



**Admissions Appeal Timetable**  
**Year R (starting school in reception)**  
**Year 3 (Infant to Junior transfer) in September 2021**

**School Admissions 2021 – 2022**

Due to the Covid pandemic, all appeals will be held based upon written submission. This is in line with DfE's School Admissions (England) (Coronavirus) (Appeals Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 2020.

For Church of England Voluntary Aided Schools and Academies in the Diocese of Winchester and Diocese of Portsmouth.

National Notification date for on-time applications	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2021
Notification date for late applicants (whose applications received after 15 January and before the 16 April 2020)	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2021
Deadline date for parents wishing to lodge an appeal. (Returning completed appeal papers to the school)	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2021
Appeal hearing to be held	From 7 <sup>th</sup> June to 16 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 (Inclusive)
Decision letters to be sent	Within 5 school days of hearing

**Please note**

- i) Appeals lodged after 17<sup>th</sup> May 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 15<sup>th</sup> June 2021 may not be heard until the autumn term.
- ii) Appellants will receive at least 10 school 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 23 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.