

**The criteria form part of, and must be read in the context of, the full admissions policy and notes contained within the school's admission arrangements. Please see www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions or the school's website for the full policy.

Hillbrook School

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) children looked after and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the school governing body; * **
- iii) brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission * **
- iv) children of staff employed directly at the school. Priority to children of staff will be given only where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, and/or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. The member of staff must be employed on at least a 0.6 full time (FTE) basis and employed directly at the school (rather than through an agency or third party organisation). The number of places offered under this criterion will be limited to a maximum of one place per form of entry (FE) at the school.
- v) children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

**The criteria form part of, and must be read in the context of, the full admissions policy and notes contained within the school's admission arrangements. Please see www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions or the school's website for the full policy.

Albemarle Hillbrook



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Admission criteria

Foundation Schools

Honeywell Infant Honeywell Junior

Honeywell Infant School and Honeywell Junior School share the same site. However, there is no automatic right of transfer between the two schools and parents wishing their children to attend the Junior school after leaving the Infant school must make an application by 15 January 2027.

An application for a child living in the borough of Wandsworth should be made using the online facility at Eadmissions using the following link; www.eadmissions.org.uk You can also use the link from the council's website at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions. If necessary, paper applications can be obtained from the school or from the School Admissions Team. The online Junior application process is exactly the same as the process described on pages 2 and 3 of this brochure. Remember to apply by the deadline of the 15 January 2027 and you must ensure you press the submit button in order to ensure the application is valid.

The admission criteria for both schools are set out on this page.

Honeywell Infant School

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children, looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted; * **
- ii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the Governing Body; * **
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at either Honeywell Infant or Junior school. Where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for the admission to the school is made and /or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage; * **
- v) Children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by the Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Honeywell Junior School

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children, looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted; * **
- ii) Children currently attending Honeywell Infant School, and who will still be attending the school in July 2027; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the schools on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the Governing Body; * **
- v) Children of staff employed directly at either Honeywell Infant or Junior school. Where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for the admission to the school is made and /or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage; * **
- vi) Children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance of home to school as measured by the Council's Geographical Information System. * **

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Anglo-Portuguese School of London

The Anglo-Portuguese School of London (APSoL) is a community primary school (state school) situated in the heart of Wandsworth, offering bilingual education to all children since 2020. We believe that bilingualism is for everyone, thus welcome children of all language abilities, whether they have never been exposed to Portuguese language before or they have spoken Portuguese at home since birth.

Our primary curriculum is delivered in English and follows National Curriculum guidance. Portuguese language teaching is delivered by language specialists. APSoL has an extended school day from 9am to 4pm to accommodate the additional language teaching required.

In addition to a comprehensive language programme, we also offer Forest School sessions for children in the Early Years and in Year 1, Swimming lessons for Year 2 and music lessons with specialist teachers for all year groups and Spanish from Year 3.

Admissions Arrangements

All applicants for a Reception place at the Anglo Portuguese School of London, must list the school on their local authority online portal or paper application form.

All children starting in Reception, will have the opportunity to access a bilingual curriculum regardless of their language proficiency or starting points. APSoL is a fully inclusive, non-selective, bilingual primary school.

Oversubscription Criteria:

When the school is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with an Education, Health and Care plan naming the school, priority for admission will be given to those children who meet the criteria set out below, in priority order:

1. Looked after children and children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, a child arrangements order, or special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Governing Board to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. * **
2. Priority will next be given to children based on their exceptional medical or social needs. Each application must include evidence, from a medical specialist or social worker of the child's need and why they must attend this school rather than any other, based on those needs. If evidence is not submitted to the school with the application, a child's medical or social needs cannot be considered. * **
3. Priority will next be given to the siblings of pupils attending the school at the time the application is received. Where an older sibling is in year 6 siblings will not be prioritised under this criterion. * **
4. Priority will next be given to the children of staff who have been recruited to fill a skill- shortage area. * **
5. Half of the remaining places will be given to other children living within school's priority area. The priority area is defined as a radius circle of 3km from the centre of the school site. Priority will be given to those living nearest the school in order of a straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

- 6 The remaining places will be given to children living outside of the school's priority area. Priority will be given to those living nearest the school in order of a straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

In the event that the school is undersubscribed under criterion 5, the remaining places will be allocated under criterion 6 and vice versa..

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Admission criteria

Academies/Free Schools

Ark John Archer

Where the school is named on a child's EHCP or Statement of Special Educational Needs, that pupil will be admitted to the school.

Oversubscription Criteria

If the number of applications received is greater than the number of spaces available, places will be allocated according to the oversubscription criteria and order below.

- i) 'Looked After Children' and children who have previously been a 'Looked After Child' but immediately following this became subject to adoption, a child arrangements order or special guardianship order. * **
- ii) Children of staff at the school who occupy, or have been recruited to, a post where there is a demonstrable skill shortage. Priority will be limited to one place for each form of entry. * **
- iii) Children who, at the time of admission, have a sibling who attends the school. * **
- iv) Children of staff in the school who have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time the application is submitted. Priority will be limited to one place for each form of entry. * **
- v) Distance measurement – Priority will be given to those children who live closest to the school. * **

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Belleville

Belleville Primary School (Academy) operates on two separate sites. There are reception classes on both sites. The Admission Criteria for deciding which children will be offered a place at Belleville Primary School is on this page. Where priority is determined by straight line distance from home to school, all measurements will be made to the Webb's Road site.

The decision about the site at which children will be educated, is not part of the process for deciding which children will be offered places at the school.

After places have been offered and accepted, the school will ask parents to state which site they prefer. Where there are more preferences for a site than places available at that site, the Governing Body of the school will give priority for each site using the order in which places at the school were offered according to the Admission Criteria on this page. They will ensure, as far as it is possible, that siblings are educated at the same site.

Applicants offered a place at the school after 1 July 2027, when class lists must be finalised, will be educated at whichever site has a place available at the time the offer is made.

Admission criteria

Places will first be allocated to children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs or Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied.

In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) A 'looked after child' or a child who was previously looked after; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the trust; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of staff at the school; * **
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school.

There is no automatic right of transfer from the school nursery to the school reception. * **

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Belleville Wix

Belleville Wix Academy has two reception classes, one in which children receive a bilingual (French/English) education, and the other one in which they are taught in English only. Each class will consist of 30 pupils.

Admission arrangements

All applicants for a Reception place at Belleville Wix must list the school on their Local Authority online or paper application form.

Those applicants who wish their child to be considered for a place in the bilingual class, must also complete the supplementary information form. The form can be downloaded from www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

All applicants not offered a place in the bilingual class will be considered for the English only class. Those who do not wish to be considered for the English only class **must** indicate this on the supplementary form.

Admission criteria

If there are more applications than places for either the bilingual or the English only class, children will be admitted to **each class** in the order of priority set out in the school's admission criteria.

Places will first be allocated to children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs or Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) A 'looked after child' or a child who was previously looked after; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the trust; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of staff at the school;
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school; * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school.

There is no automatic right of transfer from the school nursery to the school reception.

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Appeal arrangements

Applicants refused a Reception place at Belleville Wix Academy (except those offered a place in one class but not the other) will have the right to appeal to an independent panel against the decision. However, the Panel cannot decide whether a successful appellant should be placed in the bilingual class or the English language class. Parents/carers who wish their child to be considered for the bilingual class only should bear this in mind if they decide to appeal.

Waiting lists

A waiting list will be maintained for **the bilingual class and English language classes** in the order of the school's criteria.

Additional note

Parents/carers of children admitted to the bilingual class, should be aware that the Headteacher reserves the right to move a child from the bilingual class to the English language class and vice versa, where he or she considers this to be in the child's best interests, and subject to the class size not exceeding the admission number.

How places were offered last year at Belleville Wix Academy:

See www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions



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Admission criteria

Academies/Free Schools

Chesterton

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a Chesterton Primary School, as decided by the governing body; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission living up to a distance of 800 metres from the school. Children with a brother or sister at the school on the date of admission living over 800 metres from the school will also receive priority under this criterion where the family have not moved since last sibling was offered a place; * **
- iv) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

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Fircroft

Places will first be allocated to Children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school or for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be offered in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. This includes those children who appear to the Local Authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by Wandsworth Local Authority; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at the school; * **
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System.

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Floreat (Wandsworth)

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Children looked after and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) Brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iii) Children of staff. (A supplementary information form must be completed and returned by the application closing date for all applicants wishing to apply under this criterion.); * **
- iv) Children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System; * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Tie Breaker

If there is one place available and two or more children next in order of priority or next on the waiting list meet the appropriate criterion equally, the place will be allocated using the distance criterion. If the distances are equal, the place will be allocated by drawing lots in the presence of an independent witness. * **

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Franciscan

Places will first be offered to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school.

Oversubscription criteria

In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be allocated in the following order of priority as follows:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the Governing Body; * **
- iii) Children living inside the priority area with a brother or sister on the school roll on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of employees of the Graveney Trust who work at Franciscan Primary School; * **
- v) Other children living inside the priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System; * **

vi) Children living outside the priority area with a brother or sister on the school roll on the date of admission: * **

vii) Other children living outside the priority area in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System * **

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Franciscan School Priority area

- South side of Derinton Road (even numbers 10-316)
- West side of Rectory Lane (from north side of Hill House to junction with Mitcham Road)
- North side of Mitcham Road (odd numbers 1-215) and including Beville Allen Close
- East sides of Tooting High Street (odd numbers 1-69) and Upper Tooting Road (odd numbers 127-247).

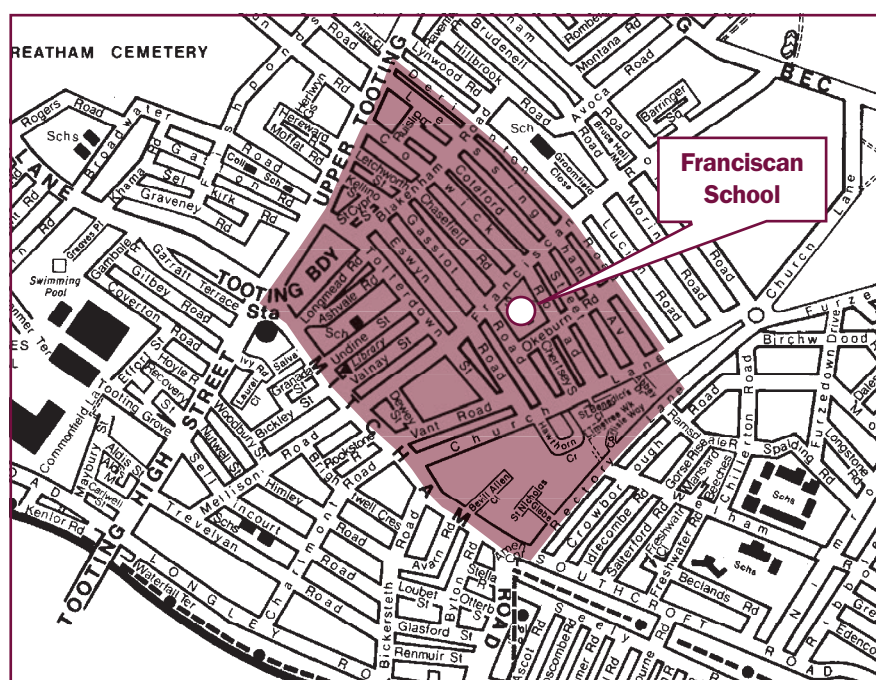


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Admission criteria

Academies/Free Schools

Griffin

When the Academy is oversubscribed, after the admission of Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP) where the Academy is named, priority for admission will be given to those children who meet the criteria set out below:

- a) A 'looked after child'. A looked after child is a child who is a) looked after by a local authority or b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority in the exercise of their social services functions, in accordance with section 22 (1) of the Children Act 1989. Details of eligibility must be supplied by the allocated social worker or foster carer.* **

or

A child who was previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangement order, or special guardianship order. This includes children who appear to the admission authority to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in care as a result of being adopted. Proof of eligibility will be required.* **

- b) Children for whom it is essential to be admitted to the Academy because of special circumstances do with significant medical or social needs, which relate to the child or an immediate member of the child's family. Applications must be supported by medical evidence from a GP or hospital consultant, social worker, or similar professional.* **

i The supporting evidence should set out the particular reason why the Academy is the most suitable and the difficulties that would be caused if the child had to attend another school. This evidence must be sent to the Academy by the application closing date, for the child to be considered under this criterion.

- c) Children who, on the date of application, have a sibling (e.g. a natural brother or sister, or a half brother or sister, or a legally adopted brother or sister or half-brother or sister, or step-brother or sister) who is living with them at the same address and on roll of the Academy.* **

- d) Children of staff, where the member of staff has been employed by the Academy for 2 or more years at the time of application, or the member of staff was recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.* **

- e) Children living nearest to the school. Distance will be calculated using a straight line (as the crow flies) from the child's home to the school as measured by Wandsworth Council's geographical information system.* **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

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Mosaic Jewish Primary

Oversubscription Criteria

Up to 50% of places will be offered to children who satisfy any of the criteria below. All aspects have equal weight:

- a) Membership of a Jewish prayer group for at least 6 months in the 12 months before the application closing date. * **
- b) Attendance by a parent / carer or child at a minimum of 4 synagogue or other organised Jewish prayer group services in the 12 months before the application closing date. * **
- c) A child's enrolment in any formal Jewish education for at least 6 months in the 12 months before the application closing date. * **
- d) A parent / carer's regular (at least monthly) involvement as a volunteer in any Jewish communal, charitable or welfare activity of at least a year's duration in the 2 years before the application closing date. * **
- e) A parent / carer's regular (at least 6 individual occurrences) involvement in any combination of the following in the year before the application closing date. * **
 - i) Private or family celebration of Shabbat or Jewish festivals.
 - ii) Organised Jewish learning (e.g. London Jewish Cultural Centre courses, Limmud sessions, Jewish Museum courses).
 - iii) Jewish youth movement activities.
 - iv) Organised Jewish community activities (e.g. Mitzvah Day, Jewish Community Centre events, Jewish Book Week events).

Applicants for faith based places must complete the school's Supplementary Information Form and provide the appropriate evidence.

Under category (e), for (i) evidence is required in the form of a letter from a non-family member who was actually present. Each event must have its own separate letter and author. For (ii), (iii) and (iv) evidence should be in the form of a letter from the organisation involved. * **

Where there is oversubscription the following order of priority will be used to distinguish between applicants:

Category 1 - Faith places

After the admission of children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs which names the school, places will be allocated in the following order of priority:

1. Looked after children and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical or social need for a place at the school as decided by the Governing Body; * **
3. Brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
4. Children in order of straight-line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Category 2 - Open Places

Remaining places will be offered in the following order, without reference to faith:

After the admission of children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs which names the school, places will be allocated in the following order of priority:

1. Looked after children and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical or social need for a place at the school as decided by the Governing Body; * **
3. Brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
4. Children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Tiebreakers

Where two applications have equal weighting, they will be considered in order of straight-line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. If 2 children live an equal distance from the school (e.g. in a block of flats), the available place will be given using a means of random allocation. * **

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Admission criteria

Academies/Free Schools

Ravenstone

Places will first be allocated to Children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school or for whom the school is being consulted with by the responsible Local Authority. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be offered in the following order of priority:

- i) Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the Director of Children Services; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission living up to a distance of 800 metres from the school. Children with a brother or sister at the school on the date of admission living over 800 metres from the school will also receive priority under this criterion where the family have not moved further away since the last sibling was offered a place; * **
- iv) Children of staff employed directly at the school; * **
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

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Rutherford House

Where there are fewer applicants than places available all applicants will be admitted. In the event of there being greater demand than there are places available to the school, and after the admission of children with an Education Health and Care Plan that names the school, places will be offered using the following oversubscription criteria in keeping with the School Admissions Code 2021:

1. Looked After Children and Previously Looked After Children. This category includes children in the care of the Local Authority as defined in the Children Act 1989 or children who have previously been looked after and immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order. Applicants made under this criterion must be accompanied by details of circumstances and professionally supported evidence. * **
2. Children with a sibling at the school at the time of admission. * **
3. Children of staff at the school. **
4. Proximity to the school. This will be measured in a straight line from the address point of the pupil's home to the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Tie Breaker

In the event that two or more children live at the same distance from the school, the tie breaker will be random allocation, where the supervised drawing of lots by an independent responsible person of good standing will be used to decide which child(ren) will be allocated the remaining place(s).

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The Alton

Places will first be allocated to children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs or Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) A 'looked after child' or a child who was previously looked after; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the trust; * **
- iii) Children with brothers and sisters on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Children of staff at the school; * **
- v) Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school * **

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school.

There is no automatic right of transfer from the school nursery to the school reception. * **

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Admission criteria

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Tooting Primary

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Children Looked After or children who were looked after, but ceased to be so because they were adopted (or became subject to a residence order or special guardianship order). * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical or social need for a place at a particular school, as decided by the Governing Body. * **
- iii) Brothers and sisters of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission. * **
- iv) Children of employees of the Graveney Trust who work at Tooting Primary School. * **
- v) Proximity of home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If there are more applications than places within any criterion, applications will be considered in order of nearness of home to school using a straight line measurement as measured by Wandsworth's GIS computerised system. * **

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Westbridge

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

- i) Children looked after and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need for a place at the school, as decided by the school governing body; * **
- iii) Siblings of children on the roll of the school on the date of admission; * **
- iv) Eligible children who attend Westbridge Nursery. Children who attend the nursery and are eligible for Early Years Pupil Premium. A supplementary form must be completed to be considered for this category.
- v) All other children

If there are more applications than places within any category, applications will be considered in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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All Saints' Roehampton CE Forest

St Faith's St George's St Mary's (Putney)

St Michael's Trinity St Mary's

On pages 45-51 there is a **summary** of the Admission Criteria for each Church of England school in the borough. Please contact the school for full details of the criteria. To apply for any of these schools you must include the school in your online application or on the paper form. However you must also contact the school for their own supplementary information form (not for Trinity St Mary's) and return it to the school by the closing date. This is so they can prioritise your application under the criteria set out.



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All Saints' CE

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

1. Looked after children and previously looked after children. * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical or social need for a place at the school, as decided by the Board of Governors. * **
3. Siblings; Children who have a sibling on the roll of the main school (Reception Class to Year 6) on the date of entry of the applicant. * **
4. Up to three places will be offered to children who are eligible for Free School Meals on the basis of family income at the closing date of applications. * **
5. Children who have at least one parent or carer who regularly worships at, and is active in the life and worship of St Mary's or All Saints' Church in the Parish of Putney, or St Margaret's Church Putney (Foundation Place). * **
6. Proximity of the home to the school. * **

In the event of oversubscription in any of the above criteria, distance as measured in criterion 6 above will be used to determine between applicants. In the event that two or more applicants live the same distance away from the school and there are insufficient places to admit all applicants, the place will be allocated by drawing lots. **

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Admission criteria

Church of England Primary Schools

Roehampton CE Forest

If there are more than 30 applicants, places will be allocated according to the following criteria after the admission of any children with an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan which names this school. These are stated in order of priority:

- i) Looked after children or previously looked after children; * **
- ii) Children with an exceptional and professionally supported medical or social need for a place at this school; * **
- iii) Children who will have a brother or sister in the school at the time of admission; * **

iv) Children whose parent/carer is a faithful and regular worshipper at a local Anglican church; * **

v) Children whose parent/carer is a faithful and regular worshipper at a local Christian church; * **

vi) Children in order of nearness of the home to the school. * **

Tie Breaker

In the event of over-subscription in any of the above criteria, distance will be used to decide between applicants. In the event that two or more applicants live the same distance from the school and there are insufficient places to admit all applicants, places will be allocated by drawing lots. **

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**The criteria form part of, and must be read in the context of, the full admissions policy and notes contained within the school's admission arrangements. Please see www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions or the school's website for the full policy.



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St Faith's CE

Any unfilled Foundation places will become additional Open places; unsuccessful Foundation applicants will be automatically considered equally for Open places.

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

FOUNDATION PLACES - up to 15

The Governing Board has designated up to 15 places to be offered to pupils whose parent/carer is a regular worshipper in an Anglican or other Christian Church. If there are more than 15 qualified applicants, places will be allocated according to the criteria listed below:

1. Looked after or previously looked after children. * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the Governing Board. * **
3. Children whose parent(s)/legal guardian(s) is a/are regular worshipper(s) at St Anne's with St Faith's Church in the following order:
 - (a) Children with a sibling in the school at the time of application and who will still be in the school on the date of admission. * **
 - (b) Children living nearest to the school in order of a straight-line distance from home to school as measured by the Wandsworth Council Geographical Information System. * **
4. Children whose parent(s)/legal guardian(s) is/ are regular worshipper(s) in an Anglican church in the following order:
 - (a) Children with a sibling in the school at the time of application and who will still be in the school on the date of admission. * **
 - (b) Children living nearest to the school in order of a straight-line distance from home to school as measured by the Wandsworth Council Geographical Information System. * **

5. Children whose parent(s)/legal guardian(s) is/are regular worshipper(s) in other Christian churches as defined as full members of Churches Together in England in

- (a) Children with a sibling on the school roll on the closing date for applications who will still be in the school on the date of admission. * **
- (b) Children living nearest to the school in order of a straight-line distance from home to school as measured by (the) Wandsworth Council (Geographical Information System). * **

6. Children with a sibling on the school roll on the closing date for applications who will still be in the school on the date of admission. * **
7. Children living nearest to the school in order of a straight-line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

OPEN PLACES - minimum of 15

If there are more applicants than places available, places will be allocated according to the following criteria. These are stated in order of priority:

1. Looked after or previously looked after children. * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the Governing Board. * **
3. Children with a sibling on the school roll on the closing date for applications that will still be in the school on the date of admission. * **
4. Children living nearest to the school in order of a straight-line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Tiebreaker

If any applicants live equidistant from the school the Governing Board will determine the allocation of places by the drawing of lots.

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Admission criteria

Church of England Primary Schools

St George's CE

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

FOUNDATION PLACES

The Governing Body has designated 15 places to be offered to pupils whose parent/carer is a faithful and regular worshipper in an Anglican or other Christian Church. If there are more than 15 applicants, places will be allocated according to the following criteria. These are stated in order of priority:

1. Looked after children or previously looked after children; * **
2. Children who, along with their immediate family member, are faithful and regular worshippers at St. Saviour's or St. George's or All Saints Church in the Parish of Battersea Fields;
3. Children who, along with their immediate family member, are faithful and regular worshippers at another Anglican or other Christian Church and who have siblings in the school at the time of admission;

4. Children who, along with their immediate family member, are faithful and regular worshippers at one of the local Anglican or other Christian churches;
5. Children who, along with their immediate family member, are faithful and regular worshippers at another Anglican or other Christian church.

In the event of oversubscription in any of the above criteria, priority will be determined in order of nearness of the home to the school. In the event that two or more applicants live the same distance from the school and there are insufficient places to admit all applicants, places will be allocated by drawing lots.

If there are less than 15 qualified applicants for foundation places, any unfilled places will become additional open places. Unsuccessful qualified applicants for foundation places will be considered for any open places remaining unfilled at the end of the allocation procedure.

OPEN PLACES

The Governing Body has designated 15 places each year as open places, to be offered to pupils who do not qualify for a foundation place, but whose parents have chosen the school for the type of education it provides. Parents applying for an open place do so knowing that the school aims to provide an education

based on Christian principles and, therefore, the Governing Body hopes that all pupils will take part in the Christian worship of the school and attend religious education lessons.

If there are more than 15 applicants, places will be allocated according to the following criteria. These are stated in order of priority:

1. Looked after children or previously looked after children; * **
2. Children who have siblings in the school at the time of admission. * **
3. Children in order of nearness of the home to the school. * **

In the event of oversubscription in any of the above criteria, distance will be used to determine between applicants. In the event that two or more applicants live the same distance from the school and there are insufficient places to admit all applicants, places will be allocated by drawing lots.* **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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St Mary's CE (Putney)

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

FOUNDATION PLACES

20 places** will be offered to children whose parent(s)/carer(s) are active in the life and worship of a Christian church in the following order of priority:

1. Looked After Children or Previously Looked After Children. * **
2. Children of a parent/carers who is a faithful and regular worshipper and is active in the life and worship of either St Mary's, All Saints' or St Margaret's churches in Putney. * **
3. Children of a parent/carers who is a faithful and regular worshipper and is active in the life and worship of other Christian churches. * **

Within each of the Foundation Place criteria (1, 2 & 3 above), and in case of oversubscription within any criteria, priority will be given in the following ranked order to:

- i) Children with a sibling in the school on the proposed date of admission. * **
- ii) Children with an exceptional and appropriately evidenced medical or social need for a place at this school. * **
- iii) Children living nearest to the school measured in a straight line by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Parents who wish to apply for a Foundation Place must also complete the Supplementary Information Form and return this to the school on or before the deadline. Failure to return the Supplementary Information Form will mean that the school cannot consider the application for a Foundation Place. In these circumstances the application will be considered by strictly applying the criteria for Open Places.

OPEN PLACES

10 places** will be offered to children irrespective of their religious background. Priority will be given in the following order to:

1. Looked After Children or Previously Looked After Children. * **
2. Children with a sibling in the school on the proposed date of admission. * **
3. Children with an exceptional and appropriately evidenced medical or social need for a place at this school. * **
4. Children of qualified teachers (QTS) and teaching assistants employed by the school who have worked at St Mary's for more than two years prior to the date of application. Such priority will be limited to one place per year group admitted from the 2018/19 school year onwards. * **
5. Children living nearest to the school measured in a straight line by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Within each of the Open Place criteria (1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 above), and in case of oversubscription at any criteria, priority will be given in the following ranked order to:

- i) Children with an exceptional and appropriately evidenced medical or social need for a place at this school. * **
- ii) Children living nearest to the school measured in a straight line by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Admission criteria

Church of England Primary Schools



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St Michael's CE

Any unfilled Foundation Places will become additional Open Places; any unfilled Open Places will become Foundation. Unsuccessful Foundation Applicants will be automatically considered on equal terms with Open Places. Parents applying under criteria 1-3 will be asked to supply evidence as to whether the application comes under a Foundation or Open category. If any children are admitted under Criteria 1-3 or Education Health and Care Plan then the number of Foundation/Open places will reduce depending on category under which the children are admitted. * **

Places will be first offered to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be allocated in the following order of priority:

1. Looked After Children: Looked after children and those who ceased to be looked after children because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order, child arrangements order or a special guardianship order; * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the Board of Governors. * **
3. Children of teachers with Qualified Teacher Status, who have been employed by the Board of Governors to work at the School for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the School is made and/or are recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage. * **

4. FOUNDATION PLACES - up to forty (40)* **

Places will be allocated to children whose parents/guardians are committed members of and regular worshippers at Christian Congregations which are full members of the Churches Together in England. Parents/guardians who wish to apply for a Foundation Place must also complete the St Michael's Church of England School Supplementary Form; this form must be supported by the Minister/Incumbent of their Church who must complete the supplementary form and return it to the school.

If there is no supporting statement from the Minister/Incumbent, the application will be considered under category 5 (Open Places).

If there are more applicants than Foundation places available, priority will be given as follows:

- a) Children living within the priority area (#) in the following order:
 - (i) Children who have a sibling on the roll of the school on the closing date for applications who will still be on the school roll on the date of admission * **
 - (ii) St Michael's Church and St Stephen's Church (United Benefice): applicants considered under this Criterion must be committed members of and regular worshippers at St Michael's Church (Wimbledon Park Road, Southfields) or St Stephen's Church (Manfred Road, East Putney) * **
 - (iii) Holy Trinity Church, St Barnabas' Church, and St Paul's Church: applicants considered under this Criterion must be committed members of and regular worshippers at Holy Trinity Church (Beaumont Road, Wandsworth), St Barnabas Church (Lavenham Road, Southfields), or St Paul's Church (Augustus Road, Wimbledon Park) * **
 - (iv) Other Christian Congregations: applicants considered under this Criterion must be committed members of and regular worshippers at Christian Congregations which are full members by the Churches Together in England * **
- b) Children living outside the priority area (#) in order of categories 4a (i), 4a (ii), 4a (iii) and 4a (iv) above. * **

5. OPEN PLACES – up to twenty (20)* **

- a) Children living within the priority area (#) in the following order:
 - (i) Children who have a sibling on the roll of the school on the closing date for applications who will still be on the school roll on the date of admission. * **
 - (ii) Children living nearest to the School by a straight-line measurement. * **
- b) Children living outside the priority area (#) in order of categories 5a (i) and 5a (ii) above. * **

Map of the priority area available on the school and council websites.

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Trinity St Mary's CE

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. In the event of oversubscription, the remaining places will then be allocated in the following order of priority:

1. Looked after children, previously looked after children, adopted children and internationally adopted previously looked after children (IAPLAC). * **
2. Children with a professionally supported exceptional medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the school governing body. * **

3. Children who at the time of their admission have siblings who attend Trinity St Mary's. * **
4. Other children in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Tiebreaker

If there are more applications than places in any category, priority will be given to those who live nearest to the school as measured by a straight-line by Wandsworth Council's GIS system. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random.

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Admission criteria

Catholic Primary Schools

Holy Ghost

Our Lady of Victories

Our Lady Queen of Heaven

Sacred Heart (Battersea)

Sacred Heart (Roehampton)

St Anselm's

St Boniface

St Joseph's

St Mary's (Battersea)

On pages 52-60 there is a **summary** of the Admission Criteria for each Catholic school in the borough. Please contact the school for full details of the criteria. To apply for any of these schools you must include the school in your online application or on the paper form. However you must also contact the school for their own supplementary information form and return it to the school by the closing date. This is so they can prioritise your application under the criteria set out.

Holy Ghost Catholic

Where the number of applications exceeds 30 the Governors will offer places using the following criteria in the order stated below:

1. Looked after Catholic children, and all previously looked after Catholic children, who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Catholic Practice. * **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. * **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required. * **
6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. * **

7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches, and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. * **
8. Any other children. * *

Tiebreakers

The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed the places available and it is necessary to decide between applications.

- i. A brother or sister on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. The governors will, where logistically possible, admit twins and all siblings from multiple births where one of the children is the last child ranked within the school's published admissions number. * **
- ii. Living in the parish of The Holy Ghost Church, Balham or in the parish of St Vincent de Paul, Battersea. * **
- iii. Social, pastoral, and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided, at the time of application, by an appropriate professional authority (e.g., qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker, or priest). * **
- iv. Children of members of staff. The member of staff must be employed directly by the school (rather than an agency or a third-party organisation) on at least a 0.6 fulltime equivalent basis. The member of staff must have been employed by the school for two or more

consecutive, academic years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made.

- v. Proximity to the school of the child's home address. The straight-line measurement used to prioritise applicants for admission to schools in Wandsworth commences in all cases at the location of the property determined by the National Land Planning Gazetteer and terminates at the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Measurements by alternative systems and/or to other points will not be considered under any circumstances. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random. Evidence of residence may be required. * **

* Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Our Lady of Victories Catholic

Whenever there are more applications than places available, priority will always be given to Catholic applicants, in strict accordance with the over-subscription criteria set out below.

Catholic Applicants

1. Baptised looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after baptised Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Baptised Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. *

2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Practice and a baptismal certificate. **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
5. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. **
6. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. **
7. Any other children.

Tie break for all categories in the policy

The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed the places available and it is necessary to decide between applications. These over-subscription criteria will be applied to each category.

- i. A brother or sister on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. The governors will, where logistically possible, admit twins and all siblings from multiple births where one of the children is the last child ranked within the school's published admissions number.
- ii. Children of members of staff. The member of staff must be employed directly by the school (rather than an agency or a third party organisation) on at least a 0.6 fulltime equivalent basis. The member of staff must have been employed by the school for at least two consecutive, academic years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made.
- iii. Living in the parish of Our Lady of Pity and St Simon Stock.
- iv. Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided, at the time of application, by an appropriate professional authority (e.g. qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker or priest).

In the event of oversubscription within each category after the above criteria have been applied and it is necessary to decide between applications of equal ranking, priority will be determined by ballot allocation within each category. The ballot will be conducted independently of the school with the assistance of the Local Authority.

*Please see pages 6 -9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Admission criteria

Catholic Primary Schools



Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic

Where the number of applications exceeds 30, the Governors will offer places using the following criteria in the order stated below:

1. Looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Practice. **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required. **
6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. **
7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. **
8. Any other children. **

The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed the places available and it is necessary to decide between applications.

- i) A brother or sister on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. The governors will, where logistically possible, admit twins and all siblings from multiple births where one of the children is the last child ranked within the school's published admissions number. **
- ii) Living in the parish of Our Lady and St Peter, Christ the King or St Gregory's. (Applies only to categories 2 and 3. Parish boundary maps are available in each presbytery and at the school.) **
- iii) Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided, at the time of application, by an appropriate professional authority (eg qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker or priest). * **
- iv) Proximity to the school of the child's home address, the distance measured in a straight line from the school entrance by the local authority using a geographical computerised information system. Evidence of residence may be required. Where the last remaining place is to be allocated and two or more children are deemed to live at the same distance from the school the place will be decided by the drawing of lots. **

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Sacred Heart Catholic (Battersea)

Where the number of applications exceeds 60, the Governors will offer places using the following criteria in the order stated:

1. Looked after Catholic children, and all previously looked after Catholic children, who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Catholic Practice. **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required. **
6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. **
7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches, and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. **
8. Any other children. * **

Tie-breaks

If there is over subscription in any of the above categories, the Governing Body will allocate places in accordance with the following sub-categories in the order of priority set out below:

- i) Children who have a sibling attending the school at the time of admission. (if it is necessary to decide between siblings with equal priority, places will be allocated in each instance by drawing lots before an independent person). * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported acute medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the governing Body. Applications made on acute medical

grounds must be supported by a current letter from a specialist health professional. Applications made on exceptional social grounds must be supported by a current letter from a social worker or other care professional working with the family. The letters must give the reason why the child's condition or circumstances make it necessary for the child to attend this school, and the difficulties that would be caused if they had to attend an alternative school. If this information is not provided by the application closing date the application will not be considered under this criterion. * **

- iii) Children in order of straight-line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. (The straight-line measurement used to prioritise applicants for admission to schools in Wandsworth commences in all cases at the location of the property determined by the National Land Planning Gazetteer and terminates at the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Measurements by alternative systems and/or to other points will not be taken into account in any circumstances. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random.) * **

If your child is baptised Catholic, you will need to bring their original baptism certificate to school, and a copy for us to retain.

If you are a practising Catholic, you will need to have the Certificate of Catholic Practice signed by your Parish Priest. You will need to submit your Certificate of Catholic Practice to the school. Please bring the original, and a copy for us to retain.

If category 6 or 7 is relevant to you, you will need to submit your child's baptism certificate from your own faith to the school. Please bring the original baptism certificate for us to see, and a photocopy for us to retain.

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Admission criteria

Catholic Primary Schools

Sacred Heart Catholic (Roehampton)

Where the number of applications exceeds 60, the Governors will offer places using the following criteria in the order stated:

1. Looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted.* **
 2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Practice. Evidence of Baptism will be required.* **
 3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided.* **
 4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or residence or guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted.
 5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate/recognised baptismal programme. Evidence of enrolment in a catechumenate/baptismal programme will be required.* **
 6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. Evidence of religious attendance provided by a priest, minister or religious leader of a designated place of worship will be required.* **
 7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations that are part of Churches Together in England. Evidence of Baptism/ dedication or evidence of membership will be required.* **
 8. Other children with a sibling at the school at the time of admission.* **
 9. Any other children.* **
- The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed the places available and it is necessary to decide between applications.
- i) Children of staff at the school, where the member of staff is the legal parent and guardian of that child.
 - a) where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made, and/or
 - b) the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
 - ii) A sibling on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required.
 - iii) Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided by an appropriate professional authority (eg qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker or priest).
 - v) Distance from home to school, in order of straight-line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System being given higher priority.

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St Anselm's Catholic

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

1. Baptised looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after baptised Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Baptised Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Practice and a baptism certificate. * **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. * **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
5. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. * **
6. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. * **
7. Any other children. * **

Tiebreakers

The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed the places available and it is necessary to decide between applications. These over-subscription criteria will be applied to each category:

- i. A brother or sister on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. The governors will, where logistically possible, admit twins and all siblings from multiple births where one of the children is the last child ranked within the school's published admissions number. * **
- ii. Living in the parish of St Anselm's Church. * **
- iii. Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided, at the time of application, by an appropriate professional authority (eg qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker or priest). * **
- iv. Children of members of staff. The member of staff must be employed directly by the school (rather than an agency or a third party organisation) on at least a 0.6 fulltime equivalent basis. The member of staff must have been employed by the school for at least two consecutive, academic years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made.
- v. Children in order of straight line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random, by drawing lots. * **

*Please see pages 6-9 of this brochure for definitions of the terms 'children looked after', 'siblings', 'medical and social circumstances', and 'your child's address'.

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Admission criteria

Catholic Primary Schools



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St Boniface Catholic

Over subscription Criteria

If the school is oversubscribed, after the admission of pupils with an Education, Health and Care Plan where the school is named in the Plan, priority for admission will be given to those children who meet the criteria set out below, in order:

1. Looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Catholic Practice. Both a baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church and the Certificate of Catholic Practice must be provided * **
3. Baptised Catholic children who do not have a Certificate of Catholic Practice. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. * **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted * **
5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required. * **
6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. * **
7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. * **
8. Any other children. * **

Tiebreakers

The following order of priorities will be applied when applications within any of the above categories exceed places available and it is necessary to decide between applications.

1. Children with a sibling on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. * **
2. Children of staff employed as teachers in the school. A maximum of up to three places may be offered to children of teachers who have been employed by the school for at least three consecutive years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made. * **
3. Living in the parish of St Boniface (Tooting), Our Lady of the Assumption (Links Road) or St Joseph's (Colliers Wood). * **
4. Children with a professionally supported acute medical need or exceptional need for a place at the school, as decided by the Governing Body. (Applications made on acute medical grounds must be supported by a current letter from a specialist health professional. Applications made on exceptional social grounds must be supported by a current letter from a social worker or other care professional working with the family. The letters must give the reason why the child's condition or circumstances make it necessary for the child to attend the school, and the difficulties that would be caused if they had to attend an alternative school. If this information is not provided by the application closing date, the application will not be considered under this criterion.) * **
5. Children in order of straight-line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. (The straight-line measurement used to prioritise applicants for admission to schools in Wandsworth commences in all cases at the location of the property determined by the National Land Planning Gazetteer and terminates at the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Measurements by alternative systems and/or to other points will not be taken into account in any circumstances. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random. * **

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St Joseph's Catholic

Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

1. Looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided.
3. Looked after children, looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a residence or guardianship order and children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted.

4. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required.
5. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required.
6. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required.
7. Any other children * **

Tiebreakers

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- i) A brother or sister on the school roll at the time of admission. Evidence of the relationship may be required. The governors will, where logistically possible, admit twins and all siblings from multiple births where one of the children is the last child ranked within the school's published admissions number.

- ii) Living in the parish of St Thomas a Becket, Wandsworth, St Mary Magdalen's, East Hill or St Gregory's, Earlsfield.
- iii) Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the child in question. Strong and relevant evidence must be provided, at the time of application, by an appropriate professional authority (eg qualified medical practitioner, education welfare officer, social worker or priest).
- iv) Proximity to the school of the child's home address, the distance measured in a straight line from the school entrance by the local authority using a geographical computerised information system. Evidence of residence may be required.
- v) Where the last remaining place is to be allocated and two or more children are deemed to live at the same distance from the school the place will be decided by the drawing of lots. * **

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Admission criteria

Catholic Primary Schools

St Mary's Catholic(Battersea)

Where the number of applications exceeds 30, the Governors will offer places using the following criteria in the order stated:

1. Looked after Catholic children, and all previously looked after Catholic children, who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
2. Baptised Catholic children, in possession of a Certificate of Catholic Practice. **
3. Baptised Catholic children. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided. **
4. Looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Children who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England because of being adopted. * **
5. Children enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required. **
6. Children who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required. **
7. Children who are members of other faiths, Churches, and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required. **

8. Any other children. * **

Tie-breaks

If there is over subscription in any of the above categories, the Governing Body will allocate places in accordance with the following sub-categories in the order of priority set out below:

- i) Children who have a sibling attending the school at the time of admission. (if it is necessary to decide between siblings with equal priority, places will be allocated in each instance by drawing lots before an independent person). * **
- ii) Children with a professionally supported acute medical need or exceptional social need for a place at the school, as decided by the governing Body
Applications made on acute medical grounds must be supported by a current letter from a specialist health professional. Applications made on exceptional social grounds must be supported by a current letter from a social worker or other care professional working with the family. The letters must give the reason why the child's condition or circumstances make it necessary for the child to attend this school, and the difficulties that would be caused if they had to attend an alternative school. If this information is not provided by the application closing date the application will not be considered under this criterion. * **
- iii) Children in order of straight-line distance from home to school, as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. (The straight-line measurement used to prioritise applicants for admission to

schools in Wandsworth commences in all cases at the location of the property determined by the National Land Planning Gazetteer and terminates at the central point of the school site as determined by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. Measurements by alternative systems and/or to other points will not be taken into account in any circumstances. Where applicants have identical distance measurements, priority amongst them will be determined at random.) * **

If your child is baptised Catholic, you will need to bring their original baptism certificate to school, and a copy for us to retain.

If you are a practising Catholic, you will need to have the Certificate of Catholic Practice signed by your Parish Priest. You will need to submit your Certificate of Catholic Practice to the school. Please bring the original, and a copy for us to retain.

If category 6 or 7 is relevant to you, you will need to submit your child's baptism certificate from your own faith to the school. Please bring the original baptism certificate for us to see, and a photocopy for us to retain.

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Admission criteria

Muslim Primary School

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Places will first be allocated to children with an Education Health and Care Plan which names the school. These children will be included in the overall admission number of the school. If fewer applications than the published admission number are received, the school will offer places to all those who have applied. In the event of oversubscription, the school will offer places in the following order of priority:

Category A: Faith Places

Up to 80 places will be offered to children of Muslim Families. * **

1. Muslim Children who are 'Looked After' and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **
2. Children of permanent staff employed directly by the school provided they have been employed at the school for at least two years or have been appointed to meet a demonstrable skills shortage; * **

3. Children whose families worship at, and are active in the life of either the Balham Mosque or the Tooting Islamic Centre; * **

4. Children of other Muslim families with a sibling at the school on the date of admission; * **

5. Children of other Muslim families living nearest to the school in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

Category B: Open Places

Up to 10 places will be offered without reference to faith to children whose parents desire them to be educated in a school with an Islamic ethos. This is determined through the CAF (common application form). * **

6. Other Children who are 'Looked After' and those who ceased to be children looked after because they were adopted, or because they became subject to a residence order or a special guardianship order; * **

7. Other children of permanent staff employed directly by the school provided they have been employed at the school for at least two years or have been appointed to meet a demonstrable skills shortage; * **

8. Other children with a sibling at the school on the date of admission; * **

9. Other children living nearest to the school in order of straight line distance from home to school as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System. * **

If either category of places is undersubscribed, then the remaining places will be offered to applicants from the other category in priority order, eg any unfilled faith places will be offered to open place applicants and vice versa.

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Starting Nursery Education in Wandsworth



Wandsworth Council provides a part-time place in a nursery school or nursery class for every child living in the borough. Children are eligible for places from the term after they turn three. Each school also has a limited number of full-time places available where children are eligible.

If you have a child born between 1 September 2023 and 31 August 2024 they are eligible for a nursery place in a Wandsworth school in September 2027. If there are any places left, they can be offered to younger children from the start of the term after their birthday.

The council issues a separate booklet called Choosing Nursery Education in Wandsworth. You can obtain a copy of this and get further information by visiting fis.wandsworth.gov.uk or by telephoning Family Information Service on 020 8871 7899.

Nursery schools and some nursery classes also take two year olds eligible for free two year old funding.

In addition to the nurseries at Wandsworth maintained primary schools, private and voluntary settings, there are also three stand-alone maintained nurseries in the borough. Balham, Eastwood and Somerset Nurseries form the **Wandsworth Federation of Maintained Nursery Schools**. All three nurseries take children from the age of two and full time places will be available (where eligible) with the government's funding code. All three nurseries have part-time and full-time places for 2, 3 and 4 year olds.

Balham Nursery School and Children's Centre

72 Endlesham Road, London, SW12 8JL
(020) 8673 4055
www.balham-nursery.wandsworth.sch.uk
admin@balham-nursery.wandsworth.sch.uk

- 48 Full time equivalent places available (22 Full time and 52 Part time places)
- Top Up to Full Time and Early Entry places available
- Term time only

Eastwood Nursery School Centre for Children and Families

168 Roehampton Lane, London, SW15 4EU
(020) 8876 3976
www.eastwood.wandsworth.sch.uk
admin@eastwood.wandsworth.sch.uk

- 36 Full time equivalent places available. Term time only.
- Eastwood Day Nursery (which shares the same site) is open all year round for children aged 8 weeks to 5 years, 8am to 6pm daily, 49 weeks a year.

Somerset Nursery School and Children's Centre

157-159 Battersea Church Road, London, SW11 3ND
(020) 7223 5455
www.somerset.wandsworth.sch.uk
admin@somerset.wandsworth.sch.uk

- 60 Full time equivalent places available (36 Full time and 40 Part time places – 20 am and 20 pm)
- Term time only

Each school has its own online application form which can be found on each school's website.

If you have any further questions about this information, please contact The Early Education and Childcare Places Service:

Telephone: (020) 8871 7899
Email: eeep@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk
www.wandsworth.gov.uk/eeep

Children without a school place

If you have moved into the borough of Wandsworth and require a primary school place for a child born before 1 September 2022, you will need to complete the Council's application form for in-year admission.

Parents and carers should contact the School Admissions Team for details of the procedure or information can be found at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions

Children who already have a school place

If your child already has a place in a Wandsworth School, but you want them to transfer to a different school, you should discuss this with the Headteacher of their current school before making an application. Problems at school can often be sorted out without the need to change schools.

If a change of school is necessary, you will need to find out if there are places available at other local schools. The move should take place at the beginning of a term or half term, wherever possible.

The Headteacher of your child's current school will provide you with a transfer application form. This form must be signed by the Headteacher before it is submitted to the council for processing. Any unsigned forms will be returned.

Law on school attendance

Parents and carers may not legally withdraw their child from school unless they have arranged a place in another school or made alternative arrangements for their child to receive full-time education.

Further information

For application forms and information about availability of school places:

Contact School Admissions Team:
Tel: (020) 8871 7316
Email: admissions@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk

For advice if your child is having problems at school or is not attending school regularly:

Contact Education Welfare Service:
Tel: (020) 8871 8306

Moving on to Secondary School

Children move on to secondary school in the September after they become eleven years old. There is no automatic transfer from any primary school to any particular secondary school.

Full details are provided to parents when the child starts their final year in primary school (Year 6).

Term dates 2026/2027

Autumn term 2026

First day Wed 2 September

Half term 26-30 October

Last day Friday 18 December

Spring term 2027

First day Monday 4 January

Half term 15-19 February

Last day Thursday 25 March

Summer term 2027

First day Monday 12 April

Half term 31 May - 4 June

Last day Thursday 22 July

Term dates 2027/2028

Autumn term 2027

First day Wed 1 September

Half term 25-29 October

Last day Friday 17 December

Spring term 2028

First day Tuesday 4 January

Half term 14-18 February

Last day Friday 31 March

Summer term 2028

First day Tuesday 18 April

Half term 29 May - 2 June

Last day Friday 21 July

Primary School Year Groups – September 2025 to July 2026

	Year group	Age of pupils	Dates of birth
Infants	Reception	4 – 5	1.9.21 – 31.8.22
	Year 1	5 – 6	1.9.20 – 31.8.21
	Year 2	6 – 7	1.9.19 – 31.8.20
Juniors	Year 3	7 – 8	1.9.18 – 31.8.19
	Year 4	8 – 9	1.9.17 – 31.8.18
	Year 5	9 – 10	1.9.16 – 31.8.17
	Year 6	10 – 11	1.9.15 – 31.8.16

Financial assistance

Home to school travel

All children under 16 can travel free on bus and tram services across London.

All children 10 and under can travel free on London Underground services if travelling with a paying adult or if travelling unaccompanied using a Zip 5-10 Oyster Photocard. Children under 10 using a Zip 5-10 Oyster Photocard can travel free on National Rail services.

To obtain a Zip 5-10 Oyster Photocard, you must apply online.

For more information about the Zip 5-10 Oyster Photocard please see www.tfl.gov.uk (click on the 'Fares' tab).

Home to school travel by National Rail

If the journey to a school over three miles* away (or two miles if the child is under eight years old) can only reasonably be made using National Rail services, your child may be eligible for assistance with the cost of home to school travel if:

- he or she is a Wandsworth resident and
- he or she attends the nearest suitable school*
- the nearest suitable school was full at the time you applied, or should have applied, for a place.

* The council's home to school travel assistance policy defines the 'nearest suitable school' as the nearest community or foundation school or the nearest faith school.

All distances will be calculated over the shortest walking route with street lighting as measured by Wandsworth Council's Geographical Information System.

For more information on Wandsworth Council home to school travel assistance policy please contact School Admissions Team on (020) 8871 7316.

School trips

Each school has its own policy for charging for school trips and other activities. Families on low incomes may qualify for reductions. More information is available from the school itself.

Free school meals

All pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 of a state funded school are eligible for free school meals.

You may also be able to receive free schools for older children if you are on a low income – please see eligibility criteria below. Your child's school is responsible for authorising free school meals for its pupils. If you have any queries, please contact the school direct. Please see pages 15-24 for school contact details.

Eligibility

You may be able to get free school meals if you get any of the following:

- Universal Credit
- Income Support
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit

Your child will be able to get free school meals if they're in a government-funded school and in reception class, year 1 or year 2.

Children who get paid these benefits directly (instead of through a parent or guardian) can also get free school meals.

Children under the compulsory school age who are in full time education may also be able to get free meals.

(Details correct at time of publication)



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For a very small number of children who need more help to meet their special educational needs than their school can give, the Local Authority (LA) may need to make a statutory (legal) assessment to find out what extra help might be needed.

If it is agreed to go ahead with an assessment, it may lead to an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHC Plan) being written saying how the child's needs should be met, either in a primary school with extra help or in a suitable special school. You can obtain further information about this from the Special Needs Assessment Service (SNAS), Wandsworth Council, Children's Services Department, Town Hall Extension, Wandsworth High Street SW18 2PU on (020) 8871 8061. You can also go to the Wandsworth SEND local offer website www.wandsworth.gov.uk/localoffer

If your child has an Education, Health and Care Plan, there will be a review and this will include helping you to consider the type of school you would like your child to attend. **You should not complete the Wandsworth application form.** Different legal requirements and procedures apply to the transfer of pupils with EHC Plans. If you live in Wandsworth, your EHC Coordinator in SNAS can advise you on what to do. You can also contact them on (020) 8871 8061.

Some children may have special educational needs because of a learning difficulty or a disability. Support can be given by the teachers in your child's school, with assistance from outside professionals where appropriate. All schools must provide for children with special educational needs.

Children with special educational needs

Placements at the Special Schools and Specialist Bases listed below are only for pupils with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP). These placements are made by the Council's Special Needs Assessment Service in consultation with the school and parent(s) or carer(s). Please do not include these schools on your application form.

Special schools in Wandsworth

Greenmead School

147 Beaumont Road, SW19 6RY

Telephone: (020) 8789 1466

Headteacher: Roxanne Hammond

- Physically Disabled and Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulties
- Severe Learning Difficulties and Complex Needs
- Day school
- 2 to 11 years, mixed

Linden Lodge School

61 Princes Way SW19 6JB

Telephone: (020) 8788 0107

Headteachers: Monika Gaweda and Sarah Norris

- Visually Impaired and Multi Disabled Visually Impaired
- Day and residential school
- 2 to 19 years, mixed

Nightingale Community Academy

Beechcroft Road SW17 7DF

Telephone: (020) 8874 9096

Principal: Simon McBride

- Social, Emotional and Mental Health needs
- Day school
- 5 to 19 years, boys only

Paddock School

St Margaret's Crescent SW15 6HL

Telephone: (020) 8789 6533

Headteacher: Sarah Santos

- Moderate to Severe Learning Difficulties with an Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Severe or Complex Learning Difficulties
- Day school
- Mixed
- 3 to 19 years, mixed

Special bases at mainstream schools in Wandsworth

Please note that mainstream admission to these schools does not give automatic access to the resource base provision.

The Alton Resource Base

The Alton Primary School

Danebury Avenue, SW15 4PD

Telephone: (020) 8876 8482

Lead teacher: Harriet Sagers

- ASD with associated Learning Difficulties
- Reception to Year 6, mixed

Granard Resource Base

Granard Primary School

Cortis Rd, London SW15 6XA

Lead teacher: Andy Wheeler

- ASD associated with Learning Difficulties (LD) and/or SEMH needs.

The Hive Resource Base

Ravenstone Primary School

Ravenstone Street, SW12 9SS

Telephone: (020) 8673 0594

Lead teacher: Karis Stanislas

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Mixed

Hilary House Resource Base

Sacred Heart Primary School

Este Road, Battersea, SW11 2TD

Lead teacher: Nicola Byrne

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Reception to Year 6, mixed

Riversdale Resource Base

Riversdale Primary School

302 Merton Road, SW18 5JP

Telephone: (020) 8874 6904

Lead teacher: Steven Sousa

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder and / or Speech, Language and Communication Needs
- Reception to Year 6, mixed

Smallwood Language Unit

Smallwood Primary School

Smallwood Road, SW17 0TW

Telephone: (020) 8682 2065

Headteacher: Fiona Loudon

- Speech, Language and Communication Needs
- Nursery to Year 6, mixed

Southmead Resource Base

Southmead Primary School

Princes Way SW19 6QT

Telephone: (020) 8788 8901

Head of Base: Nicole Atkin

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Reception to Year 6, mixed

Swaffield Resource Base

Swaffield Primary School

Swaffield Rd, London SW18 2SA

Lead teacher: Lucy Widdowson

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder (ASD)/Social, Emotional and Mental Health (SEMH) needs/ anxiety or any combination of these needs

Tooting Resource Base

Tooting Primary School

Franciscan Road, SW17 8HE

Telephone: (020) 3700 0790

Lead teacher: Jackey Wilson

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Reception to Year 6, mixed

The Willow Centre

Sellincourt Primary School

Sellincourt Road, SW17 9SA

Telephone: (020) 8672 6796

Head of Sensory Support

Service: Sabrina Djazoul

- Hearing Impaired
- 3 to 11 years, mixed

Deferred entry to later in the school year

Children are required by law to receive full-time education at the start of the school term following their fifth birthday but have the opportunity to start in the reception year in the September following their fourth birthday. All children will normally be admitted to the reception year at school in the September following their fourth birthday. Your child will get the most from their Reception education if they start at the same time as other children at the beginning of the school year.

If you feel there are exceptional circumstances, you can defer your child's admission until later in the Reception year. You can only defer your child's entry until he/she is of compulsory school age or the beginning of the summer term after Easter (whichever comes first). Where entry is deferred, the school will hold the place for your child until the agreed start date.

You can also request that your child attends part-time until he/she reaches compulsory school age.

If you are considering deferred entry or part-time attendance, we would recommend you discuss this with the school first before making a formal request. If you wish your child to continue at his/her nursery, you should also let the nursery know by **15 January 2027**. Failure to do so may mean that the nursery place is offered to another child for September.

You must still apply at the normal time even if you wish to defer entry. If you decide you do wish to defer entry until later in the school year, you should contact the school in writing after you have been offered a place.

Delayed admission of summer born children to reception to the following year

Children will normally be admitted to the reception year in the September following their fourth birthday, and the vast majority are educated within their normal chronological age group. However, if you feel there are exceptional reasons and your child is summer born (born between 1 April and 31 August), you can request that your child is delayed admission until the following September (2028). This would usually only apply where there are significant reasons that would benefit the child's academic, social and emotional development by starting Reception a year later.

If you are considering delaying your child's entry to Reception to the following September, we would recommend that you discuss this with your preferred schools before making a formal request. The school may wish to discuss how your child's needs could be met within their actual age group and the impact of being educated with children of a different age group.

To make a request following this discussion, you should apply for a school place in your child's actual age group by the closing date of **15 January 2027**, also enclosing a completed Delayed Admission Request form. Delayed Admission Request Forms are available at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions or by contacting the School Admissions Team. We will contact the admission authority/ies of your preferred school(s)* and will then write to you with the decision from each admission authority.

If you then wish to proceed with your request, your current application will be cancelled and you will need to reapply for a reception place in the following year. There is no guarantee there will be a place available at the school, because this will depend upon the number of applications and pattern of admissions in that year. If your preferred school(s) are oversubscribed, your application will be considered in accordance with the

schools' admission criteria. It is not possible to reserve a place for the following year.

If you wish your child to continue at his/her current nursery, you should also let the nursery know by **15 January 2027**. Failure to do so may mean that the nursery place is offered to another child for September.

Schools will not normally admit children to reception prior to the September following their fourth birthday.

* Following the government's announcement in September 2015, the Council has recommended to all state schools in its area that requests are approved without the need for parents to provide supporting evidence. The Council is the admission authority for community schools in Wandsworth. For academies, foundation schools, free schools or voluntary aided schools, the decision as to whether to accept an application for delayed admission rests with the school itself in line with current School Admission Code. Please contact these schools direct for further advice.

Useful contacts

- **Family Information Service**
Telephone: (020) 8871 7899
Email: fis@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk
www.wandsworth.gov.uk/fis
Childcare services in Wandsworth Information Centre for Wandsworth, Day nurseries, playgroups, childminders and holiday playschemes for 3-13 year olds.
- **Childcare and Business Consultancy Services**
Telephone: (020) 7738 1958
info@cbcscservices.org.uk
Pre-school playgroups and holiday play schemes for 3 & 4 year olds.
- **The Children's Legal Centre**
Telephone: 0300 330 5480/85
www.childrenslegalcentre.com
- **Independent Schools Council (ISC)**
www.isc.co.uk
- **NSPCC Child Abuse Helpline**
0800 800 5000 (Free call)
www.nspcc.org.uk

Other information and useful contacts



School attendance

Children will only make the most of the educational opportunities on offer if they attend school regularly and punctually. Missing even a couple of lessons per week will have a serious effect on your child's progress and is likely to lead to even more serious attendance problems as your child gets older.

As a parent or carer you have a legal responsibility to ensure your child attends school regularly and punctually. The Education Welfare Service (EWS) offers advice and assistance to help your child make the most of school through regular attendance and provides a leaflet for parents. They can be contacted by telephoning the EWS office (020 8871 8306) or through your child's school.

Illness

If your child is unwell, he or she should stay at home. A sick child will be unhappy in the classroom.

If the illness is infectious your child may need a certificate from the doctor before returning to school.

You should tell the headteacher if your child is receiving medical treatment. You should give all medication at home if at all possible. However, if it is absolutely necessary for your child to take prescribed medicine during school hours you should discuss this with the headteacher.

Bullying

All schools should have an anti-bullying policy. If you suspect your child is being bullied you should talk to your child's class teacher.

Equal opportunities

The council's policy is that every child should receive the best possible education. It is committed to providing equal opportunities for all children in its schools, and seeks to eliminate discrimination.

School Travel Plans

The council works with all Wandsworth schools to promote sustainable home to school travel, particularly walking and cycling. In connection with the development of School Travel Plans we can:

- Improve the safety of routes to school by introducing measures such as school-warning signs and crossing facilities
- Provide appropriate facilities within schools, such as cycle parking
- Provide schools with information about public transport services, and liaise with providers to ensure services meet schools' needs
- Raise awareness of the sustainable travel options
- Run initiatives to promote walking and cycling
- Provide pedestrian and cycle training
- Encourage car-sharing when there is no realistic alternative to the car.

When pupils travel to and from school using sustainable modes of travel, they help reduce congestion, improve road safety and air quality, learn vital life skills, save money, and improve their health through increased physical activity, especially if they walk or cycle.

For more information see www.wandsworth.gov.uk/schooltravelplans or contact (020) 8871 7984 schooltravelplans@wandsworth.gov.uk

This page lists primary schools in other boroughs which are closest to the Wandsworth borough boundary. All the boroughs produce booklets similar to this one which give details of their schools.

If Wandsworth residents wish to apply for a place in any of these schools they must list them as one of their preferences on the Wandsworth common application form by the closing date for applications. Wandsworth Residents will be sent the outcome of their applications on 16 April 2027.

Hammersmith & Fulham Council

Telephone: (020) 7745 6434
school.admissions@lbhf.gov.uk

All Saints CE Primary School
Bishop's Avenue SW6 6ED
Telephone: (020) 7736 2803

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School
Basutu Road SW6 4BL
Telephone: (020) 7736 1447

The Fulham Bilingual School
60 Clancarty Road SW6 3AA
Telephone: (020) 7736 1447

Langford Primary School
Gilstead Road SW6 2LG
Telephone: (020) 7736 4045

Thomas' Academy
New King's Road SW6 4LY
Telephone: (020) 7736 2318

Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea
Telephone: (020) 7745 6432
school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk

Ashburnham Primary School
Blantyre Street SW10 0DT
Telephone: (020) 7352 5740

Park Walk Primary School
Park Walk SW10 0AY
Telephone: (020) 7352 8700

Christ Church CE Primary School
1 Robinson Street SW3 4AA
Telephone: (020) 7352 5708

Servite Catholic Primary School
252 Fulham Road SW10 9NA
Telephone: (020) 7352 2588

Kingston upon Thames Council
Telephone: (020) 8547 4610
kingston.admissions@achievingforchildren.org.uk

Robin Hood Primary School
Bowness Crescent
Kingston Vale SW15 3QL
Telephone: (020) 8546 7388

Lambeth Council

Telephone: (020) 7926 9503
schooladmissions@lambeth.gov.uk

Allen Edwards Primary School
Studley Road SW4 6RP
Telephone: (020) 7622 3985

Bonneville Primary School
Bonneville Gardens SW4 9LB
Telephone: (020) 8673 1183

Glenbrook Primary School
Clarence Avenue Clapham SW4 8LD
Telephone: (020) 8674 2387

Heathbrook Primary School
St Rule Street SW8 3EH
Telephone: (020) 7622 4101

Henry Cavendish Primary School
Balham site - Hydethorpe Road SW12 0JA
Streatham site - Dingley Lane SW16 1AU
Telephone: (020) 8673 3376

Herbert Morrison Primary School
Hartington Road SW8 2HP
Telephone: (020) 7720 3439

Lark Hall Primary School
Smedley Street SW4 6PH
Telephone: (020) 7622 3820

Macaulay CE Primary School
Victoria Rise SW4 0NU
Telephone: (020) 7622 1355

St Bede's Catholic Infant School
Thornton Road SW12 0LF
Telephone: (020) 8674 7292

St Leonard's CE Primary School
Mitcham Lane SW16 6NP
Telephone: (020) 8769 2712

Telferscot Primary School
Telferscot Road SW12 0HW
Telephone: (020) 8673 7362

Merton Council

Telephone: (020) 8274 4906
admissions@merton.gov.uk

All Saints CE Primary School (two sites)
• East Road SW19 1AR
• 74 Haydens Road, London, SW19 1HL
Telephone: (020) 8540 3004

Bishop Gilpin CE Primary School
Lake Road SW19 7EP
Telephone: (020) 8946 6666

Garfield Primary School
Garfield Road SW19 8SB
Telephone: (020) 8540 1053

Gorrington Park Primary School
Sandy Lane CR4 2YA
Telephone: (020) 8648 1451

Links Primary School
Frinton Road SW17 9EH
Telephone: (020) 8769 4587

Singlegate Primary School
South Gardens SW19 2NT
Telephone: (020) 8395 8737

The Priory CE Primary School
Queens Road SW19 8LX
Telephone: (020) 8540 8059

Wimbledon Park Primary School
Havana Road SW19 8EJ
Telephone: (020) 8946 4925

Richmond upon Thames Council
Telephone: (020) 8891 7514
education.admissions@richmond.gov.uk

Barnes Primary School
Cross Street
Barnes SW13 0QQ
Telephone: (020) 8876 7358

East Sheen Primary School
Upper Richmond Road West
London SW14 8ED
Telephone: (020) 8876 7484

Lowther Primary School
Stillingfleet Road
Barnes SW13 9AE
Telephone: (020) 8748 3984





