

Admissions Appeal Timetable for Year R (starting school in reception) and Year 3 (Infant to Junior transfer)

September 2022

Church of England Voluntary Aided Schools and Academies in the Diocese of Winchester and Diocese of Portsmouth will follow the timetable below.

This is in line with the DfE's School Admissions (England) (Coronavirus) (Appeals Arrangements) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021.

National Notification date for on-time applications.	Tuesday 19 th April 2022
Notification date for late applicants (whose applications received after 15 January and before the 16 April 2020)	Wednesday 27 th April 2022
Deadline date for parents wishing to lodge an appeal. (Returning completed appeal papers to the school.)	Thursday 19 th May 2022
Appeal hearing to be held.	From 6 th June to 21 st July 2022 (Inclusive)
Decision letters to be sent.	Within 5 school days of hearing

Please note

- i) Appeals lodged after 19th May 2022 will be heard during the above dates if possible or within 42 calendar days (excluding any school holidays) of the appeal being lodged. Appeals lodged on or after 10th June 2022 may not be heard until the autumn term.
- ii) Appellants will receive at least 14 calendar days' notice of the exact date and location of their appeal hearing.
- iii) Following the lodging of an appeal, additional papers may be submitted to the school until 14 calendar days before the hearing. Evidence admitted after this date will be considered by the panel but this may lead to an adjournment and significant delays.