

# Schools & Children's Services Applying for a Secondary School 2024

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# The admissions booklet:

- Term dates
- Map showing all Enfield Secondary Schools
- Address of school and name of head teacher/principal
- Dates and times of open evenings
- Information on how to apply, how places are allocated and how to appeal
- Useful contacts and key words



# Open Evenings

School	Headteacher/ Principal	Type of School	Boys/ Girls	Supplementary form required	Date and time of open evening session/s*
<b>AIM North London (1)</b> Turin Road, Edmonton, N9 8DQ	Mr P McGrath	Academy	Mixed	No	Thursday 12 October, 5pm–7pm
<b>ARK John Keats Academy (2)</b> Bell Lane, Enfield, EN3 5PA	Ms Katie Marshall	Academy	Mixed	No	Wednesday 4 October, 5.30pm–7pm
<b>Aylward Academy (3)</b> Windmill Road, Edmonton, N18 1NB	Mr D Rotimi	Academy	Mixed	No	Monday 2 October, 4.30pm–7pm
<b>Bishop Stopford's School (4)</b> Brick Lane, Enfield, EN1 3PU	Mrs T Day	Voluntary Aided	Mixed	Yes	Tuesday 26 September, 6pm
<b>Chace Community School (5)</b> Churchbury Lane, Enfield, EN1 3HQ	Ms T Douglas	Community	Mixed	No	Monday 25 September, 5.00pm–7.30pm
<b>Edmonton County Bury Campus (6)</b> Little Bury Street, Edmonton, N9 9HZ <b>Edmonton County Cambridge Campus (7)</b> Great Cambridge Road, Enfield, EN1 1HQ	Dr S Tranter	Academy	Mixed	No	Thursday 28 September, 5.30pm (Bury Campus)
<b>Enfield County Lower School (8)</b> Rosemary Avenue, Enfield, EN2 0SP <b>Enfield County Upper School (9)</b> Holly Walk, Enfield, EN2 6QG	Ms J Gumbrell	Community	Girls	No	Monday 9 October, 6.30pm at the Lower School site
<b>Enfield Grammar Lower School (10)</b> Enfield Court, Baker Street, EN1 3EX <b>Enfield Grammar Upper School (11)</b> Market Place, Enfield, EN2 6LN	Mr C Lamb	Academy	Boys	For Sport/Music only	Monday 9 October, 5.30pm–8pm at the Upper School site
<b>Heron Hall Academy (12)</b> Queensway, Ponders End, EN3 4SA	Mr A Barzey	Academy	Mixed	No	Tuesday 10 October, 5.30pm–7.30pm
<b>Highlands School (13)</b> Worlds End Lane, Winchmore Hill, N21 1QQ	Mr V McInerney	Community	Mixed	No	Monday 16 October, 6pm–9pm
<b>Kingsmead School (14)</b> Southbury Road, Enfield, EN1 1YQ	Mr D Medway	Academy	Mixed	For Art/Drama/ Music only	Thursday 21 September, 5.30pm

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<b>Laurel Park School (15)</b> Wilmer Way, Southgate, N14 7HY	Ms A Christofi	Foundation	Mixed	No	Wednesday 4th October 6pm – 8pm
<b>Lea Valley Academy (16)</b> Bullsmoor Lane, Enfield, EN3 6TW	Mr S J Kinson	Academy	Mixed	No	Thursday 28 September, 5.30pm–8pm
<b>Oasis Academy Enfield (17)</b> Kinetic Crescent, Innova Park, Mollison Ave, Enfield, EN3 7XH	Mr A Williams	Academy	Mixed	No	Tuesday 3 October, 5.30pm–7.30pm
<b>Oasis Academy Hadley (18)</b> South Street, Ponders End, Enfield, EN3 4PX	Mrs Z Thompson	Academy	Mixed	No	Wednesday 20 September, 5.30pm–7.30pm
<b>St Anne's Lower School (19)</b> London Road, Enfield, EN2 6EL <b>St Anne's Upper School (20)</b> Oakthorpe Road, Palmers Green, N13 5TY	Mrs E Loveland	Voluntary Aided	Girls	Yes	Monday 2 October, 6pm–8pm at the Lower School site
<b>St Ignatius College (21)</b> Turkey Street, Enfield, EN1 4NP	Mrs M O'Keeffe	Voluntary Aided	Boys	Yes	Tuesday 19 September, 5.30pm – 8:30pm
<b>Southgate School (22)</b> Sussex Way, Cockfosters, EN4 0BL	Mr M Lavelle	Academy	Mixed	No	Thursday 12 October, 6pm–8.15pm
<b>The Latymer School (23)</b> Haselbury Road, Edmonton, N9 9TN	Mrs M Cobbett	Voluntary Aided / Selective	Mixed	Yes	Check the school website for further information
<b>Winchmore School (24)</b> Laburnum Grove, Winchmore Hill, N21 3HS	Mr J Owen	Community	Mixed	No	Wednesday 27 September, 6pm
<b>Wren Academy Enfield (25)</b> 3 Chace Village Road, Enfield, EN2 8GH	Mr G Smith	Academy	Mixed	Foundation applications only	Monday 18th September, 5.30pm - 7.30pm

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# Types of Schools

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- **Foundation** – the School's Governing Body is responsible for deciding the admission arrangements for pupils





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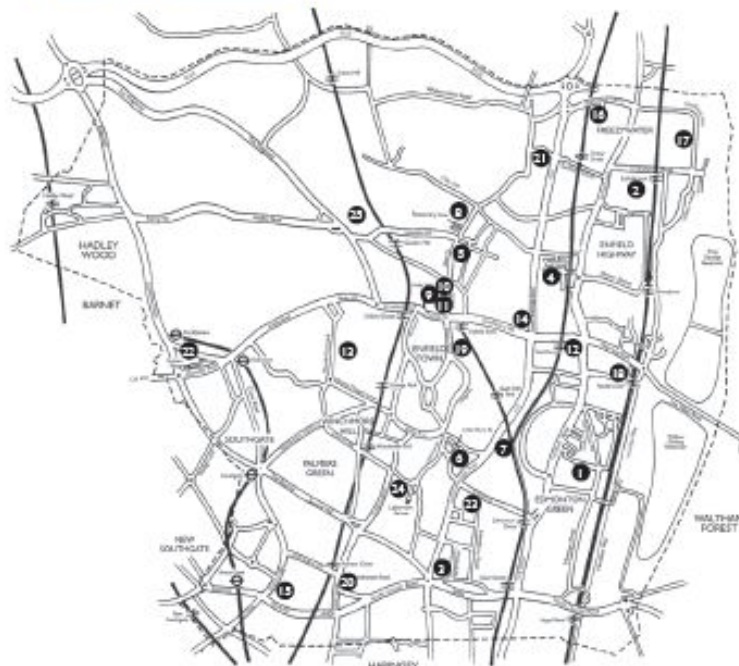
- **Voluntary Aided** - the School's Governing Body is responsible for deciding the admission arrangements for pupils
- **Academies and Free Schools**—publicly funded state schools. The Academy Council or School Governors are responsible for deciding the admission arrangements





# AT A GLANCE

## Borough School Map



### KEY

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. AIM North London                   | 8. Enfield County - Lower School   | 17. Oasis Academy Enfield     |
| 2. Ark John Keats Academy             | 9. Enfield County - Upper School   | 18. Oasis Academy Hadley      |
| 3. Aylward Academy                    | 10. Enfield Grammar - Lower School | 19. St. Anne's - Lower School |
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| 5. Chace Community School             | 12. Heron Hall Academy             | 21. St. Ignace College        |
| 6. Edmonton County - Bury Campus      | 13. Highlands School               | 22. Southgate School          |
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# Schools in Enfield

**AIM North London (A)**

**Aylward Academy (A)**

**Edmonton County (A)**

**Enfield Grammar (A)**

**Highlands (C)**

**Laurel Park School (F)**

**Lea Valley Academy (A)**

**Oasis Academy Hadley (A)**

**St Ignatius College (VA )**

**Southgate ( A )**

**Winchmore ( C )**

**ARK John Keats (A)**

**Bishop Stopford's CE (VA)**

**Chace Community (C)**

**Enfield County School for Girls(C)**

**Heron Hall Academy (A)**

**Kingsmead (A)**

**Oasis Academy Enfield (A)**

**St Anne's Catholic High School  
for Girls ( VA )**

**The Latymer (VA)**

**Wren Academy, Enfield (A)**



# Admission Criteria

- Rules used to decide which children are offered places when there are more applications than places available.
- Rules may differ between local authorities and types of schools.
- Check school and local authority websites in case there are any changes to the information in LA booklets



# Community School Admission Criteria (summary - see booklet for full details)



- children in public care or previously adopted
- children for whom a particular school is appropriate on exceptional medical grounds
- children with a brother or sister attending the school at the time of admission (living at the same address)
- children of members of staff
- children living nearest to the school measured as the “crow flies”

# Exceptions

- Chace Community – priority zone for nominated roads
- Enfield County School for Girls has a quota system of allocation

Full details in

*“Your Guide to Secondary Schools in Enfield 2024 ” brochure available online from September 2023.*



# Partially or Fully Selective Schools

- Selective schools will test children before the closing date for applications.
- Children must be registered directly with the schools to be entered for the relevant selective tests/trials/auditions
- Schools will let parents have the results of the tests/trial/audition before the closing date for the Borough application.

# Additional Information

SCHOOL	SUPPLEMENTARY FORM	APTITUDE TEST
Bishop Stopford	Regular worship	
Enfield Grammar	Music and sport	Music and Sport
Kingsmead	Performing and visual arts	Performing and visual arts
St. Anne's	Religious worship	
St. Ignatius	Religious worship	
Ashmole	Music	
Dame Alice Owen	Music	Academic
QE Boys		Academic
Latymer (completed)		Academic



# What can Enfield parents expect?

- one local authority application for all maintained schools (community, foundation, voluntary aided, free school and academy) regardless of where the school is located
- common closing date across England for the submission of forms – 31st October 2023
- 6 preferences across London (Hertfordshire will only accept four Hertfordshire schools – don't include more)
- equal consideration given to each school asked for

# What can Enfield parents expect?

- We will apply for schools outside the area on your behalf.
- We can only accept late applications or changes of preference after the deadline in exceptional circumstances
- If your child is eligible for more than one school, the preference order will be used to decide the final offer
- Single offer emailed on 1st March 2024



# How to apply - [www.eadmissions.org.uk](http://www.eadmissions.org.uk)

## Welcome to eAdmissions

### First time visitors

Create a new account.



[Register](#)

### Returning visitors

Sign into an existing account.



[Sign in](#)

### Find schools

In your area.



[Find](#)

## Important information

From the 1st September 2023 you can apply for a school place for September 2024.

You can apply for a place in:

- A Primary school (Reception)
- A Junior school (Year 3)
- A Secondary school (Year 7)

In some areas you can apply for a place in:

- A Nursery class or school (Age 3+)
- A University Technical College (Year 10)

If you require a school place for your child now (In Year) please contact your home Local Authority.

# Online Applications

- It is quick and easy to do – just register and follow the instructions
- You will get an email confirmation once you submit your application
- The online system checks that you are completing all the right sections of the application
- The online system is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until midnight on the closing date



- You can get your result on the evening of 1 March 2024 and then either accept and decline your offer on line

# Making your application

Make sure you tell us...

- If the child is looked after or adopted?
- Are there brothers or sisters attending any of the schools applied for?
- Does a parent work at any of the schools listed on your form?





# Making your application

- Provide supporting information with your application if you are asking for medical priority
- Be sure the address you use is the child's usual place of residence. Attach details if not
- Include your council tax reference number in your application.
- Complete any supplementary forms and send them directly to the schools
- Meet all the deadlines



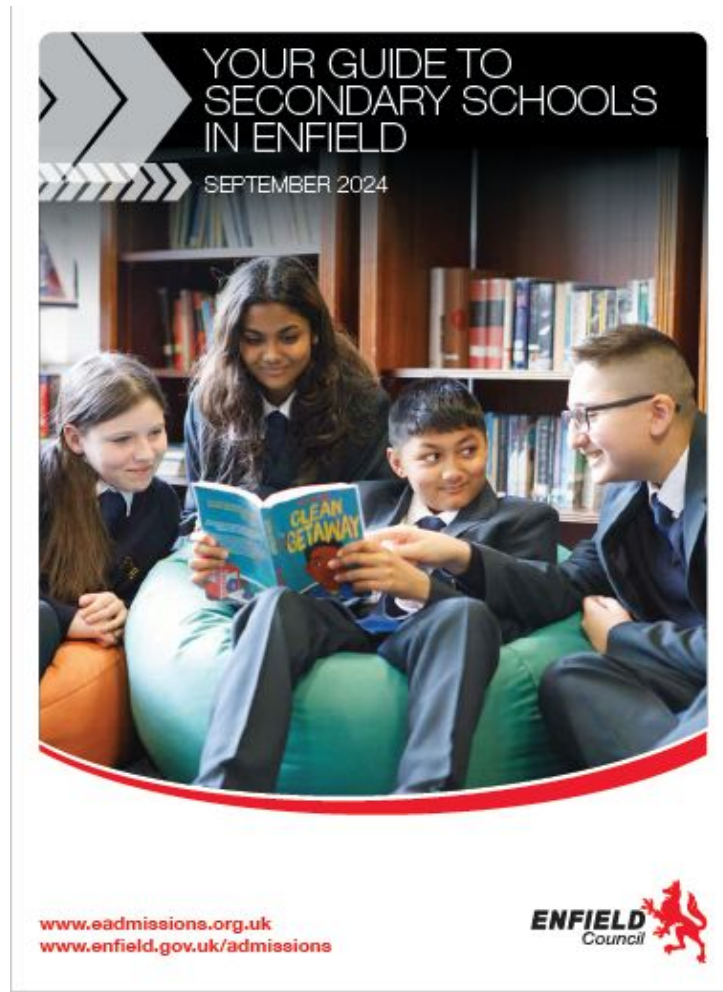
# Enfield Schools - What happened this year

The furthest distance places were offered for admission in September 2023 on national offer day (1 March 2023). Please see the information booklet for further details about all schools in Enfield.



- ARK John Keats - 0.244 miles
- Chace Community – 3.117 miles
- Edmonton County - 1.844 miles
- Enfield Grammar – 2.964 miles
- Heron Hall - 2.585 miles
- Highlands - 0.851 miles
- Kingsmead - 0.889 miles
- Southgate – 2.459 miles
- Winchmore – 0.751 miles

# Things to remember...



- Find out more about all the schools you are interested in, especially those in your local area.
- Check out school websites for up to date information about opportunities to visit – open evenings are planned but schools may have to make changes at short notice.
- Look at the pattern of admissions in previous years and criteria.
- Distance counts for many schools and will often be a deciding factor if there are more applications than places available.

# Things to remember

- If you are considering schools outside Enfield, look at other authority websites for details
- Check if you need to complete a supplementary information form
- Complete all applications in full
- Nominating only one school will not improve your chance of getting a place.





# Things to remember

- Make an informed decision. Consider first hand, accurate and up to date information
- Speak to your child's primary school
- Be realistic.





# Timetable

<b>September – Early October</b>	Primary schools hold meetings for Parents to explain the process.
<b>September – October</b>	Secondary School Open Evenings (please advise parents to check school websites to ensure the open evening is taking place)
<b>31 October 2023</b>	National Closing Date for Secondary Transfer Applications – the latest that applications can be submitted on-time via the online portal. Last date for any changes of preference.
<b>8<sup>th</sup> November 2023</b>	Final date for any changes of preference
<b>End of November</b>	Primary schools will be advised when they can check on SAM for confirmation of the applications received.
<b>25- 28 February 2024</b>	Primary schools will receive an initial list detailing the allocations made to schools. Allocations will also be available to view on SAM.
<b>1 March 2024</b>	Emails sent to parents advising them of the outcome of their application. Parents applying online will be able to access the outcome during the evening of 1 March. Letters posted when an online application has not been made
<b>16 March 2024</b>	LA will request pupil data from primary schools to be returned by 28 April. Secondary schools will receive this w/b 15 May 2024.
<b>April – Mid June</b>	Appeals for secondary schools taking place.
<b>Early July 2024 – dates to be determined</b>	Secondary Transition Days when the year 6 children will attend their secondary school for a day
<b>18 August 2024</b>	Last date for parents to make an online application via eAdmissions

# Any questions?

Friday 22nd September 3:30pm - support with applying on the eadmissions website.

