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# Secondary Transfer

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Year 6  
2022 - 2023

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# What type of schools can I apply to for my child?



State maintained schools (LA)

Academies

Voluntary - aided (often faith based)

Grammar schools

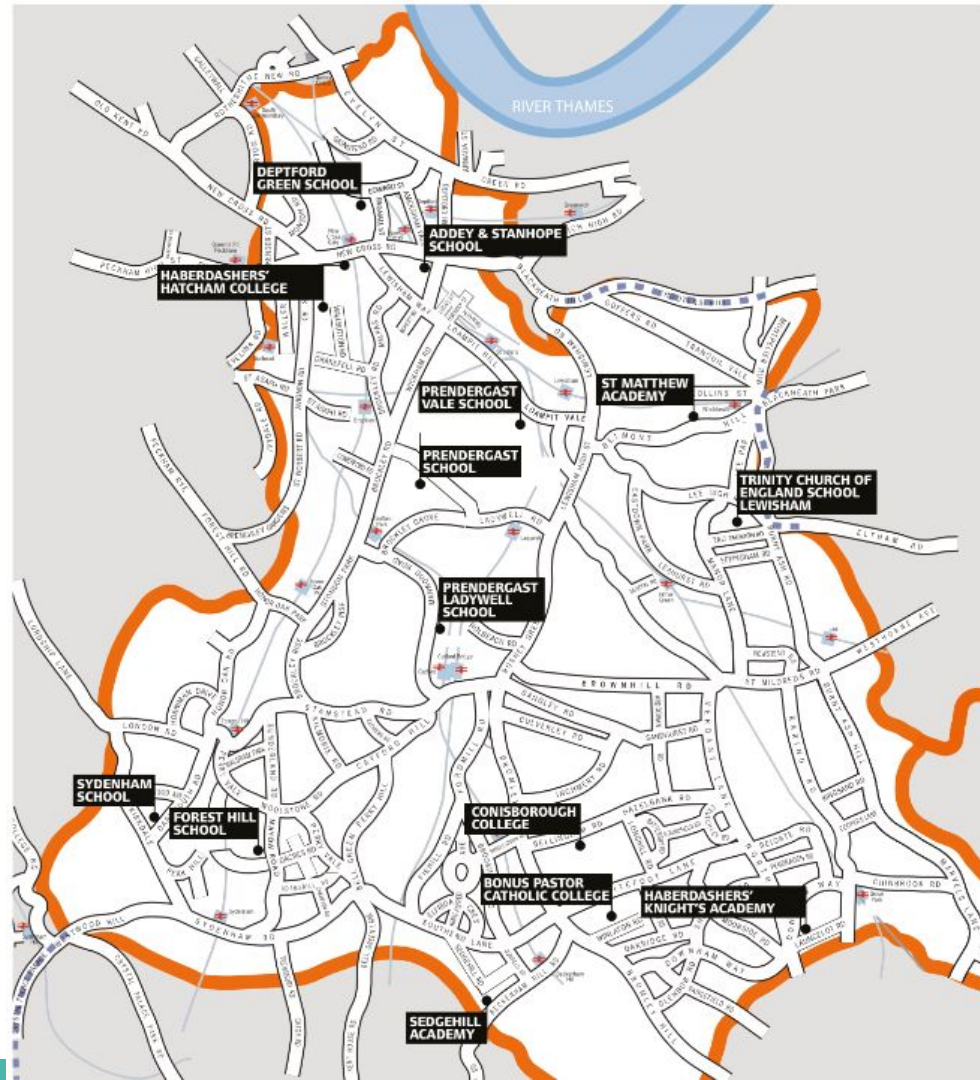
Independent schools (Fee paying and private / or funded if your child has an EHCP)

***All schools will allocate places according to their admission policies***

Generic pattern for priorities include:

- Pupils with EHCPs
- Children who are looked after, previously looked after or under a special guardianship order
- siblings
- distance

What mainstream secondary schools in Lewisham can I apply to for my child ?



# How can I apply for secondary school places?

## Welcome to eAdmissions

<https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/>

### First time visitors

Create a new account.



[Register](#)

### Returning visitors

Sign into an existing account.



[Sign in](#)

### Find schools

In your area.



[Find](#)

Website for  
applying.

We will email  
the slides to the  
Year 6 parents.

## Important information

From the 1st September 2022 you can apply for a school place for September 2023. You can apply for a place in:

- A Primary school (Reception)
- A Junior school (Year 3)
- A Secondary school (Year 7)
- A University Technical College (Year 10)

. In some areas you can apply for a place in:

- A Nursery class or school (Age 3+)

If you require a school place for your child now (In Year) please contact your home Local Authority.

# What information do I need to know before applying?

- The person completing the application must be the child's parent (including adoptive parents) or the person with legal parental responsibility.
- Grandparent or other family member cannot apply unless they have legal parental responsibility.

You will need to provide documentation - proof.

We strongly recommend you read through these documents before you submit your application.

## Documents



[Starting secondary school in Lewisham in 2023 brochure](#)

Pdf, 2.7MB



[Applying to start secondary school in 2023](#)

Pdf, 400.9KB



[eadmissions - how to apply online](#)

Pdf, 814.1KB

### ***Further useful information:***

<https://lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/education/schools/school-admission/applying-to-start-secondary-school/before-you-apply>

# How do I decide which schools do I apply for?

- You can apply for **six schools on the application form** - Always list the schools in your order of preference
- Attend **secondary schools' open evenings** - meet the staff and see their facilities
- Read **schools' admissions criteria**
- Find out **how places were allocated** at each school last year

Further information:

<https://lewisham.gov.uk/my services/education/schools/school-admission/applying-to-start-secondary-school/secondary-schools-open-days>

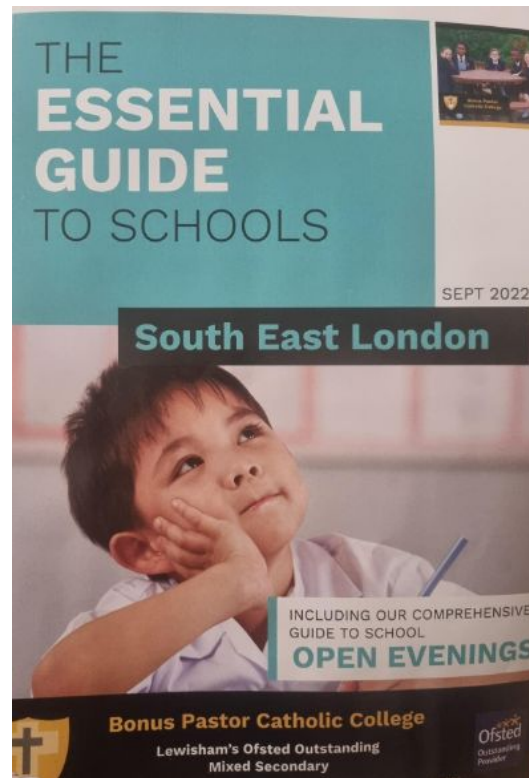
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All children have been given 'the essential guide to school - South East London' September 2022.

It contains open day information for the secondary schools.

Further information:

<https://lewisham.gov.uk/my services/education/schools/school-admission/applying-to-start-secondary-school/secondary-schools-open-days>





#### Deptford Green School

deptfordgreen.lewisham.sch.uk · 020 8691 3236

##### Open evening:

Thurs 22 Sept 5-7.30pm

##### Open mornings:

Monday 19 September 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 20 September 9.15-10.30am

Monday 26 September 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 27 September 9.15-10.30am

#### Forest Hill School

foresthill.lewisham.sch.uk · 020 8699 9343

##### Open evening:

Monday 19 September 6-7.30pm

##### Open mornings:

Thursday 29 September 9-10.30am

Friday 30 September 9-10.30am

#### Haberdashers' Hatcham College

habshatcham.org.uk · 020 7652 9500

##### Open evening:

Thursday 22 September 4.30-8pm

#### Haberdashers' Knights Academy

habsknights.org.uk · 020 8461 9240

##### Open evening:

Wednesday 21 September 5-7.30pm

#### Prendergast School

prendergast-school.com · 020 8690 3710

##### Open evening:

Wednesday 14 September 6-8pm

(music open evening 5-6pm)

##### Open mornings:

Monday 12 September 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 13 September 9.15-10.30am

Friday 16 September 9.15-10.30am

Monday 19 September 9.15-10.30am

#### Prendergast Ladywell School

prendergast-ladywell.com · 020 8690 1114

##### Open evening:

Tuesday 13 September 6-8pm

Thursday 22 September (virtual) 6-8pm

##### Open mornings:

Thursday 15 September 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 20 September 9.15-10.30am

Thursday 22 September 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 27 September 9.15-10.30am

#### Prendergast Vale School

prendergast-vale.com · 020 8297 3540

##### Open evening:

Wednesday 28 September 5-7pm

##### Open mornings:

Wednesday 14 September 9.30-10.45am

Wednesday 5 October 9.30-10.45am

Wednesday 12 October 9.30-10.45am

#### St Matthew Academy

stmatthewacademy.co.uk · 020 8853 6250

##### Open evening:

Tuesday 27 September 4.30-7:30pm

##### Open mornings:

Tuesday 4 October 9.15-11am

Wednesday 5 October 9.15-11am

Tuesday 11 October 9.15-11am

Wednesday 12 October 9.15-11am

#### Sedgehill Academy

sedgehillacademy.org.uk · 020 8698 8911

##### Open evening:

Thursday 15 September 6-8pm

Visit the school website to view and book open morning events

#### Sydenham School

sydenham.lewisham.sch.uk · 020 8699 6731

##### Open mornings:

Thursday 15 September 9.15-10.40

Tuesday 20 September 9.15-10.40

Tuesday 27 September 9.15-10.40

Wednesday 5 October 9.15-10.40

##### Saturday morning event:

Saturday 24 September 9.30-11.30am

#### Trinity Church of England School Lewisham

trinitylewisham.org.uk · 020 8852 3191

##### Open events:

Tuesday 13 September 9-10.30am

Wednesday 21 September 9-10.30am

Thursday 29 September 9-10.30am

Friday 7 October 9-10.30am

Thursday 13 October 5.30-7.30pm

# What are the open days?



#### Addey & Stanhope School

as.lewisham.sch.uk · 020 8305 6100

##### Open evening:

Thursday 13 October 4.30-7pm

##### Open mornings:

Thursday 29 September 9-10.45am

Tuesday 4 October 9-10.45am

Friday 7 October 9-10.45am

#### Bonus Pastor Catholic College

bonuspastor.co.uk · 020 8695 2100

##### Open evening:

Thursday 22 September 6:30pm and 7:30pm

##### Open mornings:

Monday 26 September 9.15am

Tuesday 27 September 9.15am

Wednesday 28 September 9:15am

#### Conisborough College

conisboroughcollege.co.uk · 020 8461 9600

##### Open evening:

Tuesday 27 September 6-8pm

##### Open mornings:

Thursday 29 September 9-10:30am

Friday 30 September 9-10.30am

Tuesday 4 October 9-10.30am

Wednesday 5 October 9-10.30am

Thursday 6 October 9-10.30am

Tuesday 11 October 9-10.30am

Wednesday 12 October 9-10.30am

Thursday 13 October 9-10.30am

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# What must I remember when applying?

When completing the application form, ensure you pay attention to the following:

- Tick the correct/relevant boxes to your application (e.g. medical, SEND, looked after, siblings)
- Click submit - you will receive your application number
- Provide supplementary information - where requested for your application (please see Mrs Thomas - SENCO - if you require electronic copies of professional reports to upload to your application)

# Special educational needs and disabilities provision and special schools



There are four special schools for children of secondary school age are Greenvale, New Woodlands, Drumbeat and Brent Knoll, as well schools in neighbouring local authorities. There are also resource bases within Conisborough College, Deptford Green and Addey and Stanhope.

Most children with special educational and needs and disabilities (SEND) go to a mainstream school which has specific provision and policies accommodating to the needs of the child who have SEND.

If your child has an EHCP, the application process is different, and you will need to apply online, on the Lewisham website by 1st October.

For further support and information, speak to your child's class teacher or the SENDCO Ms Annisha Thomas.

# What are the important dates?

**Thursday 1st September 2022:** Applications open (apply online)

**Saturday 1st October 2022:** Deadline for applications for pupils with EHCPs

**Monday 31st October 2022:** Deadline dates for applications but recommended you apply by Monday 24th October 2022)

**Wednesday 1st March 2023:** Results for applications (parents/carers will receive an email in the evening)

**Wednesday 15th March 2023:** Deadline to accept offers online

**Wednesday 29th March 2023:** Closing dates for appeals (may change)

**May/June 2023:** Appeals hearing (may change)

**Wednesday 5th July 2023:** Induction day at secondary school (may change)



## Will Rushey Green provide any further help?

School workshop to support any parents who require help with the application process will be on 6th October 2022 from 9am - 11am.

Documentation to bring:

- Birth Certificate
- Council Tax letter
- Proof of address / child tax credit
- Supplementary forms

# Who should I contact if I need help?

## Contact

### Secondary School Admissions and Appeals

Laurence House, 1 Catford Road, SE6 4RU

Email:  [secondaryadmissions@lewisham.gov.uk](mailto:secondaryadmissions@lewisham.gov.uk)

Telephone:  [020 8314 8282](tel:02083148282)

Questions?