



## School Admission Appeals

### Hearing Dates 2022

There are different types of appeal, each with their own arrangements:

- **Reception appeals** – for children under five who will begin school on or after 1 September 2022
- **Infant to Junior Cohort appeals**- for children who will be entering Year 3 in September 2022, appealing for a place in a Junior School
- **Secondary Transfer appeals** – for children aged 11 who will transfer to secondary school in September 2022
- **Sixth Form appeals** – for Year 11 students who want to move to Sixth Form education in a school in September 2022  
(note: appeals for admission to a Sixth Form College are dealt with by the College itself)
- **In-Year appeals** – for children of any age changing school (including a school Sixth Form)

The following table shows the timetable for appeals (other than In-Year appeals):

	<b>Secondary Appeals</b>	<b>Primary Appeals</b>	<b>Sixth Form Appeals</b>
<b>Offer date:</b>	1 March	16 April	
<b>* Deadline – appeals MUST be received by (*20 school days):</b>	29 March	17 May	Subject to review to facilitate earliest possible hearing
<b>Appeal Hearings Held:</b>	May and June 2022	June and July 2022	

Appeals submitted after the deadline date will be heard within 40 school days of the appeal being lodged.

In-year admission appeals (for people applying for school places in the middle of a school year) will be heard within 30 school days of the appeal being lodged.

Sixth-form appeals will be heard within 30 school days of the appeal being lodged or, if the offer of a place would have depended upon exam results, 30 school days after those results are received.

**Appeals will be heard in accordance with the revised Government Guidance that was issued on 24<sup>th</sup> April 2020:**

**<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-admissions-appeals-code/changes-to-the-school-admission-appeals-code-regulations-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak>**