Admission Arrangements for Community and Voluntary Controlled Infant, Junior and Primary Schools in Essex for 2026-2027

Individual policies and over-subscription criteria are set out in this document in district order. The following information applies:

Looked After Children
A 'looked after child' or a child who was previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangements or special guardianship order will be given first priority in oversubscription criteria ahead of all other applicants in accordance with the School Admissions Code 2021. This also includes those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. A looked after child is a child who is (a) in the care of a local authority, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority in the exercise of their social services functions (as defined in Section 22(1) of the Children Act 1989).

Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan
Children an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP) that name the school on the plan are required to be admitted to a school regardless of their place in the priority order.

Age of Admission
Essex County Council's policy is that children born on and between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022 would normally commence primary school in Reception in the academic year beginning in September 2026.

As required by law, all Essex infant and primary schools provide for the full-time admission of all children offered a place in the Reception year group from the September following their fourth birthday. Therefore, if a parent wants a full-time place for their child from September (at the school at which a place has been offered) then they are entitled to that full-time place.

Parents can defer the date their child is admitted to school until later in the school year or until the child reaches compulsory school age in the school year. The law does not require a child to start school until the start of the term following their fifth birthday. Compulsory school age is reached at that point.

Where entry is deferred, the school will hold the place for that child and not offer it to another child. The parent would not however be able to defer entry beyond the beginning of the term after the child's fifth birthday, nor beyond the beginning of the final term of the school year for which the original application was accepted.

Parents can also request that their child attends part-time until the child reaches compulsory school age. Any parents interested in taking up a part-time place initially should contact the individual school(s) for further details as to what this would entail.

Where parents choose to defer entry, a school may reasonably expect that the child would start at the beginning of a new school term/half term.

Where a parent of a 'summer-born' child (1 April – 31 August) wishes their child to start school in the autumn term following their fifth birthday, they will need to apply for a place at the correct time for the normal admission round for the following academic year. The process to be followed is defined in detail in the 'Primary Education in Essex' booklet. Supporting evidence from relevant professionals working with the child and family stating why the child must be placed outside their normal age-appropriate cohort should be submitted.

The County Council will decide whether the application for a Reception place will be accepted or whether it will be treated as an application for a Year 1 place, the child's normal age appropriate cohort. Further details are provided in the 'Primary Education in Essex' booklet.

If the application for a Reception place is not accepted this does not constitute a refusal of the place and there is no right to an independent statutory appeal.

Nursery Provision
Some schools have a nursery unit or deliver pre-school nursery education. The admission arrangements detailed in this document do not apply for those being admitted into any nursery or pre-school provision. The responsibility for admission into nursery provision lies with the governing body of the school where the school offers such provision.

Parents of children who are admitted to a nursery provision at a school must apply in the normal way for a place at the school if they want their child to be admitted to the reception class in the school. Attendance at the nursery or co-located children's centre does not guarantee admission to the school.

Applying for a school place
The application process is in accordance with the co-ordinated scheme for primary admissions and involves completion of the Common Application Form – either online or by paper. Offers of places will be made on 16 April 2026.

Closing date for applications
The closing date for applications is 15 January 2026. This also applies to admissions to junior schools, including transfers from infant schools**.**

Home address
Applications will normally be processed on the basis of the home address for the child at the time of application and determination, unless, where there is a new home address, proof of an exchange of contracts or copy of a tenancy agreement can be provided by 30 January 2026.

The home address is considered to be the address at which the child resides on a permanent basis or is 'ordinarily resident', including overnight. This is generally the address of the parent/carer.

In some cases, children may be 'ordinarily resident' for the majority of the school week, including overnight, with another relative or carer, such as a grandparent. This may also be the case where a child resides between two parents at different addresses following the breakdown of the parental relationship. Where this is the case, the application will be processed on the basis of that address (where the child resides for the majority of the school week) and proof of address and formal residence arrangement will be required with the application. The child must be living with the parent, relative or carer 24 hours per day, for the majority of the school week. Where there is an eligibility for child benefit, evidence that the adult with whom the child is 'ordinarily resident' receives the child benefit may be requested. If the adult(s) with whom the child is 'ordinarily resident' is not in receipt of the child benefit, further enquiries may be made and evidence requested to confirm that the child is 'ordinarily resident' at the stated address, for example, GP/health registration address evidence.

Arrangements where parents can leave and collect children from another relative or carer on a daily basis will be regarded as childcare arrangements, and the child will not be deemed to be 'ordinarily resident' with that person.

Distance tie breaker

For admissions purposes the LA uses data provided by Ordnance Survey (OS) to measure straight line distances. The OS data plots the co-ordinates of each individual property (the home address) which are referred to as address points. The definition of the home address is as described above.

Straight line distance is measured from the address point of the home address to address point of the school. Distances are reported in miles to three decimal places. If a child's time is split equally between two residences, the address of the residence at which the child resides for the majority of the school week would be used to measure the distance between the child's school and home.

In the unlikely event of two applicants with an identical distance competing for a single place at a school the place will be offered to one applicant on the basis of lots drawn by an officer of the County Council not involved in admissions, with the exception of twins, triplets etc.

Address checking
Where residency is relevant to an application for a school place, the LA may ask a random sample of applicants to provide proof of their home address. This must be a copy of one of the following:

- UK driving licence;
- council tax notification;
- two utility bills dated within the last 6 months (gas, electricity, water or landline phone)

Where there is reasonable doubt as to the validity of a home address, the LA reserves the right to take additional checking measures including, in some cases, unannounced home visits. If a school place is secured through false information regarding a home address, the LA may withdraw the place offered.

Admission of children from overseas
All children of compulsory school age (5 to 16 years) in the UK have a right of access to education. However, where a child is in the UK for a short period only, for example less than half a term, it may be reasonable to refuse admission to a school.

For parents and children living overseas and planning to move to the UK, an application for a school place will be considered for such children even though they may not be resident in the UK at the time of application. The application may however be processed on the basis of the overseas address.

It is the responsibility of the parents of foreign national children to check that their children have a right under their UK entry conditions to study at a school before applying for a place. The County Council cannot advise or assist in such immigration matters.

If an applicant from overseas owns a property in Essex but is not living in it, but intends to take up residence with their child at the Essex home before the start of the autumn term, then evidence of this address must be provided for the application. Any offer of a school place will then be conditional upon receipt of evidence of taking up residency at that property in Essex.

Siblings
For applications made in the normal admission round a relevant sibling is a child who has a brother, sister, adopted brother or sister or stepbrother or stepsister living in the same family unit in the same family household and address who attends the preferred school or partner school in any year group excluding year 6.

Biological and adopted siblings who attend the preferred school in any year group excluding the final year will also be treated as siblings irrespective of place of residence. Children residing in the same household as part of an extended family, such as cousins, will not be treated as siblings.

For mid-year applications a sibling is a child who has a brother, sister, adopted brother or sister or stepbrother or stepsister living in the same family unit in the same family household and address as a child who attends or has been offered a place at the preferred school or partner school at the time of application and determination and with a reasonable expectation that the sibling will be attending at the time of admission.

Priority Admission Areas
There is no guarantee of a place to children living in the priority admission area of a particular school. Details, including maps of priority admission areas are available on request from School Admissions.

Parents are also able to check in which school's priority admission area their address is located (if any) using the online 'Priority admission (catchment) area finder on the Council's website www.essex.gov.uk/admissions.

Twins, Triplets etc.
For applications made in the normal admission round, if the last child to be offered a place is a twin and their sibling cannot be offered initially, the LA will ensure both twins are offered a place. In the case of triplets or other multiple births, if the majority of children can be offered a place initially, the LA will offer places to the remaining children. For example, if two triplets can be offered a place, the remaining child will also receive an offer of a place.

For mid-year applications, where a family moves into an area necessitating a change of school for their twins (or triplets etc) and the majority can be offered a place then a place will be offered for the remaining child(ren). However, where the family does not move but wishes to transfer the children to another local school where there are insufficient places for all of them then a place would not normally be offered for all.

Year 2 to Year 3 Applications
Parents of children in Year 2 of an infant school have to make an application to transfer to the partner/co-located junior school. The closing date is 15 January 2026. Offers of places will be made on 16 April 2026.

Where parents of children in year 2 of an infant school apply, in the normal admission round for Year 3 junior school places, for a place in year 3 of a primary school (which does not have a Published Admission Number for normal admission at that time) that preference will be treated as a casual admission and a decision will not be made until after the summer half term break when there is likely to be a clearer indication of potential places at the school in September.

Withdrawal of an offer
If a school place has been secured through false information or has been offered in error, the offer of the place may be withdrawn.

Waiting lists
School Admissions will hold waiting lists for all oversubscribed schools until 31 December 2026 and continue to allocate places from these lists if spaces become available. Applicants will be ranked on these waiting lists in priority order, according to the school's admission criteria. Each added child will require the list to be ranked again in line with the published oversubscription criteria.

The Local Authority will not maintain waiting lists beyond the end of the first term, however parents will have the opportunity to register their continued interest in a place.

Late Applications

Applications received after the published closing date will be treated as late applications unless there is evidence to show that the application or amendment could not reasonably have been made on time. No application/preference received after 30 January 2026 will be treated as on time.

A new on time preference will not be accepted after the closing date unless the circumstances are deemed to be exceptional. No change to the rank order of existing preferences will be accepted after the closing date except for changes of address and no such changes will be permitted after 30 January 2026 until after the first round of offers has been made on 16 April 2026. Late applications will be given a lower priority and will be dealt with after all on time applications in the first round of offers on 16 April 2026. Where a school is oversubscribed late applications will be refused and ranked according to the admission criteria on any waiting list held for the particular school.

All late applications will be considered by the LA to ascertain whether exceptional circumstances for late submission exist. Where that is deemed to be the case the application will be treated as 'on time'. Where a school is oversubscribed late applications received after the first round of offers on 16 April 2026 will be refused and ranked according to the admission criteria on any waiting list held for the particular school.

Any new applications or change requests received after 30 January 2026 will be held and not considered until after the first round of offers on 16 April 2026.

Changing primary schools
The opportunity to transfer depends on places being available at the preferred school. If approved, a place is usually made available at the start of the following term. If no places are available, the application will be refused and the right of appeal will be given and an application form for return to School Admissions to help secure a school place elsewhere.

Applications for transfer will not be dealt with until the half term prior to the requested admission date. In cases where a child moves into a district area (proof of address required) and, as a result of the move the child would be without a school place, the application will be dealt with immediately.

A child should not be withdrawn from the current school until a place has been secured elsewhere**.** Mid-year a school may admit a child over the admission number and outside the admission criteria where they have been excluded from another school or are being placed as a move supported by all agencies.

Admission Outside of the 'Normal Age Group'
Parents may seek a place at a school outside of a child's normal age group, for example if the child is gifted and talented or has experienced problems such as ill health. Any such request must be made in writing with an application setting out clearly the reasons, with any supporting evidence from relevant professionals such as teachers or doctors. Each such case will be considered by LA officers on an individual basis. The views of the Headteacher of the school(s) at which the place is requested will be sought. There is no guarantee that a request for a place outside of a child's normal age group will be agreed.

Applications made after the start of the autumn term
On receipt of an application after the start of the autumn term the LA will contact the school in writing for the up-to-date numbers. If there are spaces in the year group an offer will be made or if not a refusal will be sent and the right of appeal given if it was a first application for the year group. Unless there is a significant and material change in circumstances a second application received in the same academic year does not have to be determined by the LA and no second right of appeal will be given.

When there are more applications, received on the same day, than the number of places available the school's admission criteria will be used to determine any offers that can be made. There is a process in place that considers parents continued interest in a place at an oversubscribed school. Details of the process will be available to parents who have applied and been refused a place after the start of the autumn term.

Appeals against admission decisions

Parents have the right to appeal against admission decisions to an Independent Appeal Panel. Information about how to appeal against a refusal of a school place will be sent with the offer pack. Notice of appeal should be sent to the Clerk to the Independent Appeal Panel, PO Box 11, Chelmsford, CM1 1LX.

Admission Policies

For all Infant schools listed the following policy applies unless otherwise indicated:

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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or the named partner junior 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 all junior schools listed the following policy applies unless otherwise indicated:

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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or the named partner infant 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 all primary schools listed the following policy applies unless otherwise indicated:

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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the 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.

Published Admission Numbers (PANS)
for Community and Voluntary Controlled Infant, Junior and Primary Schools in Essex for 2026-2027
(including oversubscription criteria where they vary from those shown on page 7)

Schools are listed in the following District order:

District	Page(s)
Basildon	9 - 11
Braintree	11 - 15
Brentwood	16 - 18
Castle Point	18 - 19
Chelmsford	19 - 24
Colchester	24 - 34
Epping Forest	34 – 37
Harlow	37
Maldon	37 – 39
Rochford	39 – 41
Tendring	41 – 44
Uttlesford	45 – 47

Basildon District

Ghyllgrove Community Primary School
The Gore, Basildon SS14 2BG
Telephone (01268) 450067
Email: admin@ghyllgrove.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2611

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Lincewood Primary School
Berry Lane, Langdon Hills, Basildon SS16 6AZ
Telephone (01268) 412888
Email: admin@lincewood.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3781

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Brightside Primary School
Brightside, Billericay CM12 0LE
Telephone (01277) 655995
Email: admin@brightside-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2015

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Millhouse Primary School and Nursery
Tavistock Road, Laindon, Basildon SS15 5QF
Telephone (01268) 543584
Email: admin@millhouse.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2606

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Eversley Primary School
Crest Avenue, Pitsea, Basildon SS13 2EF
Telephone (01268) 555333
Email: admin@eversley.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2798

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Vange Primary School and Nursery

London Road, Vange, Basildon SS16 4QA
Telephone (01268) 552160
Email: admin@vange.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2261

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Abacus Primary School
Tresco Way, The Wick, Wickford SS12 9GJ
Telephone (01268) 571018
Email: admin@abacus.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3257

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Grange Primary School
Elder Avenue, Wickford SS12 0LR
Telephone (01268) 734420
Email: admin@grange.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2005

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

Oakfield Primary School
Scott Drive, Wickford SS12 9PW
Telephone (01268) 734343
Email: admin@oakfield.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2004

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Wickford Primary School
Market Road, Wickford SS12 0AG
Telephone (01268) 733071
Email: admin@wickford-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2271

Published admission number 2026/2027: Reception = 60

Year 3 = 6 additional external places

Admissions Policy

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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Wickford Church of England School;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area attending Wickford Church of England School and transferring into Year 3**;*
4. *other children attending Wickford Church of England School and transferring into Year 3**;*
5. *other children living in the priority admission area;*
6. *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.

***Criterions 3 and 4 are only relevant if your child is in current Year 2 and you are applying for a Year 3 place.*

Braintree District

Great Bradfords Infant School and Nursery
Marlborough Road, Braintree CM7 9LW
Telephone (01376) 326891
Email: admin@greatbradfords-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2769

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Great Bradfords Junior 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.

Great Bradfords Junior School
Marlborough Road, Braintree CM7 9LW
Telephone (01376) 326739
Email: admin@gbjs.co.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2759

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy

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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Great Bradfords Infant 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.

John Bunyan Primary School and Nursery
Lancaster Way, Braintree CM7 5UL
Telephone (01376) 321814
Email: admin@johnbunyan.co.uk
Community
4 -11
DfE Number: 881-2300

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

John Ray Infant School
Notley Road, Braintree CM7 1HL
Telephone (01376) 323071
Email: enquiries@johnrayinfants.com
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2669

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or John Ray Junior 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.

White Court School
Ennerdale Avenue, Gt Notley, Braintree CM77 7UE
Telephone (01376) 331801
Email: admin@whitecourt.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2767

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

St Andrew's CE (VC) Primary School
Church Road, Bulmer, Sudbury, Suffolk CO10 7EH

Telephone (01787) 372383
Email: admin@bulmer-st-andrews.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3008

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

St Peter's CE (VC) Primary School, Coggeshall
Myneer Park, Coggeshall, Colchester CO6 1YU
Telephone (01376) 561328
Email: admin@st-peterscofe.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3209

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

Great Bardfield Primary School
Great Bardfield, Braintree CM7 4RN
Telephone (01371) 810252
Email: admin@greatbardfield.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2380

Published admission number 2026/2027: 20

St Giles' CE Primary School
Church Street, Great Maplestead, Halstead CO9 2RG
Telephone (01787) 460481
Email: admin@st-giles.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3009

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Holy Trinity CE (VC) Primary School, Halstead
Beridge Road, Halstead CO9 1JH
Telephone (01787) 472096
Email: admin@holytrinity.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3006

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Hatfield Peverel Infant and Nursery School
Church Road, Hatfield Peverel, Chelmsford CM3 2RP
Telephone (01245) 380220

Email: admin@hatfieldpeverel.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2737

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admission Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Hatfield Peveral St Andrews Junior 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.

St Peter's CE (VC) Primary School, Sible Hedingham
School Road, Sible Hedingham, Halstead CO9 3NR
Telephone (01787) 460362
Email: admin@st-peters.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3013

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

St Margaret's CE (VC) Primary School, Toppesfield
Church Lane, Toppesfield, Halstead CO9 4DS
Telephone (01787) 237354
Email: admin@st-margaretscofe.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3015

Published admission number 2026/2027: 14

Wethersfield CE (VC) Primary School
Silver Street, Wethersfield, Braintree CM7 4BP
Telephone (01371) 850220
Email: admin@wethersfield.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3212

Published admission number 2026/2027: 12

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*

2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children residing on the old USAAF Base;*
5. *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.

White Notley CE (VC) Primary School
Vicarage Avenue, White Notley, Witham CM8 1RZ
Telephone (01376) 583376
Email: admin@whitenotley.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3213

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in White Notley and Faulkbourne;*
4. *children living in Black Notley village (as defined on the map available at the school);*
5. *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.

Chipping Hill Primary School
Owers Road, Witham, CM8 1FR
Telephone (01376) 512201
Email: admin@chippinghill.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2330

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Brentwood District

Blackmore Primary School
Nine Ashes Road, Blackmore, Ingatestone CM4 0QR
Telephone (01277) 821528

Email: admin@blackmore.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2640

Published admission number 2026/2027: 25

Holly Trees Primary School
Vaughan Williams Way, Warley, Brentwood CM14 5RY
Telephone (01277) 212296
Email: admin@hollytrees.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2013

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Warley Primary School
Chindits Lane, Warley, Brentwood CM14 5LF
Telephone (01277) 223008
Email: admin@warley.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2919

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Doddinghurst Infant School
Church Lane, Doddinghurst, Brentwood CM15 0NJ
Telephone (01277) 822721
Email: admin@doddinghurst-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2729

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Doddinghurst CofE Junior 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.

Long Ridings Primary School
Long Ridings Avenue, Hutton, Brentwood CM13 1DU
Telephone (01277) 222488
Email: admin@longridings.essex.sch.uk

Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2588

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Willowbrook Primary School
Rosen Crescent, Hutton, Brentwood CM13 2TU
Telephone (01277) 214662
Email: admin@willowbrook.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2918

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

West Horndon Primary School
Thorndon Avenue, West Horndon, Brentwood CM13 3TR
Telephone (01277) 811741
Email: admin@westhorndon.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2624

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

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

1. *Looked after Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children living in the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children living outside of the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*
5. *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 having the highest priority.

Castle Point District

Canvey Island Infant School and Nursery
Long Road, Canvey Island SS8 0JG
Telephone (01268) 683257
Email: admin@canvey-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
3 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2751

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy

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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or the Canvey Junior school;*
3. *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.

Canvey Junior School
Long Road, Canvey Island SS8 0JG
Telephone (01268) 682288
Email: admin@canvey-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2311

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or the Canvey Island Infant school;*
3. *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.

Chelmsford District

Priory Primary School, Bicknacre
Bicknacre Road, Bicknacre, Chelmsford CM3 4ES
Telephone (01245) 225450
Email: admin@priory.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2799

Published admission number 2026/2027: 20

Boreham Primary School
Juniper Road, Boreham, Chelmsford CM3 3DB
Telephone (01245) 467625
Email: admin@boreham.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2659

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Chancellor Park Primary School, Chelmsford

Brook End Road South, Chelmsford CM2 6PT
Telephone (01245-465250)
Email: admin@chancellorpark.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3826

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Springfield Primary School
Forsythia Close, Chelmsford CM1 6XW
Telephone (01245) 461077
Email: admin@springfield-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2020

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Trinity Road Primary School
Trinity Road, Chelmsford CM2 6HS
Telephone (01245) 354517
Email: admin@trinityroad.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2210

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Westlands Community Primary School
Beeches Close, Chelmsford CM1 2SB
Telephone (01245) 251700
Email: admin@westlands.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2879

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Danbury Park Community Primary School
Well Lane, Danbury, Chelmsford CM3 4AB
Telephone (01245) 224994
Email: admin@danburypark.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2779

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

St John's CE (VC) Primary School, Danbury
Little Baddow Road, Danbury, Chelmsford CM3 4NS
Telephone (01245) 222173

Email: admin@st-johns-danbury.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3214

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Downham CE (VC) Primary School
Church Road, Ramsden Heath, Billericay CM11 1NU
Telephone (01268) 710387
Email: admin@downham-ceap.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3224

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

East Hanningfield CE Primary School
The Tye, East Hanningfield, Chelmsford CM3 8AE
Telephone (01245) 400772
Email: admin@easthanningfield.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3215

Published admission number 2026/2027: 17

Galleywood Infant School
Barnard Road, Galleywood, Chelmsford CM2 8RR
Telephone (01245) 472686
Email: admin@galleywood.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2549

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or St Michael's CE (VA) Junior 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.

Baddow Hall Infant School
New Road, Great Baddow, Chelmsford CM2 7QZ
Telephone (01245) 471338

Email: admin@baddowhall-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2579

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Baddow Hall Junior 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.

Baddow Hall Junior School
New Road, Great Baddow, Chelmsford CM2 7QZ
Telephone (01245) 472391
Email: admin@baddowhall-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2609

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Baddow Hall Infant 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.

Beehive Lane Community Primary School
Community Primary
Beehive Lane, Great Baddow, CM2 9SR
Telephone (01245) 269464
Email: admin@beehivelane.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2789

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Great Leighs Primary School
Aragon Road, Great Leighs, Chelmsford CM3 1RP
Telephone (01245) 361254
Email: admin@greatleighs.essex.sch.uk

Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2450

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Great Waltham CE VC Primary School
South Street, Great Waltham, Chelmsford CM3 1DF
Telephone (01245) 360395
Email: admin@greatwaltham.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3217

Published admission number 2026/2027: 23

Highwood Primary School
Loves Green, Highwood, Chelmsford CM1 3QH
Telephone (01245) 248200
Email: admin@highwood.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2500

Published admission number 2026/2027: 10

Rettendon Primary School
Main Road, Rettendon Common, Chelmsford CM3 8DW
Telephone (01268) 732096
Email: admin@rettendon.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2460

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Stock CE Primary School
Swan Lane, Stock, Ingatestone CM4 9BQ
Telephone (01277) 840265
Email: admin@stock.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3225

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Writtle Infant School
Lodge Road, Writtle, Chelmsford CM1 3HZ
Telephone (01245) 420963
Email: admin@writtleinfantschool.com
Community
4 - 7

DfE Number: 881-2619

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Writtle Junior 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.

Writtle Junior School
Margaretting Road, Writtle, Chelmsford CM1 3HG
Telephone (01245) 420592
Email: admin@writtle-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2950

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Writtle Infant 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.

Colchester District

Boxted St Peter's CE Primary School
Carter's Hill, Boxted, Colchester CO4 5SG
Telephone (01206) 272239
Email: admin@boxted.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3018

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Friars Grove Primary School
Upland Drive, off Ipswich Road, Colchester CO4 0PZ
Telephone (01206) 843683

Email: admin@friarsgrove.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2075

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Gosbecks Primary School
Owen Ward Close, Shrub End, Colchester CO2 9DG
Telephone (01206) 575407
Email: admin@gosbecks.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2054

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Hamilton Primary School
Constantine Road, Colchester CO3 3GB
Telephone (01206) 572362
Email: admin@hamilton.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2003

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Hazelmere Infant School and Nursery
Hawthorn Avenue, Greenstead Estate,
Colchester CO4 3JP
Telephone (01206) 861836
Email: admin@hazelmere-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2058

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Hazelmere Junior 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.

Hazelmere Junior School
Hawthorn Avenue, Greenstead Estate,
Colchester CO4 3JP
Telephone (01206) 862691

Email: admin@hazelmere-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2057

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Hazelmere Infant 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.

Kendall CE Primary School
Recreation Road, Colchester CO1 2HH
Telephone (01206) 794634
Email: admin@kendall.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3001

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

King's Ford Infant School and Nursery
Gloucester Avenue, Shrub End, Colchester CO2 9AZ
Telephone (01206) 574524
Email: admin@kingsford-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2017

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or King's Ford Academy (Junior);*
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.

Lexden Primary School with Unit for Hearing Impaired Pupils
Trafalgar Road, Colchester CO3 9AS
Telephone (01206) 573519
Email: admin@lexden.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11

DfE Number: 881-2006

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Montgomery Infant School and Nursery, Colchester
Baronswood Way, Colchester CO2 9QG
Telephone (01206) 570231
Email: admin@montgomery-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2063

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
In the event of oversubscription, places will be allocated in the following order of the criteria given below:

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);
2. Children with a sibling attending the school or the Montgomery Junior school;
3. Children attending the nursery at Montgomery Infant and Nursery School who are eligible for the service premium;
4. Children living in the priority admission area;
5. Remaining applications.
In the event of oversubscription within any of the above criteria, priority will be determined by straight line distance from the home to the school, those living closest having the highest priority.

Montgomery Junior School, Colchester
Baronswood Way, Colchester CO2 9QG
Telephone (01206) 572288
Email: admin@montgomery-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2062

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Montgomery Infant 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.

Myland Community Primary School
Mill Road, Mile End, Colchester CO4 5LD
Telephone (01206) 852109
Email: admin@myland.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11

DfE Number: 881-2007

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

North Primary School and Nursery
John Harper Street, Colchester CO1 1RP
Telephone (01206) 574225
Email: admin@north.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2008

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Old Heath Community Primary School
Old Heath Road, Colchester CO2 8DD
Telephone (01206) 794334
Email: admin@oldheath.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2010

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Parsons Heath CE (VC) Primary School
Templewood Road, Colchester CO4 3EZ
Telephone (01206) 860612
Email: admin@parsonsheath.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3040

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Prettygate Infant School
Plume Avenue, Colchester CO3 4PH
Telephone (01206) 577608
Email: j.hughes@prettygateschools.co.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2056

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Prettygate Junior 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.

Prettygate Junior School
Plume Avenue, Colchester CO3 4PH
Telephone (01206) 577608
Email: admin@prettygateschools.co.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2055

Published admission number 2026/2027: 64

Admissions Policy
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 Prettygate Infant 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.

Queen Boudica Primary School
Cowper Crescent, Colchester CO4 5XT
Telephone (01206) 844654
Email: admin@qbps.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 – 11
DCSF Number: 881- 3839

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Roach Vale Primary School
Roach Vale, Parsons Heath, Colchester CO4 3YN
Telephone (01206) 861324
Email: admin@roachvale.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2317

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

St George's School (Colchester)
Canterbury Road, Colchester CO2 7RU
Telephone (01206) 506800
Email: contact@stgeorgesschool.org
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2001

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

St John's CE (VC) Primary School, Colchester
Clay Lane Grove, Colchester CO4 0HH
Telephone (01206) 841288
Email: admin@st-johns-colchester.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3003

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

St John's Green Primary School
St John's Green, Colchester CO2 7HE and 5 Circular Road East, Colchester, CO2 7SZ
Telephone (01206) 762884
Email: admin@st-johnsgreen.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2011

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

St Michael's Primary School and Nursery, Colchester
Camulodunum Way,
Colchester CO2 9RA
Telephone (01206) 546412
Email: office@st-michaels.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2297

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Admissions Policy
In the event of oversubscription, places will be allocated in the following order of the criteria given below:

1. Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);
2. Children with a sibling attending the school;
3. Children attending the nursery at the school who are eligible for the service premium;
4. Children living in the priority admission area;
5. Remaining applications.

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

Copford CE VC Primary School
School Road, Copford, Colchester CO6 1BX
Telephone (01206) 210439
Email: admin@copford.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England

DfE Number: 881-3020

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Dedham CE (VC) Primary School
Parsons Field, Dedham, Colchester CO7 6BZ
Telephone (01206) 322242
Email: admin@dedham.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3022

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Great Tey CE (VC) Primary School
Chrismund Way, Great Tey, Colchester CO6 1AZ
Telephone (01206) 210415
Email: admin@greattey.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3025

Published admission number 2026/2027: 12

Langham Primary School
School Road, Langham, Colchester CO4 5PB
Telephone (01206) 272266
Email: office@langham.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2039

Published admission number 2026/2027: 16

Layer-De-La-Haye CE (VC) Primary School
High Road, Layer-de-la-Haye, Colchester CO2 0DS
Telephone (01206) 734249
Email: admin@layer-de-la-haye.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3026

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

St Lawrence CE Primary School, Rowhedge
Rectory Road, Rowhedge, Colchester CO5 7HR
Telephone (01206) 728517
Email: admin@st-lawrence-pri.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3023

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Stanway Primary School
Villa Road, Stanway, Colchester CO3 0RH
Telephone (01206) 574819
Email: admin@stanway-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2041

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Stanway Fiveways Primary School
Winstree Road, Stanway, Colchester CO3 OQG
Telephone (01206) 574849
Email: admin@stanwayfiveways.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2081

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Baynards Primary School
Townsend Road, Tiptree, Colchester CO5 0ND
Telephone (01621) 817261
Email: admin@baynards.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2088

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Milldene Primary School
Barbrook Lane, Tiptree, Colchester CO5 0EF
Telephone (01621) 816490
Email: admin@milldene.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2074

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Tiptree, St Luke's CE (Controlled) Primary School
Church Road, Tiptree, Colchester CO5 0SU
Telephone (01621) 815456
Email: admin@stlukeschurch-cp.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3028

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Heathlands CE (VC) Primary School, West Bergholt
New Church Road, West Bergholt, Colchester CO6 3JF
Telephone (01206) 240288
Email: admin@heathlands.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3029

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Broomgrove Infant School
Broome Grove, Wivenhoe, Colchester CO7 9QB
Telephone (01206) 822141
Email: admin@broomgrove-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2069

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Broomgrove Junior 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.

Broomgrove Junior School
Broome Grove, Wivenhoe, Colchester CO7 9QB
Telephone (01206) 822893
Email: admin@broomgrove-jun.essex.sch.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2073

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above)*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Broomgrove Infant 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.

Epping Forest District

Limes Farm Junior School
Limes Avenue, Chigwell IG7 5LP
Telephone (020) 8500 7566
Email: Office@limesfarmjuniorschool.co.uk
Community
7 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2647

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 Limes Farm Infant School;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children living in the priority admission area of Chigwell Row Infant School;*
5. *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.

Coopersale and Theydon Garnon CE (VC) Primary School
Brickfield Rd, Coopersale, Epping CM16 7QX
Telephone (01992) 574890
Email: admin@coopersaletheydongarnon.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3123

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living within the priority admission area of Coopersale and Theydon Garnon CE Primary;*
4. *children living within the priority admission areas of Epping Upland CE, Epping, Theydon Bois and Ivy Chimneys Primary Schools;*
5. *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.

Epping Primary School
Coronation Hill, Epping CM16 5DU

Telephone (01992) 572408
Email: admin@eppingprimary.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3837

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living within the priority admission area of Epping Primary School;*
4. *children living within the priority admission areas of Coopersale and Theydon Garnon CE, Epping Upland CE, Ivy Chimneys and Theydon Bois Primary Schools;*
5. *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.

Dr Walker's CE (VC) Primary School, Fyfield
Walker Avenue, Fyfield, Ongar CM5 0RG
Telephone (01277) 899298
Email: admin@fyfielddrwalkers.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3238

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Matching Green CE (VC) Primary School
Little Laver Road, Matching Green, Harlow CM17 0QB
Telephone (01279) 731225
Email: admin@matchinggreen.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3239

Published admission number 2026/2027: 14

Nazeing Primary School
Hyde Mead, Nazeing, Waltham Abbey EN9 2HS
Telephone (01992) 893344
Email: admin@nazeing.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2733

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

Sheering CE (VC) Primary School
The Street, Sheering, Bishops Stortford, Herts CM22 7LU

Telephone (01279) 734210
Email: admin@sheering.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3131

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Harlow District

Church Langley Community Primary School
Church Langley Way, Church Langley, Harlow CM17 9TH
Telephone (01279) 629427
Email: admin@churchlangley.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2082

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children living in the priority admission area of Henry Moore Primary School ;*
5. *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.

Hare Street Community Primary School and Nursery
Little Grove Field, Harlow CM19 4BU
Telephone (01279) 868181
Email: admin@harestreet.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3254

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Maldon District

Burnham-on-Crouch Primary School
Dunkirk Road, Burnham-on-Crouch CM0 8LG
Telephone (01621) 782070
Email: admin@burnham-on-crouch.essex.sch.uk
Community

4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2310

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Cold Norton Primary School
St Stephen's Road, Cold Norton,
Chelmsford CM3 6JE
Telephone (01621) 827086
Email: admin@coldnorton.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2590

Published admission number 2026/2027: 23

All Saints' Maldon CE (VC) Primary School
Highlands Drive, Maldon CM9 6HY
Telephone (01621) 853519
Email: admin@allsaints-maldon.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3201

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area of Maldon*;*
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.

**A map showing the priority admission area of Maldon is available from School Admissions, Essex County Council.*

Wentworth Primary School
Viking Road, Maldon CM9 6JN
Telephone (01621) 853572
Email: admin@wentworth.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2649

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Admissions Policy

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area of Maldon*;*
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.

**A map showing the priority admission area of Maldon is available from School Admissions, Essex County Council.*

Tollesbury School
East Street, Tollesbury, Maldon CM9 8QE
Telephone (01621) 869242
Email: admin@tollesbury.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2630

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

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

1. *Looked after Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children living in the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children living outside of the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*
5. *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 having the highest priority.

Woodham Walter CE (VC) Primary School
The Street, Woodham Walter, Maldon CM9 6RF
Telephone (01245) 223264
Email: admin@woodhamwalter.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3235

Published admission number 2026/2027: 17

Rochford District

Holt Farm Infant School

Ashingdon Road, Rochford SS4 1RS
Telephone (01702) 544058
Email: admin@holtfarm-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2521

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Holt Farm Junior 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.

Riverside Primary School
Ferry Road, Hullbridge, Hockley SS5 6ND
Telephone (01702) 230282
Email: admin@riverside-inf.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-3840

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Down Hall Primary School
Brooklyn Drive, Rayleigh SS6 9LW
Telephone (01268) 780018
Email: admin@downhall.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2656

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

Edward Francis Primary School
Uplands Park Road, Rayleigh SS6 8AJ
Telephone (01268) 775047
Email: office@edwardfrancis.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2821

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Tendring District

Alresford Primary School
Ford Lane, Alresford, Colchester CO7 8AU
Telephone (01206) 822731
Email: office@alresford.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2043

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Bradfield Primary School
Bradfield, Manningtree CO11 2UZ
Telephone (01255) 870241
Email: admin@bradfield.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2044

Published admission number 2026/2027: 18

Brightlingsea Primary School and Nursery
Eastern Road, Brightlingsea, Colchester CO7 0HU
Telephone (01206) 302719
Email: admin@brightlingsea.essex.sch.uk
Community
2 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2068

Published admission number 2026/2027: 75

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the 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.

Oakwood Infant and Nursery School
Windsor Avenue, Clacton-on-Sea CO15 2AH
Telephone (01255) 421168
Email: admin@oakwood.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 7
DfE Number: 881-2027

Published admission number 2026/2027: 90

Admissions Policy
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 (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school or Alton Park Junior 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.

St George's CE Primary School, Great Bromley
Brook Street, Great Bromley, Colchester CO7 7HX
Telephone (01206) 230305
Email: admin@st-georges-pri.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3032

Published admission number 2026/2027: 17

Chase Lane Primary School and Nursery
Chase Lane, Dovercourt, Harwich CO12 4NB
Telephone (01255) 502416
Email: admin@chaselane.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-5261

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Harwich Community Primary School and Nursery
Barrack Lane, Harwich, Essex CO12 3NP
Telephone (01255) 245440
Email: admin@harwich-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2414

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the 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 the Pier Hotel to the home address, those living closest to the Pier Hotel being given the highest priority

The Mayflower Primary School

Main Road, Dovercourt, Harwich CO12 4AJ
Telephone (01255) 502444
Email: admin@mayflower-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2059

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

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

1. *Looked After Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children with a sibling attending the school;*
3. *children living in the priority admission area:*
4. *children living in the priority admission area of Harwich Primary School;*
5. *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.

Spring Meadow Primary School
Pound Farm Drive, Dovercourt, Harwich CO12 4LB
Telephone (01255) 504528
Email: admin@springmeadow.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2374

Published admission number 2026/2027: 50

Highfields Primary School
Colchester Road, Lawford, Manningtree CO11 2BN
Telephone (01206) 392223
Email: admin@highfields.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2090

Published admission number 2026/2027: 45

Tendring Primary School
School Road, Tendring, Clacton-on-Sea CO16 0BP
Telephone (01255) 830307
Email: admin@tendring-pri.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2050

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Wix and Wrabness Primary School
Colchester Road, Wix, Manningtree CO11 2RS
Telephone (01255) 870282

Email: admin@wix.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2051

Published admission number 2026/2027: 17

Uttlesford District

Ashdon Primary School
Ashdon, Saffron Walden CB10 2HB
Telephone (01799) 584219
Email: admin@ashdon.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2710

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Birchanger CE (VC) Primary School
Birchwood, Birchanger, Bishop's Stortford, Herts CM23 5QL
Telephone (01279) 812362
Email: admin@birchanger.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3241

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Clavering Primary School
Stortford Road, Clavering, Saffron Walden CB11 4PE
Telephone (01799) 550300
Email: admin@clavering.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2720

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Elsenham CE (VC) Primary School
Elsenham, Bishops Stortford, Herts CM22 6DD.
Telephone (01279) 813198
Email: admin@elsenham.essex.sch.uk
Voluntary Controlled
4 - 11 Church of England
DfE Number: 881-3244

Published admission number 2026/2027: 60

Felsted Primary School
Watch House Green, Felsted, Dunmow CM6 3EB
Telephone (01371) 820215
Email: admin@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk

Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2510

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Great Sampford Community Primary School
Finchingfield Rd, Great Sampford,
Saffron Walden CB10 2RL
Telephone (01799) 586280
Email: admin@greatsampford.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2730

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Henham and Ugley Primary School and Nursery
School Lane, Henham, Bishops Stortford,
Herts CM22 6BP
Telephone (01279) 850213
Email: admin@henhamugley.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2740

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Manuden Primary School
The Street, Manuden, Bishop's Stortford, Herts CM23 1DE
Telephone (01279) 813370
Email: admin@manuden.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2750

Published admission number 2026/2027: 15

Newport Primary School
Frambury Lane, Newport, Saffron Walden CB11 3PU.
Telephone (01799) 540055
Email: admin@newport.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2760

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

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

1. *Looked after Children and previously looked after children (as defined above);*
2. *children living in the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*

3. *children living in the priority admission area;*
4. *children living outside of the priority admission area with a sibling attending the school;*
5. *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 having the highest priority.

Bentfield Primary School
Rainsford Road, Stansted CM24 8DX
Telephone (01279) 813626
Email: admin@bentfield.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2747

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30

Stebbing Primary School
High Street, Stebbing, Dunmow CM6 3SH
Telephone (01371) 856260
Email: admin@stebbing.essex.sch.uk
Community
4 - 11
DfE Number: 881-2550

Published admission number 2026/2027: 30