

Transfer to secondary school 2018 Information for Year 6 parents

Please find below a summary of key information which should be read in conjunction with the Admission to Kingston's Secondary Schools 2018 brochure, available on the Council's website at <u>www.kingston.gov.uk</u>

Key dates

School open evenings and days			
Start on Thursday 28 September for Kingston schools. See full details below.			
Closing Date			
Tuesday 31 October 2017	You must submit your application form and any supplementary information forms by this date.		
National Offer Day	You will be sent the outcome of your application by email during the evening of Thursday 1 March 2018.		
	If you apply on a paper form you will be sent the outcome of your application by first class post on Thursday 1 March 2018 .		
	You must accept or decline your offer by Thursday 15 March 2018 , either through the eAdmissions system if you applied online, or on the reply slip if you applied on paper.		

The application process

Please ensure that you read the complete Admission to Kingston's Secondary Schools brochure online at <u>www.kingston.gov.uk</u>

Apply online at <u>www.eAdmissions.org.uk</u>

Your application will be managed by the Council's School Admissions service where you live (eg if you live in in the Royal Borough of Kingston, this is your home council).

- You can apply for up to six schools, academies or free schools (state-funded schools) in the Kingston borough and in other council areas.
- You must list the schools in the order that you prefer them. The order of preference is important as it will decide which school is offered if your child qualifies for a place at more than one school.
- Each school considers your child's application against its admission criteria **only** and not according to your order of preference.

- The order of preference in which you list your schools is **confidential**. Schools are **not** told the preference order in which you have listed them.
- You should check if you need to complete a supplementary information form for the schools you are applying for. If the school is outside Kingston borough, please refer to the relevant local authority or contact the school (contact details for neighbouring authorities can be found in the Admissions brochure).
- For more details on the schools' admissions criteria, please refer to the school's individual website.

All of the above points are covered in the Admission to Kingston's Secondary Schools brochure in a step by step guide which you can find on the Kingston website <u>www.kingston.gov.uk</u>

If you require any additional support or advice please phone School Admissions on 020 8547 4610 to speak to a member of the team.

The phone lines are open on Monday to Friday from 8.45am to 2.30pm and between 4.00 and 5.00pm (4.45pm on Friday).

Open events for Kingston's secondary schools for admission in September 2018

School	Open Evening 2017	Daytime Tours
Chessington Community College	Thursday 28	Daytime tours available
www.chessingtoncommunitycollege.co.uk	September 6.15 to 9.00pm	by appointment
Coombe Boys' School	Wednesday 11	Daytime tours Friday 13
www.coombeboysschool.org	October	and Wednesday 19
	6.30 to 9.00pm	October 9.00 to 10.00am
Coombe Girls' School	Wednesday 4	Open morning Thursday
www.coombegirlsschool.org	October 6.00 to 9.00pm	5 October from 9.30 to 11.00am
The Hollyfield School	Thursday 5 October	Tuesdays and Fridays,
www.hollyfield.kingston.sch.uk	6.00 to 9.00pm	3 to 20 October (except 6 October) at 9.15am and 11.05am
The Holy Cross School	Monday 2 October	School day tours will be
www.holycross.kingston.sch.uk	5.30 to 8.00pm	available to book. Please contact the school for further information
The Kingston Academy	Thursday 12 October	School tours which can
www.thekingstonacademy.org	5.00 to 8.00pm	be booked by contacting the school office
Richard Challoner School	Thursday 5 October	Open morning Thursday
www.richardchalloner.com	6.00 to 8.30pm	19 October, 9.15am Please call the school for an appointment
Southborough High School	Wednesday 4	Open days - Friday 6,
www.southborough.kingston.sch.uk	October	Monday 9, Tuesday 10
	6.30pm onwards	and Wednesday
		11 October. Please call
		the school for the times of tours
Tolworth Girls' School	Wednesday 11	Open weeks Monday 9
www.tolworthgirlsschool.co.uk	October	to Friday 20 October.
	6.00 to 8.30pm	Tours of the school will
		take place during the
		mornings at 8.40am, 9.40am and 11.10am.
		(No tours will take place
		on Wednesday 11
		October) Please call the
		school to book a tour