



George Dixon Primary School

Admissions Procedures

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Consideration

Co-operation

Care

Courtesy

Courage

Communication

Commitment

Admission Arrangements

Reception Admission Arrangements

We are a 2-form entry school, reducing to a 1 form entry, which means in each year group we have 30 children enter reception and 60 children leave Year 6 for Secondary School.

For Autumn 2024 there is:

- 1 class in reception
- 1 class in Year 1
- 1 class in Year 2
- 2 classes in Year 3/4/5/6

Where there are more than 30 children applying for places in reception we apply the local authority 'oversubscription criteria' which gives priority to children in the following order:

1. Children currently (or previously) 'looked after' by the local authority (e.g. children in foster care or adopted).
2. Children with a statement of Special Needs or an EHCP (Education, Health and Care Plan) where George Dixon Primary School is the named school.
3. Children who will have siblings already at George Dixon Primary School.
4. Distance from the school (measured in a straight line).

More information is available here:

<https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions>

In-Year Admission Arrangements:

If you would like a child to join us after Reception has started or in any other year group, this is called an 'In-Year' admission. You will need to fill in an 'Application for a Change of School (In Year)' form, which is available at the school office.

If there is a waiting list for the year group that you are applying to, the same oversubscription criteria listed above is applied.