



Dame Alice Owen's School

Dugdale Hill Lane | Potters Bar | Hertfordshire EN6 2DU



Secondary Transfer Information for 2026

For comprehensive admissions information, [please visit our website](#)

For specific queries that are not covered on the website please email admissions@damealiceowens.herts.sch.uk

Academic and Musical Aptitude Criteria

Secondary Transfer September 2026 (applicable to Current Year 5 children)

If you wish to register your child for our Entrance Examination and/or Musical Aptitude Tests you should:-

- [Read our Admissions Arrangements](#) for secondary transfer 2026
- Ensure your child's permanent address falls within one of the [Local Priority Areas](#) (see below)
- Ensure your child is available for the [dates of the tests](#)
 - ◇ Verbal Reasoning Test and first round Musical Aptitude Test **1st September 2025**.
 - ◇ English and Maths tests (for those ranked in the top 325 in the Verbal Reasoning) - Saturday 27th September 2025.
- Complete the [online Test Registration Form](#) by **12th June 2025** – registrations will not be accepted after this date

Please note we publish our test dates well in advance and we are unable to offer alternative dates for any reason other than medical or religious circumstances

Local Priority Areas

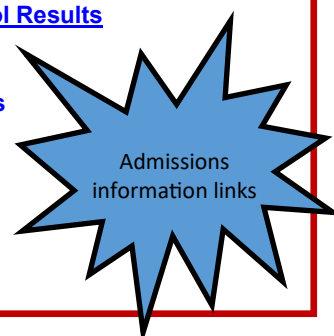
Children **MUST** be living at an address within the following listed [Local Priority Areas](#) or attend an Islington School both at the closing date for test registration (12th June) and at the time of application (31st October 2025) in order to be considered under our test criteria.



Aldenham	Essendon	Potters Bar
Bayford	Hatfield	Ridge and South
Brickendon Liberty	Little Berkhamsted	Mimms
Colney Heath	London Colney	Shenley
Elstree & Boreham-wood	North Mymms	Welwyn Garden City
	Northaw & Cuffley	

Comprehensive information is available on our website. This may be helpful when deciding if you would like to make an application to the school, this includes:

- [Key Dates](#)
- [Online Test Registration Form](#)
- [Admissions Arrangements](#)
- [Prospectus and School Results](#)
- [Entrance Exam](#)
- [Music Test](#)
- [Familiarisation Papers](#)
- [Access Arrangements](#)
- [FAQ's](#)



<u>London</u>	EN5 all sectors	N14 all sectors
<u>postcodes</u>	N11 sectors 1,3	N20 all sectors
EN2 sectors 7,8	N12 all sectors	N21 all sectors
EN4 all sectors	N13 sectors 4,5	Islington