

Key Dates For Children Starting School or Moving up to Junior School in September 2025

<p>Primary timeline for entry in 2025</p>	<p>Children born between 1 September 2020 and 31 August 2021 will be starting school in September 2025.</p> <p>Children attending an infant school and born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018 will be moving up to junior school in September 2025.</p>
<p>September to December 2024 - open events</p>	<p>It's important you find out about the schools you are interested in before you decide to put them on your application. You can list up to 6 schools when you apply.</p> <p>Find my child a school place</p> <p>Open events information is available on our school directory. Open events are the easiest way to see a school first hand. You may need to make an appointment.</p>
<p>5 November 2024 - applications open</p>	<p>You can apply for a primary school place (Reception or Year 3 at a Junior school)</p>
<p>13th January 2025 - infant to junior transfer</p>	<p>Latest date to hand in a paper application to your child's infant school - 9am.</p>
<p>15 January deadline - Primary school applications close at midnight</p>	<p>Buckinghamshire residents have until midnight on this date to submit their online primary school application.</p> <p>If you are posting a paper application it must reach us no later than 15 January. All applicants must submit address evidence to accompany their application.</p>
<p>29 January deadline - this is the latest date for moving into Buckinghamshire</p>	<p>The latest date for moving into Buckinghamshire (and providing evidence) for us to use this address for the first round of allocations.</p>

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	<p>Some academies, foundation and voluntary-aided schools may have different deadlines.</p>
16 April - National Offer Day	<p>You will be able to view your school place offer.</p> <p>Parents who applied online will receive an email from 11am showing the outcome of their application.</p> <p>From 2pm the portal will be open for parents to view and accept their offer.</p> <p>Parents who applied on a paper form will be emailed if an email address was provided.</p>
1 July - School Transition Day	<p>Children usually visit their new school</p>
September 2025 - start of new school year	<p>The new school year starts and children attend their new school</p>

