Applying to start primary school 2019

Information about admissions arrangements

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This document is designed to help guide parents and carers who are resident in the Lewisham borough through the admission process for starting primary school in September 2019. This information is also available online at www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryadmissions.

If you have any questions about the admissions process, call the Admissions Team on 020 8314 8282 (Monday–Friday, 9am–12 noon) or email schooladmissions@lewisham.gov.uk.

Information provided in this document is subject to change by the Government or the Schools Adjudicator. Any amendments will be published at www.lewisham.gov.uk/admissions.

Contact: Admissions and Appeals Team, Laurence House, Catford SE6 4RU.
Tel: 020 8314 8282 (lines are open Tuesday–Thursday, 9am–1pm). Email: schooladmissions@lewisham.gov.uk

Who this information is for

The information is intended for residents of the Lewisham borough only. If your child lives outside the borough, you are welcome to apply for schools in Lewisham but must do so through your local council.

Children with an education health care plan

If your child has an education health care plan (EHCP), you need to follow a different admissions process. For more information, call the Children with Complex Needs Team on 020 3049 1475.

Useful websites

All you need to know about applying to start primary school in the Lewisham borough
www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryadmissions

Find out about primary schools in the borough and which are closest to you
www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryschools

Apply online for primary school places
www.eadmissions.org.uk

Apply online

Appy online for admission to primary schools at www.eadmissions.org.uk. The benefits of applying online are:

- it only takes a few minutes
- you will get an email confirmation saying your application has been received
- the system helps you by checking for errors
- there is no risk that your application will get lost in the post or arrive late
- you can change your preferences of school up until the closing date
- your details are held securely
- after 5pm on 16 April 2019, you will get an email saying where your child has been offered a place.

After you submit your application, you will get a reference number that will be similar to this: 209-2019-09-E-002009. If you do not get a number, your application has not been submitted.

Important dates

Important dates for the admission process for children starting primary school in Lewisham in September 2019.

Applications

Applications open (apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk)	Saturday 1 September 2018
Closing date for applications To be returned direct to the school	Tuesday 15 January 2019 (we recommend you submit your application by Friday 4 January 2019)
Closing date for supplementary information forms (if needed) – to be returned to the school directly	Tuesday 15 January 2019
Closing date for 'late for good reason' applications and those who have changed address since 15 January 2019	Sunday 9 February 2019

Offers

Application results If you applied online, you will get an email after 5pm telling you where your child has been offered a place. If you applied by post, or have not been offered a place, we will send your results by first class post on 16 April 2019. First class post does not guarantee next-day delivery.	Tuesday 16 April 2019
Deadline for accepting your offer If you applied online, you must accept the offer online. If you filled in paper application, you should return the acceptance slip to us.	Tuesday 30 April 2019

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Appeals

Closing date for lodging an appeal for a community school Admissions authorities of other schools may set the same or a later deadline	Friday 10 May 2019
Appeal hearings If you submit an appeal after Friday 10 May 2019, it may not be heard until the start of the academic year in September 2019.	June/July 2019

Applying for a Reception place

We coordinate applications for Reception class places in primary schools in the Lewisham borough.

You must apply for a primary school place through your local council. If you live outside the borough, you must apply through your local authority.

If you are applying under the religious criteria for a place at a faith school, you must complete a supplementary information form and return it to the school directly by Tuesday 15 January 2019. You can download a supplementary information form from the school's website.

Primary school starting age

Children who live in the borough permanently and were born between 1 September 2014 and 31 August 2015 are eligible to start Reception full-time in September 2019.

Deciding which primary schools to apply for

You can apply for up to six mainstream state primary schools, which can be in or outside the Lewisham borough. As it is not always possible to offer every child a place at one of their preferred schools, we suggest you research a range of schools, including the ones closest to your home address before you submit your application.

Most schools in the borough will be oversubscribed, so we recommend you look at your nearest schools (both faith and non-faith schools). We also advise you to use all six preferences and not restrict your application. A list of the primary schools in the borough, including contact details, age ranges and number of places available starts at page 12.

To find out more about primary schools in the borough and see which are nearest to your home, visit www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryschools.

Visiting schools

Before deciding which schools you want to apply for, you should visit the school to meet the staff, see the facilities and opportunities available. Headteachers will be pleased to show you around the school and answer your questions. Contact schools directly to arrange your visit.

Admissions criteria

When a school is oversubscribed – meaning they get more applications than there are places available – we apply the school's admissions criteria to decide which children qualify for a place. It is important that you read the admissions criteria for the schools you want to apply for, to see if your child is likely to qualify for a place.

Most primary schools in Lewisham and neighbouring boroughs are expected to receive more applications than there are places available. Limiting the number of schools you list on your application can limit the chance of your getting an offer from one of your prefered schools.

Do not include fee-paying (independent) schools or special needs schools on your application as they have a separate applications process.

Children of staff

A small number of primary schools will give priority to children whose parent is employed at the school. Please read the school's definition of 'children of staff' to make sure your child qualifies under this criterion and you complete the relevant information on the online application. This policy does not apply to community schools in Lewisham.

Crown servants

Families of UK service personnel or Crown Servants returning from overseas to live in the borouch can apply for a school place while their child does not live in the borough. When you apply you must also submit an

official letter from the relevant government department that says the relocation date and/or unit postal address, quartering area address or family home address. You should give us your relocation address so we can allocate places fairly and in accordance with the school's admissions criteria.

You must tell us about any changes to your planned address during the application process. If you can't provide confirmation of a relocation address, we will not be able to process your application. If you do not qualify under this criterion, do not tick this box on the application form as it may delay your application being processed.

Applicants from overseas

Apart from Crown Servants returning from overseas, we will not process applications from overseas until you live permenantly in the borough.

Admissions criteria for community schools

Admissions criteria are applied when the school receives more applications than there are places available. Community schools in the borough use the same admissions criteria (see below). Voluntary-aided schools, foundation schools, free schools and academies have their own criteria for deciding which children to admit. You can find the full admissions policy, annual intake and other information about each of the schools in the borough on the school's websites. See page 12 for contact details of primary schools in the borough.

Admissions policy for community schools

For the exact legal wording of the criteria, read our determined admissions policy at www.lewisham.gov.uk/admissionscriteria.

When a community school in the borough is oversubscribed for the Reception class in September 2019, we will use the following criteria and offer places to:

1. Looked-after children

We will offer places to looked-after children, or children who were previously looked after but, immediately after being looked after, became subject to an adoption order, child arrangements or a special guardianship order.

A looked-after child is a child who is:

- in the care of a local authority, or
- being provided with accommodation by a local authority.

Confirmation of a child's looked-after status must be supplied by the allocated social worker or foster carer with the application, along with a copy of the adoption order, care order or special guardianship order.

Children who were adopted from overseas do not qualify under this criterion.

2. Medical or social need

In exceptional circumstances, we can admit a child to a school where they would not normally qualify for a place on the grounds of their, or their family's, severe medical or social need.

When you apply, you must include a letter from a hospital consultant, social worker or similar professional, saying why the school is the only one to meet your child's needs. You must submit this evidence along with your application before the closing date.

We will make a decision about admission in consultation with a panel of teaching and medical professionals. The medical professional gives advice about applications made for medical reasons, and teaching professionals advise on applications made for social or special reasons.

3. Siblings

We will offer places to children whose brother or sister attends the school on the closing date for applications, and will still be attending the school at the intended date of admission (or the junior school in the case of separate infant and junior schools, this applies to: Sandhurst Infant and Junior Schools, Stillness Infant and Junior Schools and Torridon Infant and Junior Schools).

The younger child does not qualify for sibling priority if their older sibling will have transferred from Year 6 to secondary school by the time the younger child is admitted.

Who is a sibling

Siblings must all live at the same address as the child applying. You may need to provide proof of the sibling relationship. Siblings include:

- all blood and adoptive siblings
- half-siblings
- foster siblings of looked-after children
- step-siblings.

If schools are oversubscribed entirely with siblings

If schools are oversubscribed entirely with siblings, priority will be given to:

- those with exceptional social and medical need, and
- to those living nearest the school.

4. Distance to school

We offer places to children who live nearest to the school. We measure distances from a central point in the school premises, using digital mapping software of the area, to a point in your permanent home address. If more than one applicant lives in a multi-occupancy building, such as flats, we will give priority to the applicant whose door number is the lowest (numerically or alphabetically).

Twins, triplets and other multiple births

If twins, triplets or children from other multiple births qualify for the last school place to be allocated, we will admit all of the qualifying siblings.

Tie break

On rare occasions where two or more identical applicants qualify for the last available place, we will draw lots to decide which child is offered the place.

Waiting lists

You cannot be added to the waiting list for a lower preference school than the one you were offered, unless we (or the home local authority) have agreed to your request to change the order of preferences. If we have agreed to change your preference order, we will withdraw your original application, including any offers we have made, and you will need to apply again.

Waiting lists for our community schools include children who have moved to the borough after the application closing date and were therefore unable to apply on time. Waiting lists will be held in criteria order, and children's names may go up, as well as down, a list as new applicants are added.

The admissions process continues until the end of the summer term 2019. If you apply for reception class after the end of the summer term 2019, your application will be considered as in-year applications.

Waiting lists will be held for the first term of the reception year only (until the end of December 2019). If you want to apply for a school place after this, you must make an in-year application.

Deferring a place

If your child is offered a place to start in the Reception class starting in September 2019, you can defer taking the place until later in the same school year.

Alternatively, your child can attend school part time until they reach compulsory school age (the term following their fifth birthday).

Before you decide if you want to defer your child's admission, or request that they attend the Reception class part time, you should speak to the headteacher of the school you have been offered and discuss what support is available to help your child participate fully in school life. You should arrange deferred admission or part-time placement with the headteacher of the school concerned. In these circumstances, we will hold your child's school place during the academic year.

Delayed entry to Reception class for summer-born children

If your child is born in summer (between 1 April and 31 August), you can request that your child is admitted to the Reception class the following academic year and be educated 'out of cohort'. You need to apply for delayed admission and include information detailing why a delayed admission it is in your child's best interests. We will decide whether or not to agree to your request for delayed admission to community schools in the borough. For faith schools, free schools, foundation schools and academies and schools outside the borough, the decision is taken by the governing body for the school.

You can download the application form to request starting school out of cohort at www.lewisham.gov.uk/summerborn.

We will consider your request to delay your summer-born child's entry to a community school until they reach compulsory school age and be admitted to Reception class, rather than Year 1 with children of the same age range. This means that a summer-born child would not start school at all during the academic year after their fourth birthday.

Before deciding to request to delay your child's admission, you should first contact the school(s) you are interested in applying for. They will be able to explain the provision on offer to children in Reception class, how it is tailored to meet the needs of all children, including those born during the summer months, and how those needs will continue to be met as children move up through the school. They may also be able to reassure you about any concerns you may have about your child's readiness for school.

We consider each child's circumstances on a case-by-case basis and make a decision in the best interests of the child.

School admission authorities are not required to honour a decision made by another admission authority. This means you need to get approval from all your preferred schools to delay your child's admission before you apply. The admission

authority must seek the views of the headteacher of the school concerned. You will get a response in writing to your request before the primary national offer day. If you request is denied, it will explain why.

If we comply with your request to allow your child to participate in the admissions scheme late, you must agree that your child will transfer to primary school with the later cohort, regardless of the outcome of your application. You must not have participated in the transfer scheme the year before.

You must consider the implications of a delayed transfer. Headteachers of primary schools are not required to continue to keep your child out of year group. This means they may later decide to educate your child in the correct year.

You can find guidance about applying for delayed admission, and the application form, at www.lewisham.gov.uk/summerborn.

Applying for early admission

In very exceptional circumstances, we will consider a request for early admission to Reception for children born after 31 August 2015.

In your application, you can include support from the headteacher of your child's nursery or early years setting, or an educational psychologist providing evidence that your child is academically outstanding and sufficiently physically and emotionally mature to cope with the demands of primary school.

If we comply with your request to allow your child to participate in the admissions scheme early, you need to agree that your child will transfer to primary school with the earlier cohort, regardless of the outcome of your application, and you will not qualify to participate in the admissions scheme the following year.

Later admission

In very exceptional circumstances, we will consider a request for late admission to Reception for children born born before 1 September 2013.

In your application, you can include support the headteacher of your child's nursery or early years setting, or an educational psychologist providing evidence that your child has learning delay or difficulty, and their social maturity is well below that of their peers.

If we comply with your request to allow your child to participate in the admissions scheme late, you need to agree that your child will transfer to primary school with the later cohort, regardless of the outcome of your application. You must not have participated in the transfer scheme the year before.

The implications of applying early or late

You must consider the implications of starting Reception early or late. Hadteachers of primary schools are not required to continue to keep the child out of year group. This means they may decide to later educate your child in the correct year.

How the preference system works

When you apply for primary school places, you can put up to six schools on your application. You need to list the schools in preference order. Your chance of being offered a school you have applied for will not increase if you apply for fewer schools.

It is very important to list the schools in the order you would prefer your child to go to them. We will use your preferences to allocated school places.

How preferences work

You are offered one school place on national offer day. If your child qualifies for a place at more than one school on your list, we will offer you a place at the school that comes highest on your list of preferences.

If we can't offer you a place at one of the schools you applied for, we will offer you a place at a school that has vacancies.

Examples of the preference system

- Child A has applied for six schools. The child does not qualify for a place at the first or second preference school, but does qualify for a place at their third preference school. The third preference school is offered to the child on national offer day. The fourth, fifth and sixth preference schools are 'settled' as they were ranked lower on the list. The child stays on the waiting list of their first and second preference schools and they will get the right of appeal.
- Child B has applied for six schools. The schools are oversubscribed and the child does not qualify for a place at any of them. We tell the parent of the outcome and about their right of appeal. We offer a place at a school in Lewisham where there is a vacancy as an alternative. The child stays on the waiting lists for their preferred schools.

- Child C has applied for six schools and can be offered a place at their first preference school on national offer day. All of the other schools named on the list are 'settled'. The child has an older brother at their third preference school and, after national offer day, the parent wants the child to go to that school instead. Because the parent has gone through the admission process and secured a place at a higher preference school, they can't submit a further application or change the order of their applications until the start of school. The parent will need to complete an in-year application in September.
- Child D has applied for six schools, all outside the borough, but does not qualify for a place at any of them. We offer the parent a place at a school where there is a vacancy, and tell them about their right to appeal. However, the parent wants their child to go to a school close to their home, which they hadn't applied for. The school is oversubscribed and has not been able to offer all applicants a place. This means child D can't apply for a place at the school close to their home until the start of school. The parent will need to complete an in-year application in September.

How to apply

You need to apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk. You can find a step-by-step guide to applying online at www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryadmissions. There is also an eAdmissions tutorial fand FAQ, which you can access before you register onto the online system.

When you start your application, the system will automatically identify your local council from your postcode. Your local council will get an electronic copy of your application. Make sure your home address and postcode are correct.

The deadline for applications is 11.59pm on 15 January 2019.

If your address isn't recognised

If your address is not recognised by the eAdmissions website, or you live in a new development, call us on 020 8314 8282 or email schooladmissions@lewisham.gov.uk.

Parental responsibility

The person completing the application must be the child's parent (including adoptive parents) or the person with legal parental responsibility. We cannot accept applications from a grandparent or other family member unless they have legal parental responsibility.

Proof of parental responsibility

You must provide evidence of your parental responsibility when you apply for a school place, you. You should scan and upload the most recent copy of one of the below, confirming you and your child's name:

- child benefit
- child tax credit
- child tax fund letter.

If you can't provide one of these documents, contact us for advice.

If you are not the child's parent

If you are applying for a school place but are not the child's parent, you need to include a letter explaining what your relationship is to the child and why you are applying instead of the parent. You must also provide a legal document to prove you have parental responsibility.

Evidence of permanent home address

The address you give must be the child's permanent home address. When you apply, you need to provide evidence of your home address. This should be a:

- 2019/20 council tax statement
- tenancy agreement or solicitor's letter confirming house purchase.

If you don't have these, contact us for advice.

We may check our records, as well as those of other external agencies, to confirm a child's permanent home address.

Giving a false address

Sometimes parents rent a property close to a popular school or apply from a relative's address to increase the likelihood of their child gaining admission. If you give a false address and we make an offer on the basis of fraudulent information, we will withdraw the offer of a place.

Children whose parents don't live together

If parents who are not living together share the care of their child equally, we usually accept that the child lives with the parent who has parental responsibility and who gets child benefit and/or child tax credit. You need to provide evidence of this as it may affect your child's application.

Submitting your application

Once you have completed your application, you need to submit it. Before you submit your application, make sure all of the information is correct, including your home address and contact details. You will also need to:

- read the declaration carefully
- scan and upload your proof of parental responsibility and permanent home address.

Do not send original documents to us as we do not have the resources to return them.

Supplementary information forms for primary schools

Some primary schools in the borough need you to complete their supplementary information form, as well as naming the school on your application.

You can get supplementary information forms from the school directly or from the school's website. You must return it to them by 15 January 2019.

Each of these schools require you to complete a supplementary information form:

- All Saint's CE Primary
- Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School
- Holy Cross Catholic Primary School
- Holy Trinity CE Primary School
- Our Lady and St Philip Neri Catholic Primary School
- St Augustine's Catholic Primary School
- St Bartholomew's CE Primary School
- St George's CE Primary School
- St James Hatcham CE Primary School
- St John Baptist CE Primary School
- St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
- St Margaret's Lee CE Primary School
- St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary School
- St Mary's CE Primary School
- St Matthew Academy
- St Michaels' CE Primary School
- St Saviour's Roman Catholic Primary School
- St Stephen's CE Primary School
- St William of York Catholic Primary School
- St Winifred's Catholic Infant School
- Trinity Church of England School, Lewisham

Last year's application and appeals rates

This table shows how we allocated primary school places in 2018 under each admissions criterion.

These application and appeal numbers are for 2018 and provided as a guide only. Applications for admission in September 2019 are likely to be different.

For the distance criterion, we measured distances electronically in metres using a straight line from the applicant's home to a point within the school premises.

For precise home-to-school measurements for schools in other boroughs, contact the council for that borough directly.

	Number of places offered under each criterion								
Name of school	Published admissions number (bulge class in brackets)	Number of applicants who named the school as one of their preferences	Children in public care	Children with exceptional medical or social need	Siblings on roll	Distance from school of last child offered a place (metres)	Children with SEN statement	Number of appeals heard in the summer of 2018	Successful appeals in the summer of 2018
Adamsrill	90	219	0	0	32	1,2664.36	0	0	0
Ashmead	60	231	0	0	8	1,721.03	0	0	0
Athelney*	60	117	1	0	28	3,406.31	0	0	0
Baring	30	173	0	0	17	375.45	0	0	0
Beecroft Garden	60	431	1	1	21	432.83	1	0	0
Brindishe Green*	90	376	0	0	38	638.21	0	0	0
Brindishe Lee	30	375	0	0	13	310	0	1	0
Brindishe Manor	60	365	2	0	32	370.71	1	0	0

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Childeric	60	157	0	0	32	3,233.08	0	0	0
Coopers Lane	90	211	2	0	42	770.56	0	0	0
Dalmain	60	352	0	1	21	1,136.16	0	0	0
Deptford Park	90	134	0	0	22	5,534.33	0	0	0
Downderry	60	238	0	0	24	757.39	1	1	0
Edmund Waller	60	212	1	0	28	651.63	0	0	0
Elfrida	60	106	0	0	24	3,012.18	0	0	0
Eliot Bank	60	286	0	0	32	462.08	0	2	0
Fairlawn	60	332	0	0	20	824.19	0	1	0
Forster Park	90	159	0	0	39	10,030.6	0	1	0
Gordonbrock	90	315	0	0	39	852.74	0	0	0
Grinling Gibbons	30	172	0	0	12	682.42	0	0	0
Haseltine	60	241	5	0	29	671.15	0	0	0
Holbeach	90	197	0	0	19	2,511.95	0	0	0
Horniman	30	235	2	0	12	418	0	0	0
John Ball	90	360	4	0	35	929.79	0	4	0
John Stainer	60	301	0	0	18	553.26	0	1	0
Kelvin Grove	90	214	0	0	32	3,511.01	0	0	0
Kender	60	142	0	0	26	2463.78	0	0	0
Kilmorie	90	397	0	1	41	420.79	0	0	0
Launcelot	60	104	0	0	20	3,781.26	0	0	0
Lucas Vale	60	186	1	0	20	1,964.92	0	0	0
Marvels Lane	60	94	0	0	19	7,287.82	0	0	0
Myatt Garden	60	227	0	0	19	1,103	0	0	0
Perrymount	30	125	0	0	6	2,067.6	1	0	0
Rangefield	60	161	0	0	21	6,678.84	0	0	0
Rathfern	60	266	0	0	19	809.69	1	0	0
Rushey Green	90	289	0	0	30	2,815.29	0	0	0
Sandhurst Infants*	90	268	2	0	50	573.91	2	1	0
Sir Francis Drake	60	137	0	0	26	5,852.76	0	0	0
Stillness Infants	90	353	0	0	42	654.06	0	1	0
Torridon Infants	90	276	1	0	31	21,751.44	0		0

Applying for a Reception place after the closing date

Missed the closing date

You should call us if you miss the closing date for applying (15 January 2019). You can tell us your reasons and we will discuss how we might be able to help with your application.

If you move into the borough, or miss the closing date for good reason

You can make a 'late for good reason' application until if you move into the borough after the closing date or if there is another good reason why you missed the closing date.

The closing date for 'late for good reason' applications is 9 February 2019. You must include evidence of why your application is late, such us evidence of a house move or a medical reason that stopped you from applying on time

All other applications made after 15 January 2019 will not be processed until May/June 2019.

Contact us on the details below for more advice.

If you move before 9 February 2019

If you submitted your application on time and you move home before 9 February 2019, you should contact us. We will withdraw your original application and you can make a new application from your new home address. If you move outside the borough, you need to contact your new local council.

If you move between 9 February and 16 April 2019

If you move home after 9 February 2019, your application will still be based on your original home address. We will honour any school places we have offered you. If you accept the place you need to make sure your child attends school regularly and on time.

If you move between 16 April 2019 and the start of term in September 2019

If you move home after you have accepted on offer, we will honour the place. You must make sure the journey is reasonable and that your child always arrives at school and is picked up on time.

If you no longer need a school place in the borough, you should let us know in writing. You need to explain why you no longer need the place so we can close the application and offer the place to another child.

National offer day – 16 April 2019

Offers

If you applied on time using the online eAdmissions website, you will get an email after 5pm on 16 April 2019 telling you where your child has been offered a school place. We cannot give results over the telephone.

On national offer day, your child will be offered the single highest place possible on the application. For the example, Child A's third preference school was offered (as they were not ranked high enough by the school's admissions authority to be offered the first or second preference). Although the child could have been offered their fourth or fifth, these were not offered as the higher third preference could be offered.

Because a higher offer has been made, and the offer made must be a single offer by law, this caused the lower preferences to became invalid and settled.

Accepting or declining your offer

If you applied online, you must log into your account to accept or decline the offer, so it is important to keep a record of your username and password.

If you weren't offered your first preference

You will automatically be added to the waiting list for any schools you named as a higher preference than the school offered. You can read details of what you can do if your child was not offered your first preference on the eAdmissions website.

If you aren't offered one of your preferences

If your child has not been offered a place at any of the schools you applied for, we will offer you a place at the closest school in the borough to your home address where there is still has a vacancy. This may be a faith or non-faith school, or a school outside your family's neighbourhood. There is no limit on how far a place can be offered, however we aim to offer a place within two miles of the child's home, or 45 minutes each way travel.

If you have not been offered one of your preference schools, we will write to you telling you which school your child has been allocated. You will automatically be added to the waiting lists for the schools you applied for.

We encourage you to accept the school offered, as we cannot guarantee that one of your preference schools will offer you a place later in the process. Accepting the offer will not affect any waiting list your child's name is on or any admissions appeal.

You should visit the school and speak to the headteacher about the opportunities available to your child. Headteachers will be delighted to show you their school and assure you that your child can excel there.

Waiting lists

You cannot be added to the waiting list for a lower preference school than the one you were offered, unless we (or the home local authority) have agreed to your request to change the order of preferences. If we have agreed to change your preference order, we will withdraw your original application, including any offers we have made, and you will need to apply again.

Waiting lists for our community schools include children who have moved to the borough after the application closing date and were therefore unable to apply on time. Waiting lists will be held in criteria order, and children's names may go up, as well as down, a list as new applicants are added.

The admissions process continues until the end of the summer term 2019. If you apply for reception class after the end of the summer term 2019, your application will be considered as in-year applications.

Waiting lists will be held for the first term of the reception year only (until the end of December 2019). If you want to apply for a school place after this, you must make an in-year application.

Further information

You can get advice and information from the Department for Education (DfE) about a wide range of school-related issues, including the school admissions code and school admissions appeals codes at www.gov.uk/dfe.

Appeals

You have the right to appeal against a decision not to offer you a place at a school you applied for. If you want to appeal, you must contact the admission authority for the school in the days after you receive your offer.

The closing date for lodging an admissions appeal is Friday 10 May 2019.

We deal with appeals for community schools in the borough. You can read our advice on the appeals process at www.lewisham.gov.uk/appealsprimary.

You should contact the school directly if you have been refused a place by:

- an academy
- a faith school
- a school outside the borough.

Get independent advice

For independent advice, contact ACE Education Advice. You can call their telephone advice line on 0300 0115 142, Monday–Wednesday, 10am–1pm.

Appealing online

You can appeal online at www.lewisham.gov.uk/appealsprimary. You need to log into our website. If you don't have an account, you need to register first. The form takes about 20 minutes to complete, depending on the nature of your appeal.

Children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities

Most children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities can get the support they need in mainstream schools. However, some children need extra support through an education, health and care plan (EHCP). There is a separate application process for children with an EHCP.

There are seven mainstream primary schools in the borough that offer specialist resource provision. Each resource has its own admissions criteria based on the primary need. The schools with a specialist resource are:

Primary School	Primary Need
Athelney Primary School	Autism
Coopers Lane Primary School	Hearing Impairment Unit
Kelvin Grove Primary School	Autism
Perrymount Primary School	Physical
Rushey Green Primary School	Hearing Impairment Unit
Tidemill Academy	Speech, Language and Communication Needs
Torridon Infant and Junior Schools	Autism

For more information, visit www.lewisham.gov.uk/senadmissions, contact the Children with Complex Needs Service on 020 3049 1475 or email sen@lewisham.gov.uk.

Transferring from an infant to junior school in Lewisham

If you have a child in Year 2 at Stilness Infant School and you want them to continue into the junior phase, they will automatically transfer from Year 2 to Year 3.

If you want your child to go to a different junior school in Year 3, either in or out of the borough, you must apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk. The closing date for applying is 15 January 2019.

On the application form you can list a maximum of three schools including any outside of borough schools. You should list the schools in preference order.

For some schools, you need to complete and submit a supplementary information form (SIF) as well as applying online. You can get a SIF from the school directly.

You will get an email telling you the result of your application after 5pm on 16 April 2019. If you have been offered a school place, you must accept or decline it by logging onto your eAdmissions account. Make sure you keep your login details safe once you have submitted your application.

If you apply for schools outside the borough, these will be forwarded to the respective local council and will be considered in accordance with the relevant admissions criteria for the school.

Alternatively you can make an in-year application in September of 2019 for your child to move school.

Primary schools in the borough

Number of places available

The figure for places available in 2019–20 refers to the total number of children that will be admitted to the Reception class. We are experiencing a significant increase in demand for places across the borough. We expect this growth to continue, and will need to increase the number of classes provided in our primary schools. Some schools may increase their admissions limit mid-year by agreeing to open a 'bulge class'.

We aim to finalise the locations of 'bulge classes' for September 2019 by December 2018. These will be published on our website www.lewisham.gov.uk/admissions.

N = The school has a nursery

Adamsrill Primary School N
Heateacher: Dr Increase Eko
www.adamsrill.lewisham.sch.uk
Adamsrill Road, Sydenham
SE26 4AQ
020 8699 8548
admin@adamsrill.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2000

All Saints' CE Primary School
Headteacher: Debbie Tompkins
www.allsaints.lewisham.sch.uk
Blackheath Vale, SE3 0TX
020 8852 6136
admin@allsaints.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11 Places available
2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3301
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Ashmead Primary School N
Headteacher: Sean O'Flynn
www.ashmeadprimary.wordpress.com
Ashmead Road, SE8 4DX
020 8692 6081
admin@ashmead.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X **DfE number:** 209 2878

Athelney Primary School N
Executive headteacher: Kathryn Wong
Head of school: Natalie Dummer
www.athelneyprimary.org.uk
Athelney Street, SE6 3LD
020 8697 2945
admin@athelney.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60 (including admission to the resource base for children on the autistic spectrum)
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2023

Baring Primary School N
Headteacher: Diane Brewer (until December 2017)
Headteacher: Caroline Phillips (from January 2018)
www.baring.lewisham.sch.uk
Linchmere Road, SE12 0NB
020 8857 5637/0662
admin@baring.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see policy for

community schools on page X DfE number: 209 2029

Beecroft Garden Primary School N
Headteacher: Graham Voller
www.beecroftgarden.lewisham.sch.uk
Beecroft Road, SE4 2BS
020 8692 2762
admin@beecroftgarden.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2068

Brindishe Green Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Dame Vicki Paterson
Headteacher: Gerlinde Achenbach
www.brindisheschools.org
Beacon Road, SE13 6EH
020 8852 7245 info@brindishegreen.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2304

Brindishe Lee Primary School
Executive Headteacher: Dame Vicki Paterson
Headteacher: Lisa Morris
www.brindisheschools.org
Wantage Road, SE12 8NA
020 8318 4626
info@brindishelee.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2887

Brindishe Manor Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Dame Vicki Paterson
Interim Headteacher: Kate Porter
www.brindisheschools.org
Leahurst Road, SE13 5LS
020 8852 0852
info@brindishemanor.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X DfE number: 209 2381

Childeric Primary School N (academy converter) Headteacher: Ann Butcher
www.childericprimary.co.uk
Childeric Road, SE14 6DG
020 8692 3453
admin@childeric.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 2108

Coopers Lane Primary School N
Headteacher: Paul Hooper
www.cooperslane.lewisham.sch.uk
Pragnell Road, SE12 0LF
020 8857 7680
info@cooperslane.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90 (including admission to the Centre for the Deaf) Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2127

Dalmain Primary School N
Headteacher: Erika Eisele
www.dalmain.lewisham.sch.uk
Grove Close, SE23 1AS
020 8699 2675
info@dalmain.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X DfE number: 209 2148

Deptford Park Primary School N
Headteacher: Ken Johnson
www.deptfordpark.lewisham.sch.uk
Evelyn Street, SE8 5RJ
020 8692 4351
info@deptfordpark.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2158

Downderry Primary School N
Headteacher: David Gifford
www.downderryprimaryschool.com
Downderry Road, BR1 5QL
020 8698 5768
admin@downderry.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X DfE number: 209 2163

Edmund Waller Primary School N
Headteacher: Colleen Boxall
www.edmundwaller.lewisham.sch.uk
Waller Road, SE14 5LY
020 7639 0436
office@edmundwaller.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2187

Elfrida Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Kathryn Wong
Head of School: Elizabeth Newton
www.elfridaprimary.org.uk
Elfrida Crescent SE6 3EN
020 8698 5755
admin@elfrida.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 2–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2197

Eliot Bank Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Maria Gilmore
Head of School: Mark Ridler
www.eliotbankprimaryschool.co.uk
Thorpewood Avenue, SE26 4BU
020 8699 0586
info@eliotbank.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2815

Fairlawn Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Jeanette Brumby
Headteacher: Hania Ryans
www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk
Honor Oak Road, SE23 3SB
020 8699 7948
admin@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2811

Forster Park Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Michelle Fenniche
www.forsterpark.co.uk
Boundfield Road, SE6 1PQ
020 8698 5686
admin@forsterpark.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2225

Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School
Headteacher: Paul Moriarty
www.goodshepherd.lewisham.sch.uk
Moorside Road, BRI 5EP 020 8698 4173
admin@goodshepherd.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3344
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Gordonbrock Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Maria Gilmore
Head of school: Jane Wright
www.gordonbrock.lewisham.sch.uk
Amyruth Road, SE4 1HQ
020 8690 0704
admin@gordonbrock.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2259

Grinling Gibbons Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Jeanette Brumby
Headteacher: Dean Gordon
www.gglvfederation.org
Clyde Street, SE8 5LW 020 8692 4907
admin@ggibbons.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3-11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2267

Hatcham Temple Grove – Hunsdon Road N
Chief Executive: Adrian Percival
Principal: Declan Jones
www.haaf.org.uk Hunsdon Road, SE14 5RD
020 7652 9510
hreception@haaf.org.uk
Age range: 3–18
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 6905

Haberdashers' Aske's Knights Academy – Knights Temple Grove N
Chief Executive: Adrian Percival
Principal: Dr Tesca Bennett
Head of School: Joanna Roberts
www.haaf.org.uk
Ballamore Road, BR1 5LW
020 8461 9240
kreception@hahc.org.uk
Age range: 3–18
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 6906

Hatcham Temple Grove Free School – Pepys Road
Chief Executive: Adrian Percival
Headteacher: Mr David Welsh
www.haaf.org.uk
Pepys Road, SE14 5SF
020 7652 9510
hreception@haaf.org.uk
Age range: 5–11 (currently Reception Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 only)
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 2001

Haseltine Primary School N
Executive headteacher: Jeanette Brumby
Headteacher: Sara Anderman
www.haseltineprimary.co.uk
Haseltine Road, SE26 5AD
020 8778 6536
admin@haseltine.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2289

Holbeach Primary School N
Headteacher: Tom Bullpit
www.holbeach.lewisham.sch.uk
Nelgard Road, SE6 4TP
020 8690 4713
admin@holbeach.lewisham.sch.uk

Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2307

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School
Executive Headteacher: Mary Collins
Head of School: Giovanna Finaldi
www.holycross.lewisham.sch.uk
Culverley Road, SE6 2LD
020 8698 2675
admin@holycross.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3661
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Holy Trinity CE Primary School
Headteacher: Sarah-Jane Pendleton
www.holytrinity.lewisham.sch.uk
Dartmouth Road, SE23 3HZ
020 8699 9023
admin@holytrinity.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 4–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3360
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Horniman Primary School
Headteacher: Julie Loffstadt
www.hornimanprimary.com
Horniman Drive, SE23 3BP
20 8699 3190
info@horniman.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2870

John Ball Primary School N
Acting Headteacher: Jacqui Noakes
Head of School: Julia McCrossen
www.johnball.lewisham.sch.uk
Southvale Road, SE3 0TP
020 8852 1601
admissions@johnball.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2782

John Stainer Primary School N
Headteacher: Sue Harte
www.johnstainer.lewisham.sch.uk
Mantle Road, SE4 2DY
020 7639 0482
admin@johnstainer.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2342

Kelvin Grove Primary School N
Headteacher: Ian Hyde
www.kelvingrove.lewisham.sch.uk
Kirkdale, SE26 6BB
020 8699 6300
admin@kelvingrove.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
(including admission to the resource base for children on the autistic spectrum)
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2347

Kender Primary School N
Headteacher: Keith Barr
www.kender.lewisham.sch.uk
Kender Street, SE14 5JA
020 7639 4654
info@kender.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2349

Kilmorie Primary School N
Headteacher: Liz Stone
www.kilmorieschool.co.uk
Kilmorie Road, SE23 2SP
020 8291 1250
info@kilmorie.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2911

Launcelot Primary School N
Headteacher: Maxine Osbaldeston
www.launcelot.lewisham.sch.uk
Launcelot Road, BR1 5EA
020 8697 2304
admin@launcelot.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 2–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X DfE number: 209 2374

Lucas Vale Primary School N
Executive Consultant
Headteacher: Jeanette Brumby
Headteacher: Tina Harracksingh
www.gglvfederation.org
Thornville Street, SE8 4QB
020 8692 4660
admin@lucasvale.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2390

Marvels Lane Primary School N
Headteacher: Edward Dove
www.marvelslane.lewisham.sch.uk
Riddons Road, SE12 9RA
020 8857 3904
info@marvelslane.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2403

Myatt Garden Primary School N
Headteacher: Sally Williams
www.myattgarden.lewisham.sch.uk
Rokeby Road, SE4 1DF
020 8691 0611
admin@myattgarden.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2869

Our Lady and St Philip Neri Catholic Primary School N
Headteacher: Matthew Ringham
www.olspn.school-uk.org
Infants and Nursery Mayow Road, SE23 2XG
020 8699 2717
annexe@olspn.lewisham.sch.uk
Juniors 208 Sydenham Road, Sydenham SE26 5SE
020 8778 4386 (main school)
admin@olspn.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3588
*you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Perrymount Primary School N
Headteacher: Christine Keen
www.perrymount.lewisham.sch.uk
Sunderland Road, SE23 2PX
020 8699 4522
admin@perrymount.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2871

Prendergast Primary School
Executive headteacher: David Sheppard
Headteacher: Niall Hand Head of School: Viv Nicholls
www.prendergast-ladywell.com
Manwood Road, SE4 1SA
020 8613 7490
priadmissions@prendergast-ladywell.com
Age range: 5–16 (Reception, Years 1, 2 and 3 only)
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 4323

Prendergast Vale College N
Executive Headteacher: David Sheppard
Headteacher: Duncan Kamya
www.prendergast-vale.com
Elmira Street, SE13 7BN
020 8297 3540
admin@prendergast-vale.com
Age range: 3–16
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 5201

Rangefield Primary School N
Executive Headteacher: Michelle Fenniche
Acting Headteachers: Caroline Hussey and Del Rowland
www.rangefieldprimaryschool.com
Glenbow Road, BR1 4RP
020 8698 3112
admin@rangefield.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2491

Rathfern Primary School N
Headteacher: Naheeda Maharasingam
www.rathfern.lewisham.sch.uk
Rathfern Road, SE6 4NL
020 8690 3759
admin@rathfern.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90 (the school will open a bulge class for 2019 only)
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2493

Rushey Green Primary School N
Interim Headteacher: John Calvert
www.rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk
Culverley Road, SE6 2LA
020 8698 5001
admin@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 90 (including admission to the Centre for the Deaf)
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2529

St Augustine's Catholic Primary School N
Executive
Headteacher: Mary Collins
Head of School: Denise Duffus
www.staugustines.lewisham.sch.uk
Dunfield Road, SE6 3RD
020 8698 6083
info@staugustines.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3416
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Bartholomew's CE Primary School
Headteacher: Sara Sanbrook-Davies
www.st-bartholomews.lewisham.sch.uk
The Peak, SE26 4LJ
020 8699 8537
info@st-bartholomews.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3420
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St George's CE Primary School N
Headteacher: Geraldine Constable
www.stgeorges.lewisham.sch.uk
Perry Vale, SE23 2NE
020 8699 5127
admin@stgeorges.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3325
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St James Hatcham CE Primary School N
Headteacher: Sonia McFarlane
www.st-jameshatcham.lewisham.sch.uk
St James, SE14 6AD
020 8692 4937
admin@st-jameshatcham.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3454
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St John Baptist CE Primary School
Headteacher: John Goodey
www.sjb.lewisham.sch.uk
Beachborough Road, BR1 5RL
020 8698 3059
admin@sjb.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3472
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
Headteacher: Nicola Doherty
www.stjps.lewisham.sch.uk
Crossfield Street, SE8 3PH
020 8692 4836
admin@stjps.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3478
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Margaret's Lee CE Primary School N
Headteacher: Ian Wilson
www.stmargaretslee.lewisham.sch.uk
Lee Church Street, SE13 5SG
020 8852 3151
admin@stmargaretslee.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3374
* a supplementary information form is required if applying for a church place

St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary School
Headteacher: Sally Saunders
www.stmarymagdalenprimary.blogspot.co.uk
Howson Road, SE4 2BB
020 8692 5055
info@st-marymagdalens.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3315
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Mary's Lewisham CE Primary School N
Headteacher: Christine Bernard
www.st-marys.lewisham.sch.uk
329 Lewisham High Street,
SE13 6NX
020 8690 2613
admin@st-marys.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3518
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Matthew Academy N
Executive Headteacher: Mr S Cefai
Headteacher: Miranda Baldwin
www.stmatthewacademy.lewisham.sch.uk
St Joseph's Vale, SE3 0XX
020 8853 6250
che@stmatthewacademy.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–16
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 6907
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Michael's CE Primary School
Headteacher: Riana Gouws
www.stmichaels1871.org.uk
Champion Road, SE26 4HH
020 8778 8407
admin@stmichaels.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3548
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Saviour's RC Primary School N
Headteacher: Dean Houson
www.stsaviours.lewisham.sch.uk
10 Bonfield Road, SE13 6AL
020 8852 4283
info@stsaviours.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3594
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Stephen's CE Primary School N
Headteacher: Frances Holland
www.ststephensce.co.uk
Albyn Road, SE8 4ED 020 8692 1898
admin@ststephensce.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3597
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St William of York Catholic Primary School N
Headteacher: Sharon Lynch
www.swoy.lewisham.sch.uk
Brockley Park, SE23 1PS
020 8690 2842
admin@swoy.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 30
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 3650
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

St Winifred's Catholic Primary School N
Headteacher: Margaret Hanrahan
www.swcps.lewisham.sch.uk
admin@swcps.lewisham.sch.uk
Newstead Road, SE12 0SJ
020 8857 8792
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 2002
*you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Sandhurst Primary School N
Headteacher: Rebecca Dove
www.webfronter.com/lewisham/sandhurstprimary
Minard Road, SE6 1NW
020 8698 5810
admin@sandhurst-inf.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–7
Places available: 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2536

Sir Francis Drake
Headteacher: Christine Barnes
www.sfdprimary.co.uk
Scawen Road, SE8 5AE
020 8692 4321
admin@francisdrake.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 5–11
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2818

Stillness Infant School N
Headteacher: Annie Grimes
www.stillness-inf.lewisham.sch.uk
Brockley Rise, SE23 1NH
020 8690 1208
admin@stillness-inf.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–7
Places available: 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2571

Stillness Junior School
Headteacher: Mitzi Nichol
www.stillnessjs.lewisham.sch.uk
Brockley Rise, SE23 1NH
020 8690 1416
admin@stillnessjs.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 7–11 automatic transfer from Stillness Infant School for Year 2 children
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2570

Tidemill Academy N
Headteacher: Lorraine Stewart
www.tidemill.net
Giffin Street, SE8 4RJ
020 8692 3470
admin@tidemillacademy.org
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 60 (including admission to the speech, language and communication resource base)
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 2599

Torridon Primary School N
Headteacher: Amanda (Manda) George-Argyriou
www.torridoninfantschool.com
Hazlebank Road, SE6 1TG
0208 697 2762
admin@torridoninfants.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–7
Places available: 2019/20: 90 (including admission to autistic unit resource base)
Admissions criteria: see policy for community schools on page X
DfE number: 209 2606

Trinity Lewisham CE School

Headteacher: Darren Janes
www.trinitylewisham.org
Pascoe Road, SE13 5HZ
020 8852 3191
Age range: 5–16 (Reception, Years 1, 2 3 and 4)
Places available: 2019/20: 60
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 4636
* you need to submit a supplementary information form if applying for a faith place

Turnham Primary Foundation School N
Executive Headteacher: John Halliwell
Head of School: Davina Belcher
www.turnham.lewisham.sch.uk
www.turnhamprimaryfoundationschool.co.uk
Turnham Road, SE4 2HH
020 7639 0440
office@turnham.lewisham.sch.uk
Age range: 3–11
Places available: 2019/20: 90
Admissions criteria: see school's website
DfE number: 209 5200

Useful contacts

Lewisham School Admissions Team
020 8314 8282

School Benefits Team (free school meals)
020 8314 6221

Attendance and Welfare Service
020 8314 6272

Children with Complex Needs
Kaleidoscope, Rushey Green Catford SE6 4JD
020 7138 1100

Advisory Centre for Education (ACE)
www.ace-ed.org.uk

Department for Education
www.gov.uk/education
for advice for parents on matters relating to schools
0370 000 2288

Southwark Diocesan Board of Education (Church of England)
020 7234 9200
www.southwark.anglican.org/education

Education Commission, Catholic Diocese of Southwark
01689 829331
www.educationcommission.org.uk

Independent Schools Council Helpline
020 7766 7070

Local Government Ombudsman
0300 061 0614
www.lgo.org.uk

Office of the Schools Adjudicator
Mowden Hall, Staindrop Road, Darlington DL3 9BG
01325 735303

Schools in other boroughs
If you live in the borough and want to apply for schools in other areas you must apply online at www.eadmissions.org. We will coordinate your application. You can get information about schools in neighbouring boroughs from the relevant local council.

Bexley School Admissions
020 8303 7777
www.bexley.gov.uk

Bromley School Admissions
020 8313 4044
www.bromley.gov.uk

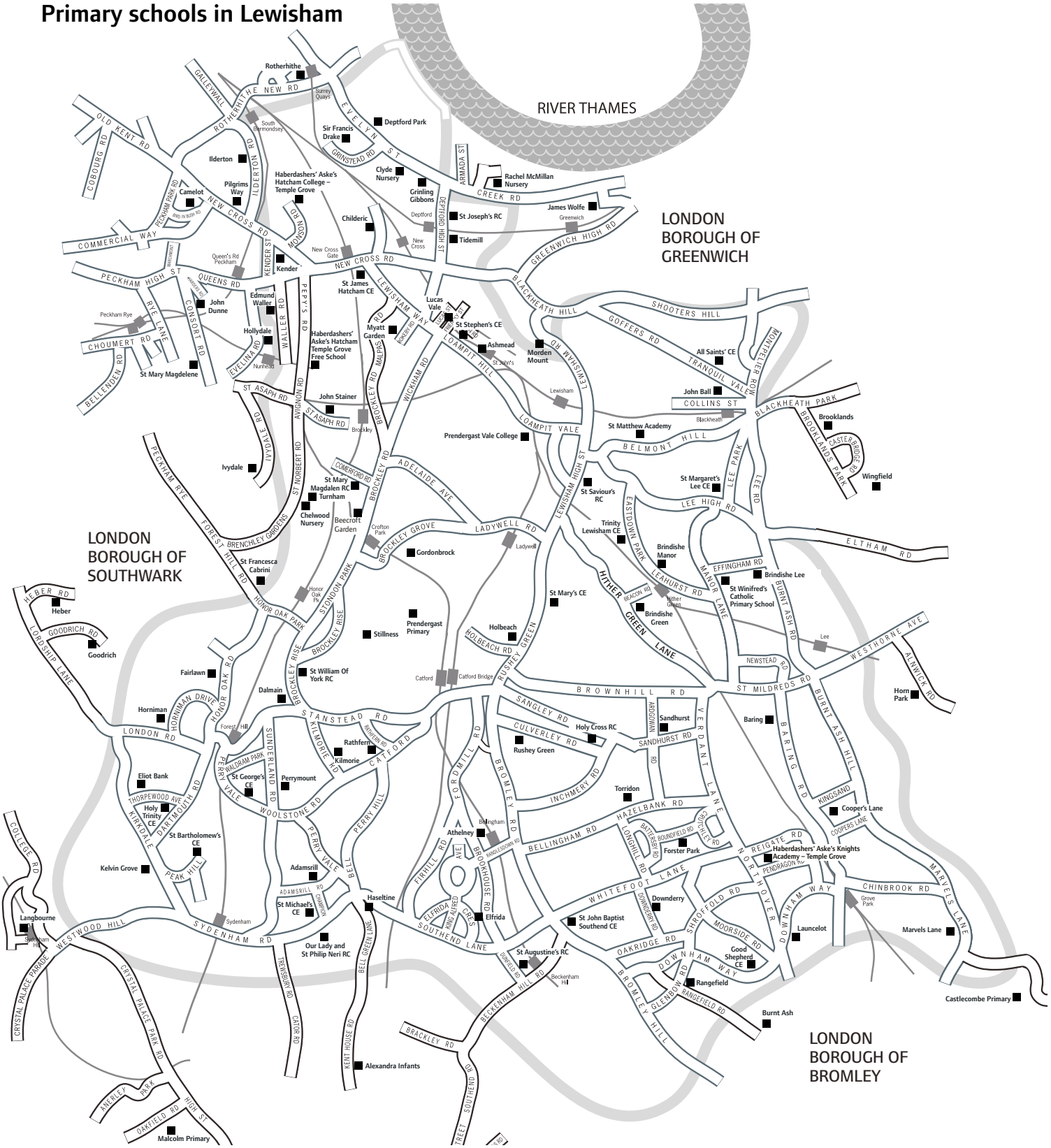
Croydon School Admissions
020 8726 6400
www.croydon.gov.uk

Greenwich School Admissions
020 8921 8043
www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk

Lambeth School Admissions
020 7926 9503
www.lambeth.gov.uk

Southwark School Admissions
020 7525 5337
www.southwark.gov.uk

Primary schools in Lewisham



These schools are not in the Lewisham borough:

Schools in the borough of Southwark
Rotherhithe
Ilderton
Pilgrim's Way
Camelot
John Donne
Hollydale
St Mary Magdalen (Southwark not Lewisham)
Ivydale

Heber
Goodrich
Langbourne

Schools in the borough of Bromley
Malcolm
Alexandra
Burnt Ash
Castlecombe

Schools in the borough of Greenwich
Horn Park
Wingfield
Brooklands
Morden Mount
James Wolfe
Rachel McMillan Nursery

Contact: Admissions and Appeals Team, Laurence House, Catford SE6 4RU.
Tel: 020 8314 8282 (lines are open Tuesday–Thursday, 9am–1pm). Email: schooladmissions@lewisham.gov.uk