

Secondary Transfer 2027

Applying for a School Place

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Who is this for?

Children born between **1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016** are due to transfer from primary to a secondary school in **September 2027**. If your child is due to transfer to a secondary school in September 2027, you should apply for a place online.



Before you start

Choosing a school

You need to decide which schools you want to apply to

To help you do this, visit

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- download [A guide to Secondary Education in Barnet 2027](#);
- attend the school open evenings and open days;
- talk to your child and find out what they want;
- do your research - look at the information published on school websites and school prospectuses;
- consider how your child will travel to and from school - walking, cycling or public transport options;
- check the admissions criteria to see if your child is likely to be offered a place and look at [how places were allocated in previous years](#);
- consider including a mix of school preferences, as most schools receive more applications than there are places available;

- talk to others but make your own choices; your child is unique;

How to apply

- apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk (check your home Local Authority's website for information on how to apply, if you live outside London);
- you can register your mobile phone number to receive reminder alerts;
- you can apply for up to six schools, in Barnet or elsewhere;
- it is important to list schools in the order you prefer them;
- attach relevant supporting documents to your application;
- some schools, usually faith schools, will also require you to complete a Supplementary Information Form – this should be returned directly to the school;
- **the closing date for applications is 31 October 2026.**

What happens next?

- Your home Local Authority will let other local authorities know about any applications you have made for schools in their area;
- schools will use their admissions criteria to list children in the order of priority for a place;
- your school preference order is not passed to schools;
- if more than one place can be offered, you will be offered a place at the school you ranked higher in your order of preference;
- all lower preferences will be withdrawn;
- no child will be offered more than one place;
- your child will stay on the waiting lists for schools you ranked higher than the one you have been offered;
- if it is not possible to offer you one of your preferences, we will allocate a place at an alternative school;
- you will receive an email on the evening of **National Offer Day, 1 March 2027**;
- click on the 'Reply' button at the bottom of the email and log in to your eAdmissions account to accept or decline your offer;
- you must **respond to your offer by 15 March 2027**.



Visiting schools

- Most schools are planning to hold the traditional face-to-face open evenings;
- A schedule of open evenings is available from your child's primary school and is also published in the guide [Secondary Education in Barnet 2027](#) (please check individual school websites for latest information).

Further support and advice Help completing the application form:

Choose 'Help & Tutorials' from your eAdmissions Home Page

Help with anything else:

Online: www.barnet.gov.uk/schooladmissions
Tel: 020 8359 7651