Your choice for primary education

A guide for parents with children starting primary school in September 2027



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The Pan-London eAdmissions site opens on Tuesday 1 September 2026.

If your child was born between 1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023, you will need to apply for a primary (reception) school place by Friday 15 January 2027.

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Welcome



Dear Parents and Carers

Choosing a primary school is an important milestone — it marks the beginning of your child's journey into full-time education. I understand how significant this decision is for your family, and how essential it is to have all the information you need to make the right choice.

This brochure provides helpful guidance on what to consider when selecting a school, as well as key information about all the primary schools in Kensington and Chelsea, including their individual admissions criteria.

If you live outside the borough but wish to apply for one or more schools within Kensington and Chelsea, please remember that you must apply through your home local authority.

Primary schools in Kensington and Chelsea are highly regarded and in high demand. For this reason, I encourage you to consider your preferences carefully and review the admissions criteria for each school you are interested in, to help ensure the best chance of securing a place.

Our Admissions Team is here to support you throughout the process. Their contact details can be found on the final page of this brochure, and I would encourage you to reach out with any questions.

I wish your child every success and happiness as they begin their primary education.



Councillor Catherine Faulks
Lead Member for Family and Children's Services
The Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea

About primary school admissions

Introduction to Kensington and Chelsea's primary schools

This brochure is for parents of pupils aged between three and 11, but is primarily a guide for parents whose children are due to start primary school for the first time from September in 2027. It provides information about how and when to apply for a place, explains how admission decisions are made and gives information about each school to help parents decide which schools to apply for.

Kensington and Chelsea has 26 primary schools in total, the majority of which are judged Good or Outstanding by Ofsted. This fact means that most of the schools are extremely popular, with many oversubscribed. It is important that you carry out research when considering your school options, and look at how likely it may or may not be that your child will be offered a place. In the school information section you will find details on how places were offered for the September 2026 intake.

All other schools located in Kensington and Chelsea providing primary or nursery education are either independent (private) schools or run by other organisations that may charge fees. The Council's Family Information Service provides details of all provision in the area and can be contacted by emailing **fis@rbkc.gov.uk** or visiting **www.rbkc.gov.uk/fis**

Further information on independent schools is available from the Independent Schools Council at **www.isc.co.uk** and the Independent Schools Directory and Resource at **www.ukindependentschoolsdirectory.co.uk**

Types of state school

The Admission Authority for each school is responsible for setting its admission arrangements and deciding which children are given priority for a place, in accordance with their published admission criteria.

Community schools are financed and maintained by the local Council. It is the Council that sets the admission arrangements for these schools.

Voluntary aided schools are also funded through the Council, but have been set up by a religious or voluntary body. The school's governing body is responsible for setting their admission arrangements.

Academies and free schools are independent of the Council and funded directly by central government. The governing body for each academy or free school sets their admission arrangements, in agreement with the secretary of state.

Co-ordinated admissions system

All 33 London boroughs, together with councils bordering the capital, co-ordinate admission applications for their primary schools. The Pan London co-ordinated admissions system is fair and means more school offers can be made on National Offer Day, with no child offered more than one school place. All parents apply via the same user friendly **pan-London online system**

How the system works

All parents must select the schools they want to apply for on their home local authority's application form, listing them in their preferred order. This is important, as potentially only one offer will be made and this will be for the highest-listed school able to make the offer.

The decision on whether a place can be offered will be made by the Admission Authority for each school. When a school receives more applications than places available (also referred to as oversubscribed), its published admissions criteria will be used to decide the order in which applicants will be prioritised.

Schools will not know where they are listed on the application form, or other schools that may be listed as a preference.

Where a child is eligible to be offered a place at more than one school, the local authority will hold the offer for the highest preference on the parents' application form and release all other lower preference offers. These places can then be offered to other applicants. This process means that no child is offered more than one school, and any lower school preferences listed on the application form put back into the coordinated process and offered to other applicants.

All offers will be made on National Offer Day: **16 April 2027**.

Key dates

From Tuesday 1 September 2026

You will be able to apply online at: **www.eadmissions.org.uk**

Paper applications will be available from the Admissions Team on request.

The *Your choice for primary education* brochure will be available online from 1 September.

Friday 15 January 2027

Closing date for applications.

If you are applying online, you will have up until 11.59pm on 15 January 2027 to submit your application.

If you are applying via paper form you will need to ensure it is received by the Admissions Team by 5pm on the closing date.

Friday 16 April 2027

National offer day.

All resident applicants that applied online will receive an email notification **during the evening** if they applied online.

An outcome letter will be posted on 16 April to those that applied on a paper form and did not provide an email address.

Friday 30 April 2027

Deadline for successful applicants to accept or decline their school offer.

From Thursday 13 May 2027

Waiting list positions will be available for community schools and further offers will be made as result of withdrawals and late applications for schools with vacancies.

Friday 28 May 2027

To ensure appeals are heard by the end of the summer term, appeals for Kensington and Chelsea community schools must be lodged by this date.

You will need to check with voluntary aided schools and academies as deadline dates may vary.

June/July 2027

Appeals for Kensington and Chelsea community schools are heard by an independent panel.

Voluntary aided schools and academies will also arrange for appeals to be heard before the end of term.

Gathering information

To make an informed decision about which primary schools to apply for, you are advised to read the information about the schools in this brochure and research the schools you are interested in applying to.

Many schools receive more applications than they have places. To avoid disappointment you should consider whether your child has a realistic chance of gaining a place at your preferred school/schools.

You are advised to:

- Contact schools you are interested in directly to ask for a copy of their prospectus, which will provide you with detailed information.
- Visit schools' own websites to find out more detailed information. If you want to find out about Ofsted reports for Kensington and Chelsea schools visit **www.ofsted.gov.uk**
- Find out if the school has arranged open day sessions so you can plan a visit.

You will need to look at:

- How many applications were made for your preferred school/schools last year compared to how many places were available. This information can be found in the individual school section of this brochure on page 22 to 77. It is important to note the pattern of admissions can vary from year to year and living within the distance in which places were offered in a previous year does not guarantee a place will be offered in this year or future years.
- The admission criteria of the school/schools will determine the order of priority for each applicant. As an example, most faith schools will prioritise applicants who meet the respective faith criteria.
- The frequently Asked Questions on pages 20 to 21 as there may be information that you will need to know to inform your choice of schools.



The application process



How to apply

It is highly recommended you apply online at: **www.eadmissions.org.uk**

If you would prefer to complete a paper form, you must request one by contacting the Admissions Team directly.

Proof of address

You do not need to provide us with documentary evidence of your address. Your details will be cross-referenced with internal Council databases, and if we are unable to verify your address we will contact you for more information. If you are not registered to pay council tax, either because you are not liable or have recently moved, you will be asked to provide one or more of the following:

- A mortgage statement/tenancy agreement.
- A recent utility bill or, if you have moved, your closure bill at your previous address.
- Any Government benefit documents.
- For families of service personnel (UK Armed Forces) and Crown Servants, please see the advice on page 12.

The address you provide on your application must be your child's permanent address on close of applications, **15 January 2027**. You must not use a business address, childminder's or relative's address or any address other than your home address. Only in circumstances where the relative or carer has legal guardianship, and is the main carer, will a different address be considered as the main residence. Evidence will be requested to support this arrangement.

If you have a genuine 50/50 share care arrangement with your child's other parent, it will be for you to determine the address that will be used as the main address for your child's application. Only one address will be used throughout the application process. If you are unable to agree on which address to use, the address of the parent making the Child Benefit claim will typically be used for the purpose of the application (if applicable). The Admissions Team is not responsible for mediating between parents, and if two separate applications are submitted we reserve the right to withdraw both applications until an agreement has been reached. In the situation where there are ongoing Family Court proceedings, the Council will consider the approach to be taken for processing on a case by case basis.

If you own or rent more than one property, you should state this on your form. You will also need to provide proof of residence and occupancy for the address at which your child lives most of the time and is considered as the main family home. If you move into a second property for a temporary period purely for the purpose of trying to be nearer to a school, we will use your normal, permanent residence for the purpose of processing the application.

Change of address

You must notify the Admissions Team if you move address. Your new address will not be updated until proof has been provided.

If you move after **11 February 2027**, your address will not be updated as the process for allocating places would have already started. We are able to send you correspondence to your new address, but your application will be processed using the address you submitted at the close of applications.

Any offer made to your child on national offer day is based on the address you indicated in your application. If you do not inform us of a change of address, any offer that is made to your child for a school you would not have been eligible for will be withdrawn.

Fraudulent applications

The Council takes very seriously any attempt to obtain a school place by fraud. All cases are fully investigated and the use of internal and external agencies has improved detection rates. Council officers will carry out unannounced address visits as appropriate.

If you know someone who intends to or has used a false address to get a school place, you can report this confidentially to the Admissions Team on **020 7745 6432** or email: **school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk**

You do not need to give your name but please provide as much information as possible so that we can investigate the matter fully.

If we find a school place was obtained using a false address we will withdraw the offer, even after the child has started school, and re-offer to a child who was entitled to the place. If it is decided not to remove the offer, normally when the child has been on roll for more than one term, any future sibling link may not apply.

Change of preferences

If you wish to change the order of preference of schools listed on your application form, and you applied online, you can log back in to your account to change/add/delete preferences up until the closing date of **15 January 2027s**.

If you did not apply online, you must email **school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk** or write to the Admissions Team before the closing date.

It is not normally possible to accept any changes after the closing date. In most cases, new or changed preference schools will normally be considered only after all other applications have been considered.

Exceptional need

All schools have experience in dealing with children with diverse needs. These may be educational, medical and/or social needs. However, in a very few exceptional cases there may be reasons why a child may need to attend a specific school, and no other school can meet this need.

If you feel there are exceptional reasons for your child to be considered for a priority placement at a particular school, you must indicate this in the area provided in your application, giving reasons supporting your case. Please be aware not all schools have this criterion in their policy, so it is advised you check this first.

All requests for priority consideration must be supported by a professional, such as a doctor or social worker, who must clarify which school you are making a special case for, the reason why it is necessary for your child to attend this school in particular and the difficulties it will cause your child to attend another school.

It is for you to decide how to support your case and what documents to provide, but these must be submitted by the closing date.

The Admissions Team is not responsible for contacting professionals for information about your case and any decision will be based on documents you submit by the closing date.

For own Admission Authority schools, and schools located in other areas, any additional documentation you provide will be passed on for the respective school's attention via the secure Pan-London system.

The notification date is **16 April 2027**. You will not therefore be advised before this date whether your request for priority is agreed. If priority is not granted, your application will be considered against the remaining criteria for the requested school.

It is important to be aware that very few cases are agreed under this category. The Admission Authority must be able to justify awarding priority for a child above other applicants. It will need to be agreed by those making the decision that the professional support provided clearly makes a case that the needs for the child can only be met at the school requested, as opposed to another local school. Cases will not be considered where a school is not named in the professional support.

Additional forms to complete

All Kensington and Chelsea faith schools have additional Supplementary Information Forms (SIF) and/or a Priest Reference Form to complete, which are available directly from the schools.

These forms are necessary for the school governors to determine whether applicants meet their faith requirements or other criteria. If you are applying for a place on religious grounds, you will be required to provide proof of your church attendance and/or religious commitment on the SIF.

The SIF and any other faith evidence documents must be returned to the school. The same will apply for faith schools located in neighbouring local authorities. If you name the school in your application and do not complete a SIF, your child will be considered but it may reduce the chances of your child being offered a place.

Requests to apply for reception in the following year

Requests for an application to be considered for reception entry for the following year should be made by the closing date for when the child would normally be expected to apply **(15 January)**. This enables the application to still be processed alongside all other applicants if the request for later admission is refused by an Admission Authority*.

Such requests would normally apply to children who are born in the summer (between April and August) and there are reasons that would benefit the child's academic, social and emotional development by starting reception in the following year as opposed to Year 1. It should be noted any request to defer entry to Year 1 in the following year will require an in-year application to be made at that time.

You are not required to provide supporting documents from a professional, however if you are able to submit documents it will assist the Admissions Authority to fully assess your request. Professional support could be from a GP, hospital consultant, social worker, or education professional, and they may wish to outline the reason for the child to start school a year later than their standard chronological year group. The headteacher of the school/ schools applied for will be informed of the request and their view taken into account.

It is for the Admission Authority of a school to decide whether or not the individual child's circumstances present the need for entry to reception a year late. In the event that an Admission Authority agrees to consider your application out of year, please be aware this is not an automatic guarantee of a place. Your application would be assessed against the school's published criteria and offers made to children accordingly.

There is no right of appeal against the decision to refuse a request for late entry. Applicants do retain the right of appeal against a decision not to offer a school place that has been refused for the year group applied for. If the Admission Authority approves the request, the parents will be advised to re-apply in the following year. However, there can be no guarantee of a place being available as this is dependent on the number of applicants who apply in that year. It is not possible to reserve a place in a school for the following year.

If a place is not available at any of the schools applied for the local authority will identify an alternative school with a place available in the child's chronological year group.

Applications for children living abroad

Applications submitted by families living abroad will be processed with all other applicants and must be submitted by the closing date. The address where the child is living at the time of application, and at the closing date, will be used for the purpose of processing. The applicant must inform the Admissions Team when they have relocated to the area for the address to be updated.

*The local authority is the Admission Authority for community schools. The governing body is the Admission Authority for all other schools. Any decision is applicable only to the school for which the Admission Authority is responsible.

Members of the UK Armed Forces and Crown Servants

For families of service personnel (UK Armed Forces) and Crown Servants, the Council will ensure that your application to school is not disadvantaged if you are not living in the area at the time you are required to apply. In order for your application to be processed alongside all other applicants, you will need to provide an official letter that declares a relocation date.

Your application will be processed using the address at which your child will live when applying the school's oversubscription criteria, including the use of a Unit or Quartering address if requested. You will need to provide some evidence of the intended address. Further guidance is provided by the Department for Education as follows: **Guidance for Members of the UK Armed Forces and Crown Servants**

Late applications

If you apply after the closing date without a valid reason, your application will only be considered after **national offer day**. Your child's name will be added to waiting lists along with those unsuccessful applications considered in the initial allocation round.

If there is an exceptional reason for applying after the closing date and **by 11 February 2027** (for example, you have just moved to the area), it may be possible to consider your application with those that were made on time. Other circumstances will be considered and each case decided on its own merit.



Completing your application

Apply online and save time

We recommend you apply online at **eadmissions.**

You will have the opportunity to express a preference for **up to six** primary schools, including schools outside the borough. You must list them in order of preference. This means you should write your first preference (i.e. the school you most want your child to go to) at the top of the list, your second preference below, then continue adding any further preferences you would like to make.

Why apply online?

- It is quick and easy to do.
- You can log back on to change or delete preferences up until 11.59pm on the closing date (ensure you resubmit your application if making changes).
- You are able to attach additional documents.
- You will automatically receive a confirmation email once you submit your application.
- During the evening of **16 April 2027** you will receive an email with the outcome of your application.
- You will be able to accept or decline an offer of a school place online.



A step-by-step guide to applying online

To start your online application visit:
www.eadmissions.org.uk

Or use the link from the Council's website:
www.rbkc.gov.uk/school-admissions

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- Click on **'Create a new account'** and enter your details. If you have previously used the online eAdmissions system in the last 3 years you will be able to log in without the need for registration.
- You will be asked to create a password. Pick something secure but memorable. You will need to log in to the account to get the outcome of the application in April.
- You can then specify security questions. This is optional, but will enable you to reset the account yourself if you forget your password.
- Read the Kensington and Chelsea terms and conditions/privacy notice and tick the box.



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- Click **'Start an application'**.
- Make sure you enter your permanent address only. This will be verified against Council records.

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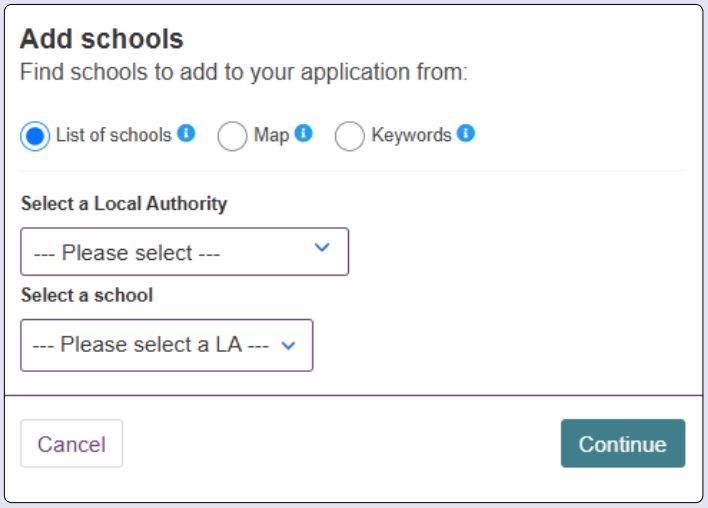
- Enter your child's details. Make sure you enter the information accurately.
- Make sure that you only apply for a child born between 1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023.
- If you enter a date of birth outside of this range you will not be able to progress to the next step.
- If you have twins or triplets you must remember to create a separate application for each child.



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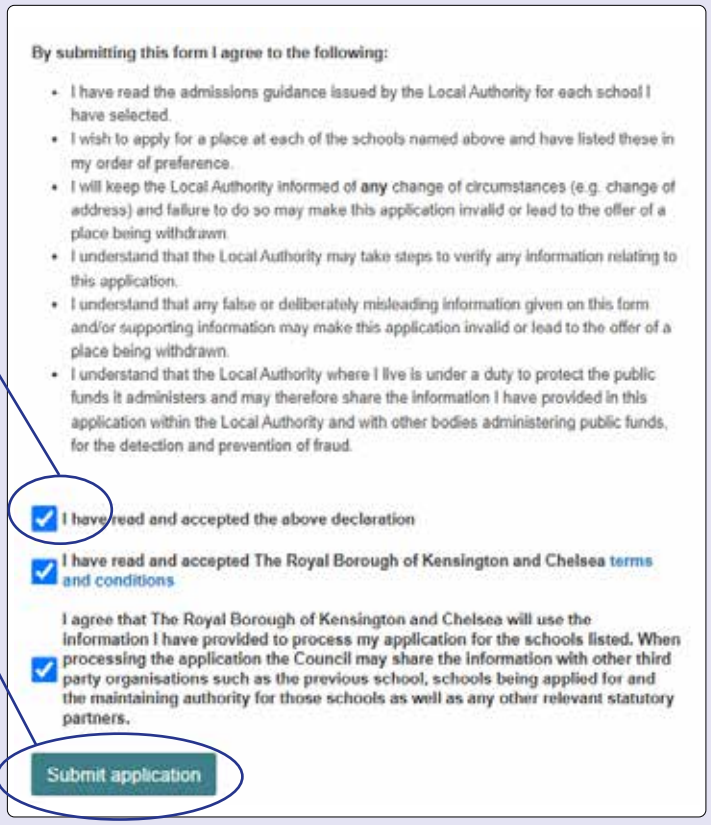
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- Add your school preferences by first selecting the local authority that each school falls within.
- **Make sure that you read the schools' admission criteria.** This will be a guide as to the likelihood of being offered a place at the school you are interested in.
- Select and add the schools you wish to apply for. You can apply for up to six schools.
- For each school selected you will be asked a number of questions (such as whether there is a sibling at the school). Make sure you answer the questions correctly.
- If you tick the social/medical box please ensure you provide additional documents either by attaching them to the application **(after submitting)** or by sending them to the Admissions Team.



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- Check all of the details entered are correct.
- Read the declaration and tick the box to accept it.
- Click the **'Submit Application'** button. **You must click the submit button by the closing date of 15 January 2027. If you do not do this, your application will not be processed.**
- Once you have submitted your application you will be able to attach documents.
- You will receive an email confirmation.
- If you want to make changes to a submitted application, such as adding or removing a school preference, you can do so until 11:59pm on 15 January. **If you make any changes, please remember to re-submit your application.**



Remember:

If you apply online, you must not complete a paper application form.

How decisions are made

The Admissions Team will process any preferences you have made for Kensington and Chelsea schools and pass on your child's details to schools that are responsible for their own admissions as these schools will need to consider applicants against their admission criteria. If you have applied for schools that are not located in the borough, your preference(s) will be passed to the local authority that maintains those schools. At the same time, the Admissions Team will receive applications for Kensington and Chelsea schools from residents in other local authorities.

The order of your preferences is not revealed to the schools. This information is only known by your home local authority and the authority where the schools are located.

If any school has more applicants than places available, the published admission criteria will be used to decide the order in which applicants will be offered places. The same process is carried out across London and decisions are made by all Admission Authorities by a common deadline and relayed back to the home local authority. This co-ordinated process eliminates multiple offers and will result in your child being offered the highest potential school you named in your list of preferences (if an offer can be made). Examples are shown in the tables.

You need to be realistic when deciding your school preferences. This is because you may not receive an offer at any of your preferred schools if your child does not meet the criteria. That may happen if, for example, you live too far away from the school based on outcomes for previous years, or you name an oversubscribed church school but do not attend church and, therefore, would not meet a high enough priority against the school's admission criteria.

A breakdown of last year's admissions to each Kensington and Chelsea school is included in the schools section of this brochure. You will find this information is available for all schools in the respective local authority brochure, which can be accessed online (neighbouring London local authority website addresses and contact details can be found on page 89).

Example 1

Preference rank	School	Potential offer?	Outcome
1st	School A	Yes	Place offered
2nd	School B	Yes	Withdrawn as higher offer met
3rd	School C	No	Withdrawn as higher offer met
4th	School D	Yes	Withdrawn as higher offer met
5th	School E	No	Withdrawn as higher offer met
6th	School F	Yes	Withdrawn as higher offer met

Example 2

Preference rank	School	Potential offer?	Outcome
1st	School A	No	Placed on waiting list
2nd	School B	Yes	Place offered
3rd	School C	No	Withdrawn as higher offer met
4th	School D	Yes	Withdrawn as higher offer met
5th	No preference made	N/A	N/A
6th	No preference made	N/A	N/A

Notifying you of the outcome

If you made your application online, you will be able to log onto the eAdmissions site using your username and password during the **evening of 16 April 2027** to view the outcome of your application and accept or decline any offer made.

Letters will only be sent in the post to residents that completed the paper application form and did not provide an email address.

If you are not offered your first preference school, you will be provided with the following information:

- The name of the school that can offer you a place. If it has not been possible to offer any of the schools you applied for, the nearest alternative school will be offered to you, if there is one available.
- Confirmation that any preferences for schools listed lower than the school offered have been withdrawn.
- How to accept the place you have been offered. You should not reject the place unless you have a place secured elsewhere and should indicate the name of the alternative school.
- If you have not been offered one of your school preferences who to contact for further information*.
- Waiting list and appeal information and who to contact for further details.
- The details of schools which have vacancies, if you did not receive an offer for any of your preferences and you do not want to accept the alternative school offered to you.



*The notification letter does not go into the detail of why a place could not be offered, and can only inform you that your child did not receive a high enough priority in the oversubscription criteria. You will be able to obtain more detailed information from the local authority where the school is located or the school itself if it is its own Admission Authority. Please contact the Admissions Team in the first instance. They will be able to advise you.

Waiting lists

Your child's name will automatically be added to the waiting list for any schools that could not be offered. Any schools you named as a lower preference than the school offered to your child would have been withdrawn under the co-ordinated arrangements. You will need to re-apply to these schools if you want your child to be included on a waiting list.

If you have not been offered a place for a voluntary aided school, free school, academy or a school in another borough and require waiting list information, you will need to contact the school or the borough that maintains the school.

All places on the waiting list are ordered in accordance with the published admission criteria for each school and will be offered to children as vacancies arise with no differentiation between on-time or late applications. Waiting list positions for community schools will not be available until **12 May 2027**.

A child's position on the waiting list can go down as well as up. For example, if a new application is submitted for a community school and they live closer to the school, the waiting list will need to be revised. The offer of a place does not depend on the length of time your child's name has been on the waiting list and there can never be any guarantee a place will be offered.

Waiting lists for Kensington and Chelsea community schools are maintained by the Admissions Team. You will be contacted at some point during the academic year to indicate continued interest. If you do not respond, your child's name will be removed from the list unless you inform us otherwise. This exercise is carried out to ensure waiting lists only ever include children who would take up an offer for a school if it became available.

Appeal arrangements

You have the right of appeal to an independent panel against the decision to refuse your child a place at any school which you named on the Kensington and Chelsea application form.

With the exception of very limited circumstances, the law does not allow infant classes to exceed 30 (Reception, Year 1 and 2). This means that an appeal panel can only uphold an appeal where it is satisfied:

- The decision to refuse your child was unreasonable in legal terms;
- An error occurred in carrying out the school's admission arrangements that prevented your child being offered a place; or
- The admissions arrangements for the school were unlawful and, had they been lawful, your child would have been offered a place.

Appeals for community schools should be lodged by **29 May 2027**. For further information on how to appeal against the decision not to offer a place for your child, please visit the Council website **www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/schools-admission-appeals**

If you would like to seek independent advice you may wish to contact the Child Law Advice Service which provides free legal information, advice and representation to children, their families and carers. Please see their website **www.childlawadvice.org.uk/school-admissions** for further details or call **0300 330 5485**, Monday to Friday for advice.

Making final arrangements for starting school

The law requires your child must receive full-time education from the start of the term following their fifth birthday. All offers will be made for children to start school at the beginning of the autumn term. Parents will also have the option to start their child on a part-time basis or defer their child's entry.

If you decide you prefer to defer your child's entry to the school offered, that place will be held for your child and will not be offered to another child. You would not, however, be able to defer entry beyond the beginning of the term after your child's fifth birthday, nor beyond the academic year for which the application was accepted. For example, if your child was born in August 2023, you will not be able to defer entry to September 2028, as this will be the start of the next academic year.

If you decide you would prefer your child to start school on a part-time basis, the school will inform you of the part-time hours available your child will be expected to attend. Each school will have different arrangements in place and will be dependent on their staffing, resources and how their infant classes are organised. You will not be able to choose your own part-time hours.

Vaccinations

It is important that all children are up to date with their vaccinations prior to starting school. If you have missed vaccinations or are not sure, you can ask at your GP practice and make an appointment. It is never too late for a child to catch up on their vaccinations.

Vaccinating your child will protect them against serious infectious diseases and will help to protect the other pupils and teachers at school as well as the wider community. This means pupils and teachers will have fewer days off due to sickness and they will not be missing out on their education.

We strongly recommend that all children receive the flu vaccination nasal spray every Autumn. This is usually offered through the school.



Frequently asked questions

What does the law require?

Of parents:
It is the duty of the parent of every child aged five to 16 to ensure the child receives efficient, full-time education, suitable to his or her age, ability or aptitude (and to any special need), either by regular attendance at school or otherwise.

Of local authorities:
It is the duty of every local authority to ensure sufficient primary and secondary schools of appropriate character and with necessary equipment are available to provide all pupils in the area with education suitable to their different ages, abilities and aptitudes.

Am I guaranteed a place in the school of my choice?

You might not be offered one of your preferences but to increase your chances of being offered a place at one of your preferred schools, you must research the admission criteria for the schools you are interested in. You should apply for at least one school in your list where you are reasonably certain your child meets the criteria.

The law states 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 offer places to. The law allows parents to appeal to an independent panel if their child is refused a place at a school of their preference. Please refer to the section on appeals on page 18 for further information.

The distance you have calculated from my home to the school is further away than the distance I have calculated on a measuring system I used on the internet. What do I do?

The Council's geographical measuring system is used for calculating distances from home to school. Distances measured by other means (for example private car, pedometer or on the internet) are likely to be calculated on a different basis and should not be relied upon as evidence the Council's distance calculation is incorrect. The Council's measurement system is designed to be precise, reliable and consistent, and is used for all applications.

Will a school know where I listed it in my application?

No they will not have this information. All applications are treated equally against each school's published admission criteria. Schools are not provided with the preference order as it has no relevance to the decision-making process.

Do I have priority for a school place in the borough I live in?

No it is against the law for local councils to give priority to their own residents.

If I decide I prefer a school I listed lower than the school I was offered, can I be considered for a place?

Any preferences that are listed lower than the school offered are automatically withdrawn, so any lower preferences will no longer exist. Any requests after offers have been made for lower preferences will be treated as a new late application.

The school I have applied for has random allocation to decide who is offered places. How does this work?

Some schools use random allocation instead of distance in order to determine a rank number order when there are more applications than places available. This may also be referred to as a lottery or ballot. Schools can decide how they apply this method but it must be supervised by someone independent of the school. This can be an individual or an external organisation.

When places become available, random allocation must be used each time to determine the next offer. This will mean that there is no ordered waiting list for schools that use random allocation.

How do schools deal with applications for children from multiple births (for example twins, triplets)

Each school should set out in its admission arrangements how it considers applicants from multiple births. In most cases, places will be offered to all children even if the school has to exceed their published admissions number, as this is an exception to infant class size regulations. You are, however, advised to check the full policy for the school/schools you are applying for if this is a concern for you as different rules may apply.

My child attends a nursery linked to a school, will they automatically get a place in the reception class?

No, attendance at a nursery class does not guarantee or give priority for admission to the reception class of that school. It is also important to be aware if you have a younger child attending the nursery section of the school you are applying to, the sibling connection does not apply. Only children who will be on the roll of the main school when the new child starts school will be considered as a sibling link.

Can I name only one school on the application form?

Naming only the school you most want for your child will not increase their chance of being offered a place at that school. Because of the demand for places at the most popular schools, your child may not be offered a place at your first preference. If you give only one preference, your child may not get an offer at all. It is therefore advised you name further preferences and ones you consider to be realistic options.

Can I apply for schools outside of Kensington and Chelsea?

Yes, you may also wish to consider schools outside the borough. Under the coordinated admission system, Kensington and Chelsea residents can apply for schools anywhere in England and these will need to be listed on your application. Detailed information about schools outside the borough is available directly from the schools and the local authority in which they are located. The contact information for neighbouring London boroughs is provided on page 89.

How do I apply if my child has an Education, Health, and Care (EHC) plan?

You do not need to complete the standard admissions application if your child has an EHC plan as there is a separate process that is outlined on page 80 in this brochure. If your child is in the process of being assessed for an EHC plan, however, it is useful to make us aware of this. Doing so will ensure the school that is eventually offered to your child is fully aware before admission and can plan accordingly to be able to meet your child's needs.

Does the Council make the decision on whether my child can be offered the school I want?

The Council's Admissions Team is the administrator and coordination of applications but do not make the decision on individual applications. Decisions are made based on the admissions criteria for each school . It is therefore important you look at the school(s) you are interested in applying to and how places are considered. Each school will show how places were offered last year. Whilst trends can vary from year to year, this is a useful indicator and will help to inform your choice of schools.

Do I live in the catchment area of the schools I have named?

Other than Fox Primary school which has a priority area, there are no other primary schools in Kensington and Chelsea that have 'catchment' areas. The area where children live who have previously been offered a place at a particular school can vary from year to year depending on the applications received. This is why in one year a child may be admitted to a school, but the next year a child living on the same road may be too far away to be offered a place.

School information



Ark Brunel Academy

Middle Row
London W10 5AT

020 7565 5875
info@arkbrunelprimary.org
www.arkbrunelprimary.org

Type of school
Academy

DfE number
207 2000

Principal
Sean Scott

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Westbourne Park (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines); Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 452, 70, 295



Ark Brunel Academy

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than the number of places available, the governing body will issue places according to the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**, 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, including those who appear (to Ark Schools) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. **Children of staff** where there is a demonstrable skills shortage. Priority will be limited to one place for each form of entry in any year.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Note: Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff** where there is **no** demonstrable skills shortage. Priority will be limited to one place for each form of entry in any year.
5. **Distance from home to school**. Children living nearest to the school calculated as a straight line. Nearness to the school will be calculated using a straight line (as the crow flies) measurement from the child's home "address point" determined by Ordnance Survey data to the centre of the school grounds, as determined by the Council using its computerised measuring system.

Tie-break

When it is not possible to distinguish between applicants using the published admission criteria, including those who live in blocks of flats with the same building entrance, places will be offered via a random draw, which will be supervised by someone independent of the academy.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
51

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Ashburnham Primary School

17 Blantyre Street
London SW10 0DT

020 7352 5740
reception@ashprimary.co.uk
www.ashburnhamcommunityschool.org.uk

Type of school
Community
Federated with Fox Federation*

*Federation of Fox Primary School, Ashburnham Community School, Avondale Park Primary School, Park Walk Primary School, Avonmore Primary School (London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham), and St Anne's Nursery.

DfE number
207 2021

Executive Headteacher
Paul Cotter

Head of School
Jonathan East

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes – free 30 hour places and lunches from September 2023

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Fulham Broadway (District Line); Imperial Wharf (Overground); Earl's Court (District and Piccadilly Lines); Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
328, 11, 22, 19, 49, 319, 345, 170



Ashburnham Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
31

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Avondale Park Primary School

Sirdar Road
London W11 4EE

020 7727 7727
info@apsafederation.com
www.apsafederation.com

Type of school
Community.
Federated with Fox Federation*

*Federation of Fox Primary School, Ashburnham Community School, Avondale Park Primary School, Park Walk Primary School, Avonmore Primary School (London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham), and St Anne's Nursery.

DfE number
207 2538

Executive Headteacher
Paul Cotter

Headteacher
Ben McMullen

Admission number
60

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes – free 30 hour places and lunches

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Latimer Road (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines); Holland Park (Central Line)

Bus routes
295





Avondale Park Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to Avondale Park School is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
64

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Barlby Primary School

Treverton Street
London W10 6DW

020 8969 3988
info@barlby.rbkc.sch.uk
www.barlby.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2030

Headteacher
Anthony Mannix

Admission number
50

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 70, 228, 452, 295



Barlby Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
94

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Bevington Primary School

Bevington Road
London W10 5TW

020 8969 0629
lisa.joynson@bevington.rbkc.sch.uk
www.bevington.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2050

Executive Headteacher
Mr Jagdeep Birdi

Head of School
Mr Tyson Evans

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
No

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 70, 228, 452, 295





Bevington Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
77

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Bousfield Primary School

South Bolton Gardens
London SW5 0DJ

020 7373 6544
info@bousfield.rbkc.sch.uk
www.bousfieldprimaryschool.co.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2060

Headteacher
Jane Griffiths

Admission number
60

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes – on-site provision

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Earl's Court (District and Piccadilly Lines); Gloucester Road (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines)

Bus routes
C1, 430, 328





Bousfield Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to Bousfield School is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
188

How places were offered
Siblings: 20
Distance: 38
(up to a distance of 0.391 of a mile straight-line)

Appeals
One appeal heard.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Christ Church C of E Primary School

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London SW3 4AA

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www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided
Federation of Christ Church and Holy Trinity C of E Schools

DfE number
207 3321

Federation Headteacher
Avis Hawkins

Head of School
Lesley Palmer

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
No

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
170, 452, 11, 211, 19, 219, 49





Christ Church C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the governing body will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. Looked After Children, and Previously Looked After Children, includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Siblings
3. Children of staff
4. Foundation places – 70% of the remaining places. Children whose families:
    a. Regularly attend St Luke's or Christ Church in the Parish of Chelsea.
    b. Are regular worshippers in a neighbouring parish or in a church of another Christian denomination, who provide a letter of verification from their priest or minister, and who live in the parish.
    c. Are regular worshippers in a church of another Christian denomination, who provide a letter of verification from their priest or minister.
5. Open places – 30% of the remaining places.
    a. Children of other (non-Christian) faiths whose parents desire them to attend the school because of its religious tradition.
    b. Children who live in closest proximity to the school, by the shortest walking route.

Tie-break

For all categories, proximity to school by the shortest walking route from home.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted

143

How places were offered

Siblings: 17

Staff: 1

Foundation: 8 pupils up to Category 4a (up to a distance of 1.407 miles shortest walking route)

Open: 4 pupils (up to a distance of 0.201 of a mile shortest walking route)

Appeals

No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Colville Primary School

Lonsdale Road
London W11 2DF

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info@colville.rbkc.sch.uk
www.colville.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2121

Executive Headteacher
Mr Jagdeep Birdi

Head of School
Mrs Laurie Grandy

Admission number
60

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines); Notting Hill Gate (Circle, Central and District Lines)

Bus routes
7, 23, 52, 452



Colville Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
209

How places were offered
EHC Plan: 1
Siblings: 25
Distance: 34
(up to a distance of 0.477 of a mile straight-line)

Appeals
One appeal.

Fox Primary School

Edge Street
London W8 7PP

020 7727 7637
info@foxprimary.co.uk
www.foxprimary.co.uk

Type of school
Community.
Federated with Fox Federation*

*Federation of Fox Primary School, Ashburnham Community School, Avondale Park Primary School, Park Walk Primary School, Avonmore Primary School (London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham), and St Anne's Nursery.

DfE number
207 2229

Executive Headteacher
Paul Cotter

Head of School
Emma Madden

Admission number
60

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
No. Contact our Fox Federation nurseries

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
No

Nearest Tube stations
Notting Hill Gate (Circle, Central and District Lines)

Bus routes
27, 28, 31, 52, 70, 94, 148, 328, 452



Fox Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. Random allocation **within** the designated priority area. All applicants living within the priority area will be randomly allocated a rank number using an Independent Observer RANDOM.ORG. Every applicant within the designated priority area to be considered has an equal opportunity of being selected using the random draw, the Admissions Team ('the Council') has no influence over the ranking results carried out by RANDOM.ORG.
6. If places remain, offers will be made to other applicants living **outside** the priority area with priority ordered by proximity to the school. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
290

How places were offered
EHC plan: 2
Looked after children: 2
Children of staff: 1
Random allocation within priority area: 32

Appeals
Four appeal heard. None upheld.

Fox Primary School priority area

The priority area for admissions is as follows:

Kensington High Street; up Holland Walk; over Holland Park Avenue; up Ladbroke Grove; right into Kensington Park Gardens; over Kensington Park Road; into Chepstow Villas; right down Chepstow Place; right into Ossington Street; over Notting Hill Gate; down Kensington Palace Gardens; right into Kensington High Street. Properties on both sides of the road are included in the priority area as long as the entrance to the property is located on the named road and directly opposite the boundary line.

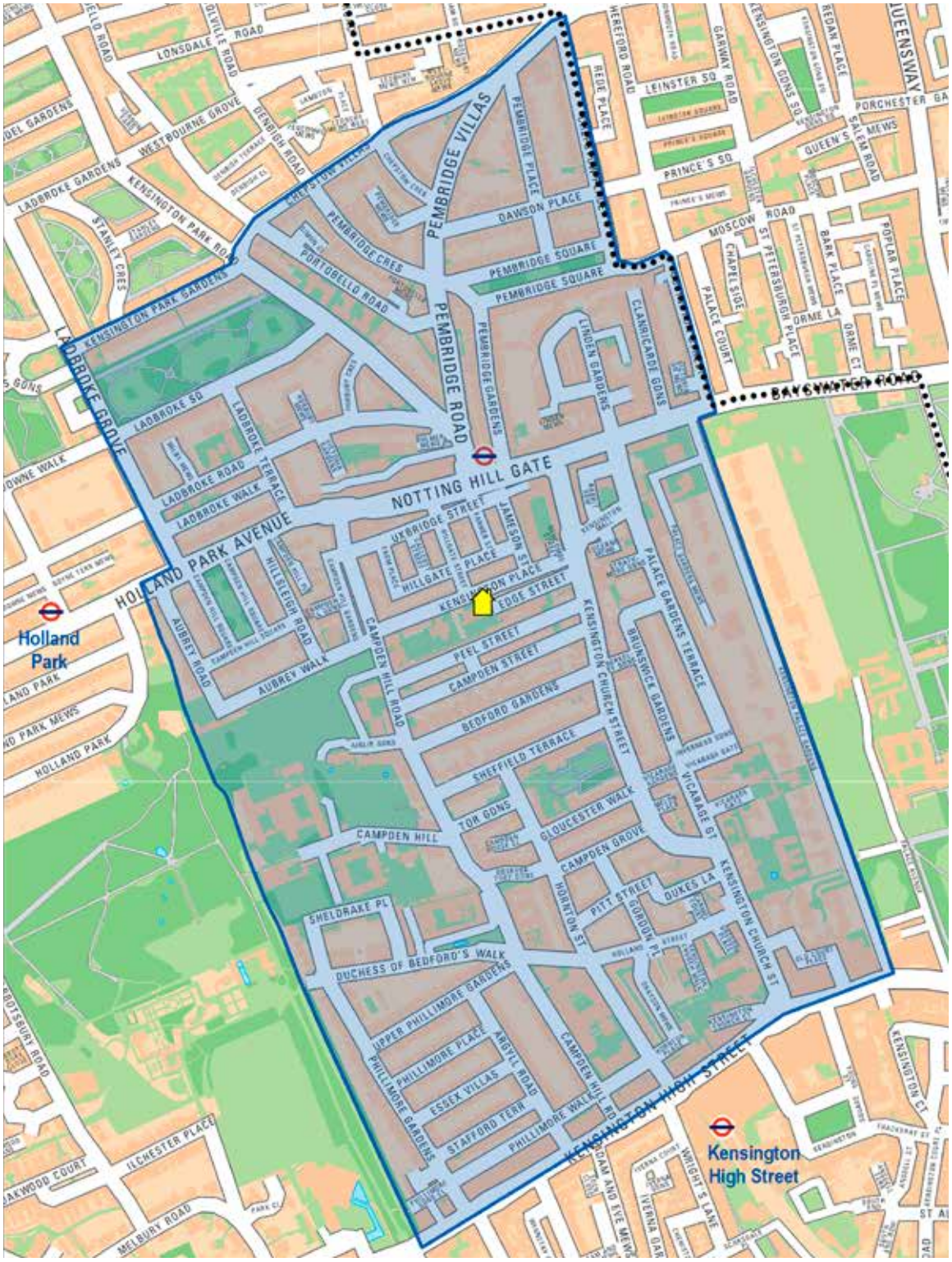
This is visualised on the map on page 41.

Additional address proof required for Fox Primary School
If you are making an application for Fox Primary School, which has a designated priority area, you must provide a copy of your tenancy agreement or a Land Registry document if you live within the priority area.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Fox Primary School

Priority area map



Key to map:

Fox Primary School

Priority area

Borough boundary

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Holy Trinity C of E Primary School

Sedding Street
London SW1X 9DE
(Years 3, 4 & 5)

Cadogan Gardens
London SW3 2RN
(Reception, Years 1, 2 & 6)

020 7881 9860
htinfo@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk
www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided
Federation of Christ Church and Holy Trinity C of E Schools

DfE number
207 3356

Federation Headteacher
Avis Hawkins

Head of School
Lesley Palmer

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
No

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
19, 22, 11, 211, 360, 452





Holy Trinity C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than the number of places available, the governing body will issue places according to the following order of priority:

1. Children in Public Care, also known as Looked After Children, and Previously Looked After Children, this includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Siblings - sibling to be on the school roll at the time of entry
3. Children of staff where the staff member has been employed on a permanent basis for at least two years at the time of application.
   The remaining places will be divided as follows:
4. Foundation Places – 70%
   a. Foundation Places will be offered to children from families who have regular attendance* at Holy Trinity Church, Sloane Street
   a. Foundation Places will be offered to children from families who have regular attendance* at another Anglican church
   a. Foundation Places will be offered to children from families who have regular attendance* at another Christian church (as defined by the Churches Together in England or the Evangelical Alliance UK)
5. Open Places – 30% Open Places will be offered by the Governors according to the following criteria:
   a. Nearness of the candidate's home to the school.

Tie-break

The child living closest to the measuring point will receive the highest priority. For children applying to the reception class the distance will be measured to the a central midpoint between the Cadogan Gardens and Sedding Street sites. Mid-Point references: Easting: 527981 / Northing: 178766. Where two or more children have the same distance, a decision will be made by random allocation.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted

109

How places were offered

Siblings: 9

Foundation: 15 pupils up to Category 4iii - regular attendance at another Christian Church (distance 1.326 miles straight-line)

Open: 6 pupils (up to a distance of 0.620 miles straight-line)

Appeals

No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Kensington Primary Academy

205 Warwick Road
London W14 8PU

020 3146 7870
kpa@wlfs-primary.org
www.wlfs-kpa.org

Type of school
Free school

DfE number
207 2001

Headteacher
Helen Barnes

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes (the full policy and admission arrangements can be found in the school prospectus or website)

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Kensington High Street (Circle and District Lines), West Kensington (District Line), Olympia (District Line, Overground)

Bus routes
10, 27, 9, 28, 391, C1, 49, 328, C3, 74



Kensington Primary Academy

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than the number of places available, the governing body will issue places according to the following order of priority:

1. Looked After Children
2. Siblings
3. Children of the Kensington Primary Academy staff who have been employed for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made or who have been recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
4. Children enrolled at the nursery school who are eligible for the early years pupil premium, the pupil premium or service premium.
5. Up to six children who are eligible for the pupil premium provided fewer than six such children have been admitted under the over-subscription criteria 1 to 4. If more than six children who apply are eligible for pupil premium, priority will be given to those children who live nearest to the school, measured by straight-line distance from the child's permanent address to the main school gate on Kensington High Street, and unsuccessful applicants will be placed on the reserve list. If fewer than six eligible children apply, the remaining places will be filled under criterion six.
6. After places have been filled under the first five criteria, the remaining places will be offered to those children who live nearest to the school, measured by straight-line distance from the child's permanent address to the main school gate on Kensington High Street.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
104

How places were offered
Siblings: 4
Pupil premium: 1
Distance: 25 All were offered (up to 2.029 of a mile straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Marlborough Primary School

Draycott Avenue
London SW3 3AP

020 7589 8553
info@marlborough.rbkc.sch.uk
www.marlborough.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2399

Executive Headteacher
Jagdeep Birdi

Head of School
Sally Keck

Admission number
60

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
South Kensington (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines); Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
11, 19, 22, 211, 319, 360, C1, 70, 14, 414, 49



Marlborough Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
195

How places were offered
Siblings: 13
Children of staff: 1
Distance: 46
(up to a distance of 1.379 miles straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Oratory Catholic Primary School

Bury Walk, Cale Street
London SW3 6QH

020 7589 5900
info@oratory.rbkc.sch.uk
www.oratory.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3379

Headteacher
Alice Steinart

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
No

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
South Kensington (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines); Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
49, 211



Oratory Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Whenever there are more applications than places available, priority will be given to baptised practicing Catholic applicants who have completed the Certificate of Catholic Practice as follows:

1. Catholic Looked After Children, and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children of Catholic members of staff employed at the school for two years or more.
3. Baptised Catholic children from Catholic families who:
    a. At the time of enrolment will have a baptised Catholic sibling at the Oratory Primary School.
    b. Baptised Catholic children from Catholic families who are resident within the Oratory parish.
    c. Baptised Catholic children from Catholic families who are resident within the Holy Redeemer parish.
    d. Baptised Catholic children from Catholic families who are resident within another Catholic parish.
4. Other Catholic Children.
5. Other Looked After Children (as described in Category 1).
6. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian church.
7. Children of members of staff employed at the school for two years or more.
8. Children of other Christian denominations.
9. Children of other faiths.
10. Any other children.

The governing body will give top priority to an application within a category where compelling evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral needs of the child which can only be met at this school.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
158

How places were offered
EHC Plan: 1
Category 2 (Staff): 1
Category 3a (Siblings): 19
10 offers made up to category 3d.
(up to a distance of 0.955 of a mile straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Our Lady of Victories Catholic Primary School

Clareville Street
London SW7 5AQ

020 7373 4491
info@olov.rbkc.sch.uk
www.olov.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Academy

DfE number
207 5200

Executive Headteacher
Karen Wyatt

Headteacher
Marily Troyano

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
No

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
South Kensington (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines); Gloucester Road (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines)

Bus routes
C1, 49, 70, 430



Our Lady of Victories Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than the number of places available, the governing body will issue places according to the following order of priority:

A1. Catholic Looked After Children, and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.

A2. Practising Catholic children of qualified teachers at the time of admission as described in our definitions.

A3. Practising Catholic children resident within the boundaries of the parishes at the time of application.

A4. Practising Catholic children resident outside the boundaries of the parishes at the time of application.

A5. Baptised Catholic children resident within the boundaries of the parishes at the time of application.

A6. Baptised Catholic children resident outside the boundaries of the parishes at the time of application.

A7. Other Looked After Children (as described in Category A1).

A8. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian church.

A9. Children from other Christian denominations whose application is supported by a letter of recommendation from their minister of religion.

A10. Children of other faiths whose parents wish them to have a Catholic education and whose application is supported by a minister of religion.

A11. Other applicants.

Where the offer of places to all the applicants in any of the categories listed above would lead to oversubscription the following provisions will be applied:

1. Exceptional social, medical or pastoral need of the child, which can only be met at this school.
2. Siblings - all natural brothers or sisters, half brothers or sisters, adopted brothers or sisters, stepbrothers or sisters, foster brothers or sisters, whether or not they are living at the same address; and the child of a parent's partner where that child lives for at least part of the week in the same family unit at the same home address as the child who is the subject of the application.
3. Random allocation.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
70

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Oxford Gardens Primary School

Oxford Gardens
London W10 6NF

020 8969 1997
info@oxfordgardens.rbkc.sch.uk
www.oxfordgardens.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2452

Interim Headteacher
Lauren Potter

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Latimer Road (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
7, 295, 52, 452, 23, 228



Oxford Gardens Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
60

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
*www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Park Walk Primary School

Park Walk
London SW10 0AY

020 7352 8700
info@parkwalk.rbkc.sch.uk
www.parkwalk.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Community
Federated with Fox Federation*

*Federation of Fox Primary School, Ashburnham Community School, Avondale Park Primary School, Park Walk Primary School, Avonmore Primary School (London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham), and St Anne's & Avondale Park Nursery.

DfE number
207 2456

Executive Headteacher
Paul Cotter

Head of School
Kate Webster

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Earl's Court, South Kensington (District, Circle and Piccadilly Lines); Sloane Square (District and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
19, 49, 319, 328, 345, 11, 22



Park Walk Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
91

How places were offered
EHC Plan: 1
Siblings: 7
Distance: 22
(up to a distance of 1.025 miles straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnote
* www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Servite Catholic Primary School

252 Fulham Road
London SW10 9NA

020 7352 2588
office@serviteprimaryschool.co.uk
www.serviteprimaryschool.co.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3613

Executive Headteacher
Kathleen Williams

Head of School
Amie Kelleher

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Earl's Court (District and Piccadilly Lines); Fulham Broadway (District Line); South Kensington (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines)

Bus routes
211, 414, 14, C1, C3, 328



Servite Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

If the number of applications exceeds the number of places available, places will be offered in the following order of priority:

1. Baptised Catholic Looked After Children, and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic Children from practising Catholic families who have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised practising Catholics who worship at the parish of Our Lady of Dolours, Fulham Road.
4. Other Baptised practising Catholic children.
5. Other Baptised Catholic children.
6. Other Looked After and Previously Looked After Children (as described in category 1.)
7. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
8. Christians of other denominations whose parents wish them to have a Catholic Education and whose application is supported by a minister of religion.
9. Any other applicants.

Where the offer of places to all the applicants in any of the categories above would lead to oversubscription, the following provisions will be applied:

- Within each category priority will be given to children of staff, where the staff member has been employed at the school for at least two years at the time of application.
- Distance from home to school.

Exceptional need

The governing body will give top priority to an application within a category where compelling evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral needs of the child which can only be met at this school.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted

69

How places were offered

Siblings: 5

Up to and including Category 7 (Distance 0.410 of a mile)

Appeals

No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Barnabas and St Philip's C of E Primary School

Pembroke Mews
58 Earls Court Road
London W8 6EJ

020 7937 9599
admin@sbsp.rbkc.sch.uk
www.sbsp.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3417

Acting Headteacher
Richard Downs
(covering maternity leave)

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Earl's Court (District and Piccadilly Lines); High Street Kensington (Circle and District lines)

Bus routes
9, 10, 27, 28, 49, 328, C1





St Barnabas and St Philip's C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Should there be more applications than places, they will be considered under the following criteria, in order:

1. Looked After Children and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Children who have a brother or sister, in the school at time of the application deadline.
3. Children whose parent is a member of school staff.

After the first 3 categories have been allocated, 50% of places will be allocated to each of the following categories {4 and 5). Note: where there is a need to round numbers, priority will apply to Foundation places.

4. Foundation Places (Regular Church Members)

   4.1 First, to children who regularly attend either St Barnabas Church, Addison Road, W14 or St Philip's Church, Earls Court Road, W8; and who have at least one parent or guardian who is a regular member of the same church.

   4.2 Second, to children who regularly attend a church affiliated with Churches Together in Britain and Ireland and/or the Evangelical Alliance; and who have at least one parent or guardian who regularly attends the same church.

For the purposes of admissions, 'regular attendance' is defined as attendance at a service of public worship (or Sunday School) at any time during the week, at least twice a month. The regular attendance should have been for at least one year prior to the date of application.

Applicants who have only recently started attending the church in question will be considered if they have regularly attended for a minimum of four months and provide a letter from their previous church indicating compliance with these criteria.

5. Community Places: Other children, with priority given to those living closest to the school.

Tie Breaker Criteria: Foundation places will be allocated first and if this category is over-subscribed, the remaining unallocated children would be considered under the Community Place criterion (5). Foundation places will be prioritised from 4.1 to 4.2

In the normal course, applicants under each of the criteria will be prioritised according to proximity of their dwelling place to the front door of the school using the electronic routing method used by the Royal Borough. If applicants share the same address point (for example, those who live in the same block of flats or shared house) priority will determined by random allocation. If two or more applicants live at exactly the same distance from the school, the offer of a place will be decided by random allocation, this will be independently verified.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
87

How places were offered
Criterion 2 (siblings): 7
Criterion 4 (Foundation): 3
(all Foundation applicants offered)
Criterion 5 (Community): 16
(up to a distance of 0.933 miles straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Charles Catholic Primary School

St Charles Square
London W10 6EB

020 8969 5566
info@st-charles.rbkc.sch.uk
www.st-charles.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 5201

Executive Headteacher
Geraldine Hampton

Head of School
Paula Byrne

Admission number
45

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school clubs
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 70, 228, 452, 295, 316



St Charles Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications for places than the number of places available, places will be offered according to the following order of priority:

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children, includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children who are resident in the parishes of St Pius X, North Kensington; St Aidan's, East Acton; and Church of the Transfiguration, Kensal Rise.
3. Other baptised Catholic children.
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children (as described in category 1).
5. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion.
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader.
8. Any other children

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provisions will be applied in the following order.

i. Where evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral need of the child which can most appropriately be met at this school, the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made.

ii. The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category So that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) above

iii. To children of members of staff who have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application and will continue to be employed at the school at the point of admission or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.

Tie-break

Distance from home to school.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted

39

How places were offered

All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals

No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Clement and St James C of E Primary School

Penzance Place
London W11 4PG

020 7603 9225
info-scsj@stfed.rbkc.sch.uk
www.stfed.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided LifeFull Schools Federation of St Clement and St James and St Thomas' C of E Schools

DfE number
207 3455

Executive Headteacher
Sarah Bouette

Head of School
Ellie Dowthwaite

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Holland Park (Central Line); Shepherd's Bush (Central Line)

Bus routes
228, 295, 316



St Clement and St James C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than there are places available, the governors will admit pupils according to the following criteria which are listed in order of priority:

1. Looked After Children and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Remaining places are split between 50% foundation places and 50% open places.

Foundation places

a. First, children of families who worship regularly[1] in Anglican churches within the five parishes[2].

b. Second, children of families who live in the five parishes[2], and who worship regularly[1] in other Anglican churches.

c. Third, children of families who live in the five parishes[2], and who worship regularly[1] in other Christian churches, those which are members of or affiliated to Churches Together in Britain and Ireland (CTBI), or the Evangelical Alliance.

[1] 'Regularly' means attended church twice a month for the last two years. A supporting reference from the priest/minister will be needed. If you have moved within the last two years, please also obtain a reference from your previous priest/minister to make up a full period.

[2] The 'Five Parishes' are:

- St Clement Notting Dale & St James' Norland
- St Helen's
- All Saints
- St John's
- St Peter's.

'Churches of the Five Parishes' include St Francis Anglican Mission Church.

Open places

a. First, children who have a sibling at the school at the time of application.

b. Second, children of teachers who will be employed by the school in the year of admission.

c. Third, children who live in the five parishes.

d. Fourth, all other children.

Tie-break

Distance from home to school.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
26

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were submitted.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School

Treadgold Street
London W11 4BJ

020 7727 8523
office@franassisi.co.uk
www.franassisi.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3437

Executive Headteacher
Kathleen Williams

Head of School
Ailbhe Farrell

Admission number
45

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Latimer Road (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
295, 316



St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications for places than the number of places available, places will be offered according to the following order of priority:

1. Catholic Looked After Children and Previously Looked After Children, includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children from practising Catholic families who have a sibling at the school at the time of admission.
3. Baptised Catholic children from practising Catholic families who are resident in the parish of St Francis of Assisi.
4. Baptised Catholic children from practising Catholic families who are **not** resident in the parish of St Francis of Assisi.
5. Other baptised Catholics.
6. Other Looked After Children (as described above).
7. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian church.
8. Christians of other denominations whose application is supported by their minister of religion.
9. Children of other faiths whose application is supported by their religious leader.
10. Any other children.

Exceptional need
The governing body will give top priority after the appropriate category of Looked After Children to an application where compelling evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical, pastoral or other need of the child, which can only be met at this school.

Tie-break
Distance from home to school. Priority will be given to children living closest to the school determined by the shortest distance. Distances are calculated [on basis of a straight line measurement between the front door of the child's home address (including the community entrance to flats) and the main entrance of the school].

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
49

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Cadogan Street
London SW3 2QT

020 7589 2438
info@stjosephs.rbkc.sch.uk
www.stjosephs.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Catholic Academy

DfE number
207 3477

Executive Headteacher
Karen Wyatt

Head of School
James Stacey

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
South Kensington (Circle, District and Piccadilly Lines); Sloane Square (Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
361, 1, 19, 22, 211, 319



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications for places than the number of places available, places will be offered according to the following order of priority (1 to 6 requires the completion of the Certificate of Catholic Practice):

1. Catholic Looked After and previously Looked After Children, including children adopted from state care outside England.
2. Baptised Catholic children with a sibling at the school who will still be in attendance in September 2027.
3. Baptised Catholic children with a Certificate of Catholic Practice from families whose parents/carers are resident in the Catholic Parish of St Mary's Chelsea. Copies of the Parish map are available at the school and if requested can be sent by post.
4. Baptised Catholic children with a Certificate of Catholic Practice from families not resident in the Catholic Parish of St Mary's Chelsea but who are resident in the Catholic deanery of Kensington and Chelsea.
5. Other baptised Catholic children with a Certificate of Catholic Practice.
6. Other baptised Catholic children.
7. Other Looked After and previously Looked After Children, including children adopted from state care outside England.
8. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
9. Other children of staff, where the staff member has been employed on a permanent basis for at least two years at the time of application.
10. Other children with a sibling at the school who will still be in attendance in September 2027.
11. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader.
12. Any other children.

Within each of the categories listed above, the following tie-breaks will be applied in the following order.

i. Where evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral need of the child which can most appropriately be met at this school, the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made. Written evidence will be required from an appropriate professional such as a priest, doctor or social worker.

ii. The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category so that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) above.

iii. Priority will be given to children of staff members who have been employed on a permanent basis for at least two years at the time of application, so that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) and (ii) above.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
144

How places were offered
Siblings: 6
Remaining offers made up to an including Category 6 (Other Baptised Catholics): 14 (up to a distance of 3.353 miles straight-line)

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Mary Abbots C of E Primary School

2 Kensington
Church Court
London W8 4SP

020 7937 0740
info@sma.rbkc.sch.uk
www.sma.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3504

Headteacher
Felicity Djerehe

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
No

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
High Street Kensington
(Circle and District Lines)

Bus routes
27, 28, 52, 70, 328, 452, 9, 10, 49



St Mary Abbots C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than there are places available, the governors will admit pupils according to the following criteria which are listed in order of priority:

1. Looked After Children and Previously Looked After Children. includes those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Siblings.
3. **Open places**. Either two places or 20% of the places that remain, whichever is the lesser.
4. **Foundation places**. Allocations made in the following order of priority:
    a. Of the total available for foundation place applicants, 75% will be awarded to the children of families who can demonstrate sustained commitment to St Mary Abbots Church.
    b. Of the total available for foundation place applicants, 15% will be awarded to the children of families who can demonstrate sustained commitment to other Kensington Deanery Church of England churches.
    c. The remaining foundation places will be awarded to the children of families who can demonstrate sustained commitment to churches of other denominations, being members of Churches Together in Britain and Ireland (CTBI) located within the Kensington Deanery.
    d. Foundation places still remaining will be awarded to the families of children who can demonstrate sustained commitment to churches that are members of CTBI churches.

Tie-break

Distance from home to school will be applied if any of the categories are oversubscribed. Distance from the home address to the school calculated as a straight- line measurement.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
86

How places were offered
All on-time applicants offered

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Mary's Catholic Primary School

East Row
London W10 5AW

020 8969 0321
info@st-marys.rbkc.sch.uk
www.st-marys.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided

DfE number
207 3542

Executive Headteacher
Geraldine Hampton

Head of School
Magdalena Tusting

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Westbourne Park (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines); Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 452



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications for places than the number of places available, places will be offered according to the following order of priority.

1. Catholic looked after and previously looked after children, but ceased to be so because he or she was adopted, or became subject to a child arrangements order or special guardianship order. Included in this definition are those children who appear (to the governing body) to have been on state care outside of England and who ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic children who are resident in the parish of Our Lady of the Holy Souls, Kensal New Town.
3. Other baptised Catholic children.
4. Other looked after and previously looked after children (as described in Category 1)
5. Catechumens and members of an Eastern Christian Church.
6. Children of other Christian denominations whose membership is evidenced by a minister of religion.
7. Children of other faiths whose membership is evidenced by a religious leader.
8. Any other children.

Within each of the categories listed above, the following provisions will be applied in the following order.

i. Where evidence is provided at the time of application of an exceptional social, medical or pastoral need of the child which can most appropriately be met at this school, the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made.

ii. The attendance of a brother or sister at the school at the time of enrolment will increase the priority of an application within each category So that the application will be placed at the top of the category in which the application is made after children in (i) above

iii. To children of members of staff who have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time of application and will continue to be employed at the school at the point of admission or the member of staff is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.

Tie-break

Priority will be given to children living closest to the school determined by the shortest distance. Distances are calculated on the basis of a straight-line measurement between the front door of the child's home address.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
32

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes

*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

St Thomas' C of E Primary School

Appleford Road
London W10 5EF

020 8969 2810
info@st.rbkc.sch.uk
www.stfed.rbkc.sch.uk

Type of school
Voluntary aided
LifeFull Schools
Federation of St Clement and St James and St Thomas' C of E Schools

DfE number
207 3402

Executive Headteacher
Sarah Bouette

Head of School
Adrian Jones

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
Yes

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Westbourne Park (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23





St Thomas' C of E Primary School

Summarised admission criteria*

Where there are more applications than there are places available, the governors will admit pupils according to the following criteria which are listed in order of priority:

1. Looked After Children.
2. Children who have a particular pastoral, medical or social need to attend St Thomas and who would not otherwise qualify for admission.
3. Children who have a brother or sister (including half siblings & looked after children at the same address) in the school at the time of the application deadline for Reception admissions.
4. Children of a member of staff
   - 4.1 who 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
   - 4.2 or who is recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage
5. After the first 4 criteria have been decided 50% of the remaining places are Foundation Places & will be given to children who, along with one parent/guardian **
   - 5.2 habitually worship at the Church of St Thomas & St Andrew, Kensal Road ***
   - 5.3 habitually worship at a Church of England Church in within the Kensington Deanery
   - 5.4 habitually worship at another Christian church and who live within the parish of Kensal Town
   - 5.5 habitually worship at another Christian church ****
6. The remaining 50% are Community Places and will be given to children who live nearest the school and will be admitted in order of proximity of their house to the front door of the school using the electronic routing method used by the Royal Borough. Should a decision need to be made where more than one child lives the same distance from home to school this will be done using random allocation.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
55

How places were offered
All on-time applicants were offered.

Appeals
No appeals were submitted.

Footnotes
*These admission arrangements have been summarised. You are advised to view the full arrangements and further information on the school website.

Thomas Jones School

St Mark's Road
London W11 1RQ

020 7727 1423
info@thomasjones.co.uk
www.thomasjonesschool.org

Type of school
Community

DfE number
207 2594

Headteacher
David Sellens, OBE

Admission number
30

Supplementary form
No

Nursery
Yes

Breakfast club
Yes

After-school club
Yes

School uniform
Yes

Nearest Tube stations
Ladbroke Grove (Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines)

Bus routes
23, 52, 228, 452, 7, 70





Thomas Jones School

Summarised admission criteria*

If there are more applications than places available, the Council, as the Admission Authority, will allocate places in the following order of priority:

1. **Looked After Children**. Children in Public Care (also known as Looked After Children) in the care of the local authority and children who have been adopted or made subject to a child arrangement or special guardianship order immediately following having been looked after, including those who have been adopted from outside of England.
2. **Exceptional need**. Priority to applicants who can demonstrate admission to a particular community school is necessary on the grounds of professionally supported educational, medical and/or social need and only this school can meet the evidenced need.
3. **Siblings**. Priority is given to siblings of children currently enrolled at the school and who will still be attending when the new applicant starts. This includes half-siblings, adopted siblings, step-siblings, and the children of a parent's or carer's partner, provided they live at the same address. Sibling priority is applicable only to those in Reception to Year 6 at the time of admission and does not include nursery children.
4. **Children of staff**. Children whose parent is a qualified teacher for a minimum of 0.6fte (16.5 hours teaching staff) who has been employed at the school concerned for two or more years at the time of application and/or children of any member of staff who has been recruited to fill a vacancy for which there is a demonstrable skill shortage.
5. **Distance from home to school**. The distance from home to school will be calculated as a straight-line to the main entrance of the school building used by pupils. The Council will have the measuring point identified by each community school and will use its computerised measuring system to determine the distance.

Applications last year

Total number of on-time applications submitted
194

How places were offered
Looked After Children: 1
EHC Plan: 1
Exceptional Needs: 2
Siblings: 8
Distance: 18
(up to a distance of 0.257 of a mile straight-line)

Appeals
Six appeals heard. None upheld.

Footnote
* www.rbkc.gov.uk/children-and-education/school-admissions/admission-arrangement-consultations-2027-2028

Additional information



In-year admissions

020 7745 6432
www.rbkc.gov.uk/school-admissions

An in-year admission is when an application for a school place needs to be made outside the normal admission round (the first year of entry to a school). In most cases your reason for making an application will be you have moved to a new address, moved from abroad or you would like to transfer your child from one school to another. There is a separate process for applying in-year for a school place.

School Attendance

020 7598 4601

After you have been allocated a school place, making sure your child attends school regularly and on time every day is really important, not only to make sure they have the best possible chance to get the most out of their education but also because children who are not in school are more likely to get into trouble outside school or be vulnerable.

Parents have a legal responsibility to get their children to school, but if you are having difficulties with this, it is important you talk to school staff, who are there to help you.

You or school staff may feel you need some extra help. Each borough has professional staff who work with families with children who are not attending school. They are based in the Early Help Team if you live in Kensington and Chelsea. This multi-disciplinary team will work with schools, children and parents to improve children's attendance and reduce unnecessary absence and truancy.

Family Information Service (FIS)

07814 804262
families@rbkc.gov.uk
www.rbkc.gov.uk/families

The Family Information Service provides a statutory information, advice, and signposting for prospective parents, parents, carers, guardians, children and young people up to their 20th birthday (25 with SEND) and to the professionals working with them.

The service offers accurate, impartial information and guidance on childcare including local Ofsted registered providers and current government-funded childcare options available, activities for children and young people, and support services for children, young people and families in Kensington and Chelsea.

The FIS holds information on Ofsted-registered childcare, as well as holiday provision and services for young people and general information including help with childcare costs, healthy eating and parenting support.

Other available information includes:

- out-of-school childcare and play: details of clubs providing childcare and play activities for five to 12-year-olds in your area
- schools: lists of primary and secondary schools, information on home education and independent schools
- leisure: swimming classes, soft play, dance, music, sport, library story time, martial arts and other information on activities for children and young people
- special needs: support groups and services for children and young people aged up to 25
- support groups for parents and carers: contact details for local support groups such as children's centres.

Educational Psychology Service

020 7361 3311
https://bit.ly/3fpHDA9

Every primary and secondary school has a link educational psychologist (EP) - a specialist in how children, young people and young adults develop and learn.

Schools have a limited amount of free access to an EP to support them manage Special Educational Needs processes and systems. In addition schools can buy in school visits from their link EP. Help may be asked for when pupils show difficulties with their social-emotional development (including wellbeing/mental health), behaviour, learning or progress generally in school.

EPs can only directly work with a named pupil if parents/carers give informed consent. Parents/carers themselves may ask for their help through the school. EPs can also provide general consultative support and guidance for groups or school wide issues as well as research and training.

Special Educational Needs and Education, Health and Care needs assessments

020 7361 3311
sen@rbkc.gov.uk
https://bit.ly/3e0oIdG

Most children and young people with Special Educational Needs (SEN) and/or disabilities will have their needs met within local mainstream early years settings, schools or colleges. The local authority works with all settings to help them with identifying, assessing and making provision for pupils with SEN. All mainstream school and college settings have delegated funding so that they can meet the needs of pupils with SEN.

If you are applying to a new school and you think your child may have a special educational need, the first step is to talk with the headteacher and/or SENCO when you visit the school. They will be able to talk to you about the support they provide for children with learning needs and how they could meet your child's needs. They must also publish this information on their websites: this is usually called their SEN Information Report. The local authority expects all mainstream schools to support children with special educational needs, and to work with parents to develop an SEN Support Plan: this will record what is happening to support your child, and the progress she/he is making as a result.

Some children and young people with SEN or disabilities may need support that cannot be provided from the resources of a mainstream school alone. Once all the resources and support in the school have been put into place and there has been time to see what the effect is, the school may then discuss the possibility of an Education, Health and Care Needs Assessment with you. This assessment is coordinated by the local authority and as well as education, it involves health and social care assessments. However, the school would discuss this in detail with you before requesting an assessment, and an assessment would only take place with your clear agreement.

If your child already has an EHC plan, the information relating to the application process set out in this brochure does not apply to you as the local authority needs to work with you to agree the best place for your child.

You will find information on services and support available for children and young people with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) aged 0 to 25 and their families via the Local Offer website for Kensington and Chelsea. To discuss these arrangements, please contact the Special Educational Needs Service on 020 7361 3311.

Children with Disabilities Team

020 7598 4921

This team offers information, advice, support and practical help to families with children who have a permanent and substantial disability or long-term illness that affects their everyday living. The team offers advice on how to access services available for children and young people who have disabilities.

Home-to-school travel

travelapplications@rbkc.gov.uk

All children under 11 in full-time education can travel free on bus and tram services. All school pupils will be required to carry a Zip Oyster photocard to travel free on buses and trams. For further information, please visit the Transport for London (TfL) website at **www.tfl.gov.uk**

It is expected children who are resident in Kensington and Chelsea make use of the concessions offered by TfL, including free travel across London. However, there may be circumstances where travel assistance is required outside the scope of free arrangements offered by TfL.

If you wish to apply for home to school travel assistance for your child or young person please contact the Travel Care and Support Co-ordinator on 020 7361 3311 or alternatively you can request an application form via email **travelapplications@rbkc.gov.uk**. The full policy and application form are also available online via the Local Offer and Council website.

Free school meals

All infant age pupils (reception, year 1 and 2) in state-funded schools are entitled to Universal free school meals, but if you meet the criteria for free school meals (FSM) it's important to apply, as the school will receive pupil premium funding – which goes towards your child's education.

For the academic year 2026-27 the Mayor/GLA will be offering a universal free meal to all pupils in Years 3-6 who don't qualify for FSM, but it's still incredibly important that all parents who qualify for means tested FSM should make an application for FSM.

In addition to the pupil premium funding, your child can get access to other benefits such as vouchers during the school holidays and a guaranteed place for your child on the Holiday Activities and Food Programme. Please check the eligibility criteria and complete the form that will be provided to you when your child starts school.

For pupils in year 3 to 6, school meals are available at a standard charge. If parents are in receipt of Income Support from the Department of Work and Pensions or some other qualifying benefits, their children are entitled to free meals.

The headteacher can arrange for suitable meals to be made available for children who need special diets for religious or health reasons. Application forms for free meals can be obtained from schools.

If you think your child is entitled to free school meals, it is very important you apply for them even if your child eats a packed lunch. This is because the amount of money a school receives from the government is linked to the number of children entitled to free school meals.

Eligibility criteria

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

In addition, the following pupils will be protected against losing their free school meals as follows:

- All existing free school meals claimants will continue to receive free school meals whilst Universal Credit is rolled out. This will apply even if their earnings rise above the new threshold during that time.
- In addition, any child gaining eligibility for free school meals will be protected against losing free school meals during the Universal Credit rollout period.
- Once Universal Credit is fully rolled out, any existing claimants that no longer meet the eligibility criteria at that point (because they are earning above the threshold or are no longer in receipt of Universal Credit) will continue to receive free school meals until the end of the current phase of education (i.e. primary or secondary).



Nurseries and children's centres



Early years and childcare

The council is responsible for supporting the delivery of quality education and childcare across Kensington and Chelsea. This is delivered through a range of early years and nursery settings.

Eligible children can access 15 or 30 hours of government-funded early education per week (up to 38 weeks a year), from nine months old until they start reception.

These places can be accessed through participating providers including:

- private nursery schools
- private or voluntary pre-schools or playgroups
- private or voluntary day nurseries
- nursery units of independent schools
- local authority schools.

For detailed information and a list of early years providers please visit **www.rbkc.gov.uk/childcare**

Nurseries

If you would like your child to attend a nursery school which is part of a children's centre or a nursery class of one of Kensington and Chelsea's primary schools, you should contact the school you prefer when your child reaches the age of two. That will ensure he or she is considered for a place at the proper time when a vacancy occurs. You should note, however, the length of time that a child's name is on waiting list does not give priority over later applicants.

Children usually begin nursery school or attend nursery class in the term after their third birthday. Admissions usually take place in September, however some free places for children may be deferred until the following January. There is no right of appeal against a decision not to offer a nursery school place.



Chelsea Open Air Nursery School
51 Glebe Place, London SW3 5JE
020 7352 8374
info@coans.rbkc.sch.uk
www.coans.rbkc.sch.uk

Head: Talia Robinson
Opening times: 8.15am to 5pm, term-time only
Age range: Rising 3s (the term before your child turns three) up to 5 years old
Places: 70 places

Chelsea Open Air Nursery School offers 15 and 30 hour funded education places with the option to add additional hours for a fee. The core school day is 9am to 4pm. Our unique, historical building and magical garden offer opportunities for learning inside and out whatever the weather. The school also operates a breakfast club from 8.15am and after school club until 5pm, for a charge.

For more information about admission to Chelsea Open Air Nursery School, or to request an application form, please call the school on 020 7352 8374 or visit **www.coans.rbkc.sch.uk**

Clare Gardens Nursery
349 Westbourne Park Road, London W11 1EG
020 7727 2725
claregardensnursery@rbkc.gov.uk

Manager: Della Rowe
Opening times: Monday to Friday, 8am to 5.45pm
Age range: 3 months to 5 years
Places: 41 places in total

Clare Gardens Nursery is in Ladbroke Grove (in Kensington and Chelsea). The nursery is open plan and has direct access to garden space for all children. With a range of fantastic indoor and outdoor resources. We are an inclusive setting and accommodate spaces for all children. We offer a range of funded places including universal and extended hours.





Golborne & Maxilla Nursery School

2a Bevington Road, London W10 5TN

020 8968 5622

info@golborne.rbkc.sch.uk

www.golborne.rbkc.sch.uk

Head: Veronica Hilliard
Opening times: 8.30am to 4.30pm
Age range: 2 to 5 years
Places for three- and four-year-olds: 70 full time equivalent places (15 and 30 hours)
Places for two-year-olds: 20 (8 fee payers plus 12 funded places per day)

Golborne and Maxilla have a maximum of 70 places for children aged between three and five. These are a combination of 15 hour universal places and the 30 hour extended entitlement places which are offered during term time only between the school hours of 9.15am and 3.15pm. Nursery school admissions will usually take place in the September or January following a child's third birthday.

An extended day and extended year service is available for children in the nursery school as well as "top up" provision for children in a 15 hour universal place who wish to attend for longer but who are not eligible for the 30 hour entitlement. Breakfast club is available from 8.30am and After-School is available until 4.30pm.

The holiday provision service is available during school half terms, the Easter break and the first three weeks of the summer holidays. This is a chargeable provision available to all children and families.

St Anne's Nursery School

Sirdar Road, London W11 4EE

020 7727 7727

info@apsafederation.com

www.apsafederation.com

Head of School: Ben McMullen
Assistant Head of School: Dionne Eastwood
Opening times: 9am to 3pm
Age range: 3 to 5 year olds
Places for three- and four-year-olds: 100 full time places, 50 part time places

St Anne's is a two-form Nursery, serving a diverse and vibrant community in North Kensington. In 2014 we federated with Avondale Park Primary, and in 2023 together joined the Fox Federation with Ashburnham, Avonmore and Fox Primaries. St Anne's Nursery School is an Outstanding, popular nursery school with four purpose-built nursery classrooms.

We offer full time and part time places and free school lunches for all nursery children.

Please ring the main school office on 020 7727 7727 for further information.

To apply for a nursery place please ring or visit the school or alternatively please apply online through the school website.

We offer regular tours of our nursery every other Thursday.

St Quintin Nursery

90 Highlever Road, London W10 6PN

020 8964 2434

stquintinnursery@rbkc.gov.uk

Manager: Vanessa Hamilton -Bailey
Opening times: Monday to Friday, 8am to 5.45pm
Age range: 3 months to 5 years
Places: 47 places in total

St Quintin Nursery is in the north of the borough of Kensington and Chelsea. The nursery is open plan and has direct access to garden space for all children. With a range of fantastic indoor and outdoor resources. We are an inclusive setting and accommodate spaces for all children. We offer a range of funded places including universal and extended hours.

Cheyne Family Hub

10 Thorndike Close, London SW10 0ST

020 7361 2202

familyhub@rbkc.gov.uk

(currently, there is not nursery provision available, but the hub offers a range of activities for families and young children)

Manager: Vanessa Hamilton-Bailey Opening times:
Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm
(excluding bank holidays)
Cheyne Family Hub offers a warm and welcoming environment for children under five years old. We offer a wide range of resources, and fun activities, for children and members of their family.

The children's centre works in partnership with other services in the community, such as health, housing, social care, schools voluntary and community organisations. Through these partnerships we are able to offer drop-in services, support services, training opportunities and information/advice sessions.

Holmfield House Family Hub

4-6 Golborne Road, London W10 5PE

020 7361 2202

familyhub@rbkc.gov.uk

Opening times: Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm (excluding bank holidays)

Age range: from birth onwards

Holmfield House Family Hub offers a warm and welcoming environment for children under five years old. We offer a wide range of resources, and fun activities, for children and members of their family.

The children's centre works in partnership with other services in the community, such as health, housing, social care, schools voluntary and community organisations.

Through these partnerships we are able to offer drop-in services, support services, training opportunities and information/advice sessions.



Other contacts



Contact details for diocesan authorities

The Diocese of Westminster Education Service and London Diocesan Board for Schools provide additional information about education in Catholic and Church of England schools respectively.

Diocese of Westminster Education Service (Catholic)

020 7798 9005
education@rcdow.org.uk
education.rcdow.org.uk

London Diocesan Board for Schools (Church of England)

020 7932 1100
www.ldbs.co.uk

Contacting neighbouring boroughs

Detailed information about schools outside Kensington and Chelsea is available directly from schools or the local authority in which they are situated. Contact details are provided on the following page.

Please remember to check the admission arrangements for your preferred schools to assess whether you are likely to be offered a place. You may also be required to complete a supplementary form.

If you live outside Kensington and Chelsea but wish to apply for a school in the borough, you will need to apply on the common application form of the local authority where you live.



Other authorities

Contact details for neighbouring boroughs

Brent
020 8937 3110
school.admissions@brent.gov.uk
www.brent.gov.uk/admissions

Ealing
020 8825 5511/5522
mainroundadmissions@ealing.gov.uk
www.ealing.gov.uk/admissions

Camden
020 7974 1625
admissions@camden.gov.uk
www.camden.gov.uk/school-admissions

Hammersmith & Fulham
020 8753 1085
school.admissions@lbhf.gov.uk
www.lbhf.gov.uk/admissions

Hounslow
020 8583 2711
admissions@hounslow.gov.uk
www.hounslow.gov.uk/admissions

Richmond upon Thames
020 8547 5569
richmond.admissions@achievingforchildren.org.uk
www.richmond.gov.uk

Wandsworth
020 8871 7316
admissions@wandsworth.gov.uk
www.wandsworth.gov.uk

Westminster
020 7745 6433
schooladmissions@westminster.gov.uk
www.westminster.gov.uk/admissions



Schools in Kensington and Chelsea

Each school's location is pinpointed on the map on page 91.

Primary schools

1 **Ark Brunel Academy**
Middle Row, London W10 5AT

2 **Ashburnham**
17 Blantyre Street, London SW10 0DT

3 **Avondale Park**
Sirdar Road, London W11 4EE

4 **Barlby**
Treverton Street, London W10 6DW

5 **Bevington**
Bevington Road, London W10 5TW

6 **Bousfield**
South Bolton Gardens, London SW5 0DJ

7 **Christ Church C of E**
1 Robinson Street, London SW3 4AA

8 **Colville**
Lonsdale Road, London W11 2DF

9 **Fox**
Edge Street, London W8 7PP

10 **Holy Trinity C of E**
Sedding Street, London SW1X 9DE

11 **Kensington Primary Academy**
205 Warwick Road, London W14 8PU

12 **Marlborough**
Draycott Avenue, London SW3 3AP

13 **Oratory Catholic**
Bury Walk, Cale Street, London SW3 6QH

14 **Our Lady of Victories Catholic**
Clareville Street, London SW7 5AQ

15 **Oxford Gardens**
Oxford Gardens, London W10 6NF

16 **Park Walk**
Park Walk, London SW10 0AY

17 **Servite Catholic**
252 Fulham Road, London S W10 9NA

18 **St Barnabas and St Philip's C of E**
Pembroke Mews, 58 Earls Court Road, London W8 6EJ

19 **St Charles Catholic**
St Charles Square, London W10 6EB

20 **St Clement and St James C of E**
Penzance Place, London W11 4PG

21 **St Francis of Assisi Catholic**
Treadgold Street, London W11 4BJ

22 **St Joseph's Catholic**
Cadogan Street, London SW3 2QT

23 **St Mary Abbots C of E**
2 Kensington Church Court, London W8 4SP

24 **St Mary's Catholic**
East Row, London W10 5AW

25 **St Thomas' C of E**
Appleford Road, London W10 5EF

26 **Thomas Jones**
St Mark's Road, London W11 1RQ

Secondary schools

27 **All Saints Catholic College** (mixed)
75 St Charles Square, London W10 6EL

28 **Chelsea Academy** (mixed)
Lots Road, London SW10 0AB

29 **Holland Park School** (mixed)
Airlie Gardens, London W8 7AF

30 **Kensington Aldridge Academy** (mixed)
1 Silchester Road, London W 10 6EX

31 **St Thomas More Language College** (Catholic, mixed)
Cadogan Street, London SW3 2QS

32 **The Cardinal Vaughan Memorial School** (Catholic, boys)
89 Addison Road, London W14 8BZ

Community nurseries and children's centres

33 **Chelsea Open Air Nursery School**
51 Glebe Place, London S W3 5JE

34 **Golborne and Maxilla Federated Children's Centres**
2a Bevington Road, London W10 5TN

35 **St Anne's and Avondale Park Nursery**
Sirdar Road, London W11 4EE

Special and other schools

36 **Chelsea Community Hospital**
369 Fulham Road, SW10 9NH

37 **Ormiston Kensington Queensmill**
Barlby Road, W10 6BH

38 **Ormiston Latimer Academy**
Freston Road, W10 6TT

39 **Parkwood Hall Co-Operative Academy**
Beechenlea Lane, Swanley, Kent, BR8 8DR
(not shown on map)


Key:
Primary schools
Secondary schools
Nurseries and children's centres
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Kensal Road
Barlby Rd
Wornington
Golborne Rd
St Charles Square
Oxford Gardens
Ladbroke Grove
Bevington Rd
Portobello Rd
Acklam Road
Latimer Road
Freston Road
Bramley Rd
Treadgold St
Kingsdown Cl
St Mark's Road
Lancaster Road
Westbourne Park Road
Lonsdale Rd
Westbourne Grove
Ladbroke Grove
Sirdar Road
St Ann's Road
St Ann's Villas
Penzance Pl
Shepherds Bush
Royal Crescent
Holland Park
Notting Hill Gate
Holland Park Avenue
Addison Road
Kensington Place
Campden Hill Road
Airlie Gdns
Kensington Church Street
Holland Road
Kensington
High Street Kensington
High Street Kensington
Earls Court Road
Warwick Road
Cromwell Road
Earls Court
Gloucester Road
Gloucester Road
Queen's Gate
Clareville St
Brompton Road
South Kensington
Knightsbridge
Old Brompton Road
Redcliffe Gardens
The Boltons
Onslow Sq
Sloane Street
Draycott Ave
Cadogan St
Fulham Road
Bury Walk
Sydney Street
Old Church St
Park Walk
Sloane Square
Sloane Square
Kings Road
Kings Road
Glebe Place
Upper Cheyne Row
Oakley Street
Flood Street
Pimlico Rd
Royal Hospital Road
Chelsea Bridge Road
Beaufort St
Walk
Blantyre St
Cheyne
Chelsea Embankment
Lots Road

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Privacy notice for admissions and access to education

Purpose for processing your information
The School Admission service is the coordinator body for the application process for schools and academies and the initial contact point for school admissions related enquiries.

We collect the following information:
Information we request from you is for the purpose of processing your school application. These are: full name of your child, date of birth, home address, parent/carers full name, address if different from your child, your contact details including phone numbers and email address, Council Tax number, current or previous education provision, professional supporting documents if relevant to your application, background education history of applying for as an in-year admission, country of origin if a new arrival to the country and length of stay in the UK.

This information is only used for the intended purpose but if we intend to use it for any other purpose, we will normally ask you first. In some cases, the Council may use your information for another purpose if it has a legal duty to do so, to provide a complete service to you, to prevent and detect fraud, or if there is a risk of serious harm or threat to life.

How we collect your information
The initial application for a school place can either be submitted online or a hard copy paper. Additional information will be requested either by letter, email, telephone or face-to-face.

Who the information is shared with
The Admissions Team may also use your information for other legitimate purposes and may share (where necessary) with other Council departments and external bodies responsible for administering services to children and young people. Reasons for sharing information with the internal and external bodies will be; to enable the processing of school applications, to fulfil the Council's safeguarding duty and comply with the Prevent Strategy, and to provide Central Government bodies with mandatory data returns, the Home Office to notify of potential illegal immigration and the Police may request information at any time as part of a criminal investigation.

Internal bodies are; the SEND (Special Educational Needs & Disabilities) team, the Virtual School, the Data Team, the Early Help Service, the MASH Team and Safeguarding service, the Early Years' Service, Governance and Legal Services.

External bodies are; schools/academies (previous current and applied for); other Councils/boroughs and the Police. Central Government bodies comprising of the Department for Education, the Local Government Ombudsmen and the Office of the School Adjudicator; the Home Office and the Department of Work and Pension.

For the purpose of validating proof of address, the School Admissions Team will refer to data held by any of the services mentioned above, internal Council Tax records, the Housing Team, Parking Services and the Fraud Team.

How long do we keep your information?
The Admissions Team will keep your application record for three years. After this time it will be deleted.

How is your information retained?
Article 6 (1) of the UK GDPR states that processing shall be lawful only if and to the extent that at least one of the following applies. The Act lists 6 lawful basis. In this instance, the council asserts that it is processing data under 6 (1)(e) "processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the data controller". In line with the ICO, the term Public Task to signify, reference is made to Article 6 (1)(e).

The public task for School Admissions is the law which states that the LA must coordinate admission applications for the first point of entry to Reception, and the transition point from primary to secondary school for entry to Year 7. The team are required to coordinate admissions for all state maintained schools that participate in coordination.

The above establishes that the council has both a public interest task and duty to respond to EHE Assessments. Processing (including documenting) assessments takes place under the Public Task basis. The data protection regulator, Information Commissioner's Office [ICO] notes

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that a specific power is not needed to establish the Public Task lawful basis. Please note, under the Public Task basis, the right to erasure is set aside. The right to object remains, but the right to rectification will only apply to factual content, rather than a difference of opinion. The council may consider accepting addendums to be placed on records where there is a dispute based on opinion, but this will be on a case by case basis.

In addition, the council has other duties associated with maintaining adequate records of its transactions (activities, correspondence) as set out under the Local Government Act 1972 section 224. Specifically, evidencing its transactions, requires considering the integrity of those records. The council is also subject to the Code of Practice on the Management of Records issued under section 46 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Included in the Code is the requirement to adhere to "three principles of value, integrity and accountability… to manage information and maintain a record of their (Public Authorities) activities". When viewed together the council must be able to maintain records of its transactions as they happened.

Your rights and access to your information
You have the right to request a copy of the information that we hold about you.

The new General Data Protection Regulation also gives you additional rights about the information we hold about you and how we use it, including the right to:

- Withdraw consent and the right to object and restrict further processing of your data; however, this may affect service delivery to you.
- Request to have your data deleted where there is no compelling reason for its continued processing and provided that there are no legitimate grounds for retaining it.
- Request your data to be rectified if it is inaccurate or incomplete.
- Have your data transferred or copied should you move to another authority.
- Not be subject to automated decision-making including profiling.

To submit a Subject Access Request email the Admissions Team at: **school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk**

If you have any concerns
Please contact us if you would like to know more about the information we hold about you and how we use it. The School Admissions Team can be contacted on tel: 020 7745 6432 between 9am to 2pm Monday to Friday.

You have a right to complain to us if you think we have not complied with our obligation for handling your personal information; please email the Admissions Team at: **school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk**

Your concerns will be investigated via the respective Council's complaints procedures.

If you are not satisfied with the Council's response you have a right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). You can visit the ICO website at: **www.ico.org.uk/concerns/handling/**

Changes in your circumstances
You must notify us immediately if there are any changes in your circumstances and personal details so we can maintain an accurate and up to date record of your information.

Apply online:
www.eadmissions.org.uk

The Pan-London eAdmissions site opens on Tuesday 1 September 2026.

If your child was born between 1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023, you will need to apply for a primary (reception) school place by Friday 15 January 2027.

For further information contact:
Admissions Team
Pink Zone, 1st Floor, Town Hall, Hornton Street W8 7NX

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school.admissions@rbkc.gov.uk
www.rbkc.gov.uk/school-admissions

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