



# Secondary Transfer Information Evening

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September  
7pm

Welcome

# Before You Apply...

- Visit as many schools as you can
- Read Ofsted reports
- Read school prospectus
- Read admissions criteria for each school
- Consider how likely it is that your child will be offered a place
- Look to see how many places are available
- Consider the journey to school – dark winter mornings and evenings

# Completing Application

- Complete an application form with your **HOME** borough
- Choose **SIX** schools
- Online application: [www.eadmissions.org](http://www.eadmissions.org)
- Submit application by 31<sup>st</sup> October
- SIF (Supplementary Information Forms)  
Some schools require this – check with each individual school and collect from them at their open days/evenings

# Other Info About Your Child

- If your child has a statement of Special Educational Needs or an Education Health and Care Plan [**EHCP**], their transfer to secondary school will not be via the normal admissions procedure.
- The SEN Service will write to you in September and explain the procedure for applying for a secondary school for your child.

SEN Team - Tel: 020 8489 1913

Email: [sen@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:sen@haringey.gov.uk)

- Where a child is in care a letter from the LA or Social Worker must be provided to confirm this.
- Where a child has been previously looked after, documentation must be provided.

# Exceptional Social/Medical Need

- In **very rare cases** a child can be given priority to a particular school where there is evidence to demonstrate exceptional medical/social reasons **why only ONE particular school** can meet their needs.
- Evidence has to be provided by GP, social worker or other appropriate independent professional.
- The connection between your child's need and the school chosen must be made and you must demonstrate why this school can meet your child's needs while no other school can.

# Catholic Secondary Schools

- Many are heavily oversubscribed
- All will require a priest's reference – weekly mass attendance is generally expected
- All require you to complete their supplementary information form (SIF)

# Moving House

- You must provide the address on application where your child is living on 31 October
- If you move house afterwards you must let admissions team know immediately
- If you provide new proof of address on or before 11 December then admissions team will use new address to measure distance
- Updates/changes to home/school distance cannot be made after 11 December until after offers day on 1<sup>st</sup> March

# How Admissions Criteria Was Applied Last Year:

Haringey School (Oversubscribed)	Year	No. Of Apps	No. Of Places Offered	Siblings	Distance of last child offered
Alexandra Park	2017	1849	232	75	0.5039
Fortismere	2017	1606	270	96	0.6929
Gladesmore	2017	830	243	51	1.0706
Heartlands	2017	982	240	47	1.0194
Highgate Wood	2017	1068	243	61	0.8146
Woodside High	2017	824	240	41	1.1501



# Checking Distances

- You can find out the home to school distance of your preferred **Haringey** schools between 1 September 2017 and 31 October 2017
- Please email your request to:  
[schooladmissionscs@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissionscs@haringey.gov.uk)

# Key Dates

- 31<sup>st</sup> October – Application Deadline
  - 1<sup>st</sup> March – Offer Day
  - 15<sup>th</sup> March – Acceptance Deadline
  - 31<sup>st</sup> March – Appeal Deadline
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- Late applications received **after** 31<sup>st</sup> October will be considered after all other applications that were received on time!
  - Late applications are unlikely to be offered preferred school.

# Haringey School Admissions

- 020 8489 1000
- [schooladmissions@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@haringey.gov.uk)
- Haringey Admissions Service, Haringey Council, 4th Floor, Alexandra House, 10 Station Road, London, N22 7TR.



**Any Questions?**