

Important information about applying for a Wandsworth Secondary School



- The Wandsworth Year 6 Test is held in September (see page 2 for details)
- The specialist tests for Ashcroft Technology Academy, Chestnut Grove Academy and Saint Cecilia's Church of England School are also in September (see back page for details)
- School open days and evenings are held in June, July, September and October (see pages 3 and 4 for details)

**REGISTER FOR THE WANDSWORTH YEAR 6 TEST ONLINE
FROM 2 JULY TO 7 SEPTEMBER 2018**



Applying for a Wandsworth

SECONDARY SCHOOL

**The Wandsworth Year 6 Test will be held
in September 2018 for children starting
secondary school in 2019**

Children not attending a Wandsworth state primary school must be registered online between 2 July and 7 September 2018 to be invited to a test session in September.

**To register and for further information visit
www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions**

Open days and evenings at Wandsworth Secondary Schools

Summer Term

Ark Putney Academy

Tours throughout the Summer Term by appointment only. Contact j.white@arkputneyacademy.org

Ashcroft Technology Academy	Wednesday 27 June Thursday 28 June	9am - 11am* 9am - 11am*	(* by appointment only)
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Bolingbroke Academy	None		
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Burntwood School	Thursday 5 July	8.45am - 11am	
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Chestnut Grove Academy	Thursday 28 June Monday 9 July	9am - 10.45am 9am - 10.45am	
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Ernest Bevin College	Tuesday 19 June Thursday 21 June	9am - 11am 9am - 11am	
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Graveney School	Thursday 28 June	9.30am - 12.30pm	
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Harris Academy Battersea	Monday 2 July Wednesday 4 July	9am - 11am 9am - 11am	
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Saint Cecilia's Church of England School	Wednesday 20 June	9am - 12noon	
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St John Bosco College	Monday 18 June Thursday 5 July	9am - 11am 9am - 11am	
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Southfields Academy	Tuesday 3 July Wednesday 4 July Tuesday 12 July	8.45am - 10.30am 8.45am - 10.30am 8.45am - 10.30am	
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Tours throughout the Summer Term by appointment only.
Contact Sean.French@southfieldsacademy.com

Autumn Term

Ark Putney Academy Saturday 29 September: Tours between 9am and 11am by appointment only. Contact j.white@arkputneyacademy.org or 020 8788 3421.	Monday 24 September	9am - 10.45am
	Monday 24 September	5pm - 8pm
	Tuesday 25 September	9am - 10.45am
	Wednesday 26 September	9am - 10.45am
	Thursday 27 September	9am - 10.45am
Ashcroft Technology Academy	Tuesday 11 September	6pm - 8pm
	Thursday 13 September	9am - 11am*
	Friday 14 September	9am - 11am* (* by appointment only)
Bolingbroke Academy	Thursday 11 October	5.15pm - 7.15pm
	Saturday 13 October	9.30am - 12.30pm
Burntwood School	Wednesday 26 September	6pm - 8pm
	Tuesday 9 October	8.45am - 11am
Chestnut Grove Academy	Tuesday 18 September	9am - 10.45am
	Thursday 27 September	5pm - 8pm
	Wednesday 10 October	9am - 10.45am
Ernest Bevin College	Tuesday 25 September	5.30pm - 8pm
	Monday 1 October	9am - 11am
	Wednesday 3 October	9am - 11am
	Friday 5 October	9am - 11am
Graveney School	Wednesday 10 October	9.30am - 12.30pm
	Thursday 11 October	9.30am - 12.30pm
	Thursday 11 October	5.30pm - 8.30pm
Harris Academy Battersea	Monday 17 September	9am - 11am
	Wednesday 19 September	9am - 11am
	Thursday 20 September	5pm - 7.30pm
Saint Cecilia's Church of England School	Monday 17 September	9am - 12noon
	Thursday 20 September	6.30pm - 8.30pm
	Monday 15 October	9am - 12noon
St John Bosco College	Monday 17 September	9am - 11am
	Wednesday 19 September	4.30pm - 7.30pm
	Thursday 27 September	9am - 11am
	Saturday 6 October	9am - 11am
	Monday 15 October	9am - 11am
Southfields Academy Weeks commencing 8 October and 15 October: Tours by appointment only. Contact Sean.French@southfieldsacademy.com or 020 8875 2661.	Wednesday 12 September	8.45am - 10.30am
	Thursday 13 September	8.45am - 10.30am
	Friday 21 September	8.45am - 10.30am
	Friday 28 September	8.45am - 10.30am
	Thursday 4 October	5.30pm - 7.30pm
	Monday 8 October	8.45am - 10.30am

Applying for a secondary school - get all the facts

The **Choose a Wandsworth Secondary School** brochure tells you what you need to know if you are applying for your child to start Year 7 in a Wandsworth secondary school in September 2019. The guide has the facts about the Wandsworth Year 6 Test and about any significant changes to admission criteria.

The **Choose a Wandsworth Secondary School** brochure will be available to parents when school commences in September. You can download an electronic copy from www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions.

How the admissions process works

Your child takes the Wandsworth Year 6 Test	Parents of children in a school outside of Wandsworth, an independent school or who are educated otherwise must register online at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions between 2 July and 7 September 2018.
Your child takes any relevant specialist aptitude tests	Applicants for a specialist place at Ascroft Technology Academy, Chestnut Grove Academy and Saint Cecilia's Church of England School must submit the Supplementary Information Form and take the relevant test. See page 6.
You can apply for any state school in any area on one form.	Apply to the council in whose area you live. You can apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk . If you cannot apply online you can use a paper form available from your local council. You can apply for up to 6 state schools. You must list them in your order of preference.
Your application form must be received by 31 October 2018.	We strongly advise you to submit your application so that we receive it by Friday 19 October 2018 . This is the Friday before the half-term holiday. If any of the schools you apply for are in other boroughs, Wandsworth Council will pass the details to the other borough councils. If you live in another borough and apply for any Wandsworth schools, your council will pass the details to Wandsworth Council.
We will offer you a place in one school only.	Children will be considered separately for each school using the published admission criteria to decide whether or not they can be offered a place. Schools will not be told which other schools you have applied for, or the order in which you prefer them. Before places are offered, Wandsworth Council will check whether your child can be offered a place at more than one of the schools you applied for. If you have applied for schools in other boroughs, we will also check with those councils whether your child can be offered a place. If your child can be offered a place in more than one school, you will be offered a place at whichever one of these schools you said you would most prefer.
We will send you the outcome on 1 March 2019.	Wandsworth Council, or your local council if you live elsewhere, will notify you of the outcome of your application on 1 March 2019 . If you apply online you will receive the outcome by email during the evening of 1 March. If you are not offered a place at a school of your preference, your child will be placed on a waiting list. You have the right to appeal against the decision to refuse a place.

Apply online from 1 September 2018 at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions or www.eadmissions.org.uk

Do you want to find out more about the admissions process?

You are invited to attend one of the council's information evenings where the Pupil Services team will explain the process and answer questions.

Wednesday 5 September at 7pm and Thursday 6 September at 7pm
Civic Suite, Wandsworth Town Hall, Wandsworth High Street, SW18 2PU.

The meeting will end around 8.15pm. Due to the numbers involved, child supervision will not be available. Please do not bring children unless they are able to sit with you throughout the meeting. You should also attend any meeting arranged by your child's primary school.

Apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk from 1 September until 31 October 2018 and you will be sent a confirmation email.

If you cannot apply online, request a paper form from your council and return it by 31 October 2018. You will be sent an acknowledgement.

We strongly advise you to submit your application so that we receive it by **Friday 19 October 2018**. This is the Friday before the half-term holiday.

Are you applying for a specialist place in a Wandsworth secondary school?

If you want to apply for a specialist place in a Wandsworth school you will need to obtain the appropriate Supplementary Information Form (SIF) from the school, complete it and **return it to the school by the date shown on the form**. Testing will take place in September and parents will be advised of the test results before the closing date for the submission of online applications or the receipt of the Common Application Form.

Ashcroft Technology Academy – 24 specialist places in Technology

Return the SIF: by 14 September 2018

Date of test: 1 October 2018

Chestnut Grove Academy – up to 30 specialist places each in Art & Design and Modern Foreign Languages

Return the SIF: by 7 September 2018

Date of tests: 15 September 2018

Saint Cecilia's Church of England School – 8 Foundation and 7 Open specialist places in Music

Return the SIF: by 7 September 2018

Date of test: Preliminary assessment 21 September 2018 and final assessment 28 September 2018

If you have questions about this leaflet please call (020) 8871 7316.