

Timetable for admission appeals

2026/27 Admissions round

For appeals for your child to start primary school (Reception year), move up from an infant to a junior school (year 3) or from a primary/junior to a secondary school (year 7), you should return your appeal form by the following dates.

2026/27 Admissions Appeals Deadline

Stage	Offer date	Appeals lodged by	Appeals to be heard by
Primary	16 April 2026	15 May 2026	17 July 2026
Secondary	2 March 2026	13 April 2026	16 June 2026

Appeals received after these dates will be heard by the same deadlines if possible. If not, they will be heard within 30 school days.