

2023/24

In-year application to Portsmouth

Infant, junior or primary schools

This form is to be used for **Portsmouth school applications only**



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School/office use only

Date form received / /

Please read these notes before completing your application form

For schools/academies that are part of the co-ordinated admission scheme, you need to complete **only one** application form with up to six preferences.

If you would like help completing your form, please contact the City Helpdesk on 023 9268 8008 or at the Civic Offices, Guildhall Square, Portsmouth, PO1 2EA.

You can also refer to the **Information for parents 2023/24** booklet for more information. You can view the booklet online by visiting www.portsmouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions

- **If evidence or documentation is required to support your application, this must be relevant and returned with your form. It is your responsibility to provide the evidence required.**
- Please do **NOT** use this form if your child has an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP). Please contact the SEN team on 023 9284 1238.
- Please return your form to the Admissions Team, Civic Offices, Guildhall Square, Portsmouth PO1 2EA.
- If you wish to apply for a school outside Portsmouth, please contact the relevant local authority for information on how to apply.

School stamp:

Date:

If your child attends a Portsmouth school or academy your application will not be processed without your current school's stamp.



You can get this Portsmouth City Council information in large print, Braille, audio or in another language by calling 023 9268 8008.

Section 1a – Pupil information

Please complete this form in capital letters

Surname:	Forename:
Date of birth:	Gender:
Current or previous school: Address: Postcode:	
Child's current address: Postcode:	This address should be the permanent address at which the child is living with his/her parent(s)/carer(s). See Information for parents booklet page 14 for further information or contact the Admissions Team.

Section 1b – School preferences

I wish my child to be considered for a place at the following schools:

Year group required:	Start date:
Preference 1:	Preference 4:
Preference 2:	Preference 5:
Preference 3:	Preference 6:

You can apply for up to six different schools.

Please put as many preferences as possible as many of our schools are currently full.

Section 2 – Reason for application

Please tick the appropriate box and provide the evidence as requested.

1. Moved or moving house

Yes (go to question 2) No (go to question 4)

If yes, **proof of address will be required with the application form**, see **Information for parents** booklet. Please answer the following supplementary questions.

2. Is the move due to a new posting as Crown Service or Service personnel?

Yes (go to question 4) No (go to question 3)

3. Have you recently moved into the country? Yes No

Reason for Move: Please tick the relevant boxes to show reason for move:

Employment Refugee/Asylum Seeker International Student Other

4. Is your child currently attending school? Yes No

5. Is your child resident in Portsmouth? Yes No (If no, please give details)

Section 3 – Application assessment

Tick the box if the answer is **yes**, or leave blank if the answer is **no**.

Application for a Catholic primary school

If you are applying for a place at a Catholic primary school (Corpus Christi, St John's, St Paul's or St Swithun's) you must complete the supplementary information form or SIF (available on the website or by contacting the Admissions Team) to provide evidence for any faith criteria.

Child looked after – or previously looked after – by a local authority

See **Information for parents** booklet Page 61.

If you have ticked this criterion, please complete Section 4 of the application form.

Child or family with significant medical, physical, psychological or social need

This must be supported by relevant documentation which is to be returned with the application form – see **Information for parents** booklet page 61. This may not be applicable to all schools.

Children whose parents have a religious conviction for attending either St George's Beneficial CE Primary, St Jude's CE Primary only

See **Information for parents** booklet page 35–38. You must complete a **'Place of worship'** form which is available on the website or by contacting the Admissions Team.

Brother or sister already on roll

Does your child have a sibling **attending** or **applying** for one of your preference schools? OR does your child have a sibling **attending** or **applying** for an **adjacent** school to one of your preferences? See **information for parents** booklet pages 61-62 and 71.

Sibling name:

Date of birth:

School attending or applying for:

Current year group:

Child eligible for Service Premium (child of armed forces personnel).

See **information for parents** booklet page 62

Child of staff employed at the school. See **information for parents** booklet page 62

Please note, this may not be applicable to all schools.

Section 4 – Looked after child

Looked after child – If you are making an application for a child looked after by a local authority (i.e. in the local authority care or provided with accommodation by the local authority for a continuous period of more than 24 hours) please complete the following information.

Linked social worker:

Tel:

Contact Address:

Previously looked after child – A child previously looked after and then immediately adopted or subject to a residence or special guardianship order. Please provide a copy of the relevant court order and name of local authority responsible for looked after child.

Name of Local Authority:

Section 5 – Parent(s)/carer(s) information

The application will be processed on the basis that all those who hold parental responsibility are in agreement

Applicant Details (All details including email address are required)

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Other:	Mr/Mrs/Miss/Other:
Surname:	Surname:
Forename:	Forename:
Relationship to child:	Relationship to child:
Address if different to the child:	Address if different to the child:
Applicant's home tel:	Applicant's work/mobile tel:
Applicant's email address: PLEASE USE CAPITAL LETTERS	

Section 6 – Further information

Home language spoken:

Section 7 – Siblings

If you are applying for siblings in the same school and we are unable to allocate places in the same preference school – would you prefer the siblings to be **allocated in the same school** even if it is **not** one of your preferences?

Yes No

Section 8 – Declaration

The local authority reserves the right to verify information given on this form. Any offer of a place will be on the basis that the information supplied is accurate and up to date. Please read the declaration below and sign the form. **I certify that I have read the guidance notes and Information for parents booklet and the information given on this form is to the best of my knowledge correct. I understand that any place offered will be withdrawn if I give false information, even if my child has started at the new school/academy.**

Signature of parent/carers:	
Print name:	Date: / /

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