

GREAT BRADFORDS JUNIOR SCHOOL

ADMISSIONS POLICY

Adopted: Autumn 2020 for admissions from September 2022



Together we learn; together we grow

Admissions and Oversubscription Criteria

This Policy has been written based on the Primary Education in Essex Guidance, a copy of which can be found at www.essex.gov.uk/admissions

Policy and numbers

The published admission number is 90.

There is no guarantee of a place for children living in the priority admission area. In the event of oversubscription places will be allocated using the following criteria in the order given:

1. Looked after children and previously looked after children
2. children with a sibling attending the school or Great Bradfords Infant & Nursery School;
3. children living in the priority admission area;
4. remaining applications.

In the event of oversubscription within any of the above criteria, priority will be determined by straight line distance from home to school, those living closest being given the highest priority.

For children joining our school in September, there will be a series of meetings arranged during the Summer Term aimed at parents who do not know the school, where we will talk to you about general issues such as uniform and policies/practices and there will also be opportunity for you to meet with your child's new class teacher. This will enable you to raise any specific issues/concerns. Arrangements are made with the Infant School for your child to visit the Junior School during the Summer Term, so that things are familiar before joining in September.

For in-year applications, all admissions to our school, are applied for via Essex County Council School Admissions at www.essex.gov.uk/admissions

As soon as a place has been confirmed, you should contact the school, in order to make arrangements for you to visit us and discuss any specific arrangements for your child.