



# Kenningtons Primary Academy

## *Nursery Admissions Policy*

**2024 - 2025**

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| <b>Date of Renewal</b>  | September 2024                |

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Admission to the Nursery will be governed by the following criteria: -

- (i) The child's age shall be not less than three years at the date of admission
- (ii) The number of places available are; 30 full time places.

**NB: Admission to Kenningtons Nursery does not guarantee a place in Reception at Kenningtons Primary Academy. A separate application must be made at the appropriate time.**

### **Nursery Oversubscription Criteria**

Where applications for admission exceed the number of places available, the following criteria will be applied, in the order set out below, to decide which children to admit: -

- (a) 'Looked After Children' and 'Previously Looked After Children'. 'Previously Looked After Children' shall include those children who appear to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted.
- (b) Those having a pressing social or special need.
- (c) Children of staff at the school. Staff shall mean teaching staff and non-teaching staff employed by Kenningtons Primary Academy, whether full or part time and where the member of staff has been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission to the school is made.

**The remaining places will be allocated as follows: -**

- (1) 20 x full-time places (33.75 hours)
- (2) 6 x morning places (15 hours)
- (3) 6 x afternoon places (15 hours)
- (4) 15+ hours

**And be categorised in the following way: -**

- (d) Children living in the priority admission area of the school who, at the date of admission, have a brother or sister attending Kenningtons Primary Academy. This includes full siblings, step siblings, half siblings, adopted siblings and long-term foster siblings living at the same address.
- (e) Other children living in the priority admission area of the school
- (f) Children living outside the priority admission area of the school who, at the date of admission, have brother or sister attending Kenningtons Primary Academy. This includes full siblings, step siblings, half siblings, adopted siblings and long term foster siblings living at the same address.
- (g) Other children living outside the priority admission area of the school
- (h) In the event of oversubscription within any of the above criteria, priority will be determined by distance from the school as the final tie-breaker (the nearest first). The measurement is taken from the front door of the home address to the main school gate.

## Multiple Births

In the case of twins/multiple births where more than one child is entitled to the last place in a year group and admitting the other child/children would exceed the Nursery Class size limit of 30, then the other child/children will be admitted as an 'excepted' pupil/pupils, and remain so until the until the class number falls back to 30.

There is one Nursery intake in September, Autumn Term. The closing date for application for admission into the Nursery shall be **31<sup>st</sup> January 2024** for September 2024 Admission. Parents will be notified of the result of the application by February Half Term.

It is a requirement that you provide proof of identification for your child, and proof of your address, before they start at the nursery. You will be required to provide the following documents on your child's first morning at Kenningtons Primary Academy: Your child's original birth certificate, your child's passport (and Visa's if appropriate) and a copy of your current council tax bill.

If you are entitled to 30 hours free childcare you will need to bring confirmation of your eligibility code.

## Priority Admission Area

The Priority Admission Area includes the site of the existing Aveley Football Club development and future development of houses in the Aveley Bypass and Aveley Football Club development area.

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| Barrett Way  | Park Lane (+Park Lane South)   |
| Belhus Park Golf Course  | Perry Way  |
| Belhus View  | Ravel Gardens  |
| Bellhouse Avenue   | Ravel Road   |
| Bredle Way   | Romford Road, Thurrock   |
| Brett's Farm & Cottages  | Rowan Grove  |
| Brinson Way  | Sandy Lane, Thurrock   |
| Buchanan Close   | Servern Road   |
| Bumpstead Mead   | Shannon Way  |
| Courts Way   | St Michael's Close   |
| Kennington Cottages  | St Paul's Close  |
| Marshfoot Close  | St Paul's Place  |
| Meadow Drive   | Swale Close  |
| Milfield Way   | Springfield Mews   |
| Mill Road – from Aveley By-Pass / Romford Road / Sandy Lane Roundabout up to Kelley House.<br>(Even – 94 to 38) (Odd – down to 23) | Tamar Drive  |
| Monnow Green   | Tany Mead  |
| Monnow Road  | Teviot Avenue – including Flats: Haywards / Franklyns / Meresmans / Pinfolds / Waymans |
| Nare Road  | Tyne Gardens   |
| Nethan Drive   |  |

**This Policy was reviewed by the Headteacher, approved by the Pupils, Admissions & Curriculum Committee and ratified by the Governing Body on a 1-year cycle. It must be signed and dated by the Chair of Governors and Headteacher and displayed on the Schools Website.**

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| <p>Signature of Chair of Governors:</p> <p><i>Sareeh Jeejee</i></p> <p>Date: 15.2.24.</p> | <p>Signature of Headteacher:</p> <p><i>Dawood Haynes</i></p> <p>Date: 15/2/24</p> |
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