



Wavell Community Primary School

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Admissions Policy for the Academic Year 2024-2025

Decisions about admissions are made by the School Governors.

The Admissions Policy for Wavell Community Primary School as agreed by the Governing Body is as follows:

Children may be admitted to the Nursery class the day after their third birthday. They initially have a taster session with their parents in attendance and then attend the Nursery on a full-time basis which can be 30 hours a week (6 hours per day) or part time at 15 hours a week (3 hours per day).

For children who will be five between 1st September and the 31st August, there will be the opportunity to begin school in September as a full-time pupil.

After a year in the Foundation Stage 2 class the children will then spend two years in Key Stage 1 as Year 1 and Year 2 children. All Foundation Stage 2 children will attend for familiarisation sessions during the second half of the summer term; prior to their entry to the school.

Planned Admissions Limit

Our maximum admission limit for 2024-2025 is 60.

Criteria for Admission when oversubscribed

Preference will be given in accordance with the criteria for admission set out below in order of priority up to the Planned Admissions Limit and Inclusion element:

Priority for admission to Wavell Community Primary School will be in the following order:

- First, children with a Statement of Special Educational Needs naming the school concerned
- Second, children who are recommended by the Director of Social Services, including children in the care of the Local Authority, or by the appropriate Designated Medical Officer Note: We will only consider applications in this category if they are supported by a recommendation from a doctor, social worker or other appropriate professional which says that it is essential for the children to go to the preferred school and no other.
- Third, children from homes with poor housing conditions or overcrowding, or from a background which could affect the child's normal educational development. Note: this should be supported by the recommendation of a doctor, social worker or other professional.

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- Fourth, after the priority admissions shown above have been made, admission will then be made from children within the normal area of the school, giving priority to the oldest children first.
- Fifth, children from outside the school's normal area, giving priority to those whose home is nearest to school first. The Admissions Policy will be reviewed at the first Governors' meeting of each academic year.

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