

CHAPMANSLADE CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL



Learning together in a Christian community, nurturing and developing lively minds in a caring environment.

<u>School Admission Timetable</u> <u>Children Starting in the Year 1st September 2023 – 31st August 2024</u>

| DATE | ACTION |
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| 15 January 2023 | Deadline - All paper and online applications must be received by midnight. If you apply after this time your application will not be considered until all those received before the deadline date have been processed. This means that the outcome of your application may not be decided until the end of May 2023 |
| January - April 2023 | The School Admissions Team - will liaise with schools and other authorities to make sure that, where possible, parents get a single offer for the highest preference school. If we are unable to offer you a place at any of your preferred schools, and you live in Wiltshire, an alternative place will be allocated for your child at the next nearest school to the home address with available places. |
| 17 April 2023 | Offer day - letters are posted out to all parents who applied by the 15 January 2023 deadline offering them a place at one school. Parents who apply online will be able to log back on to the online system on national offer day to view the outcome of their application, you will require your username and password which was created at the time of application. It is important that you keep these details safe as the school admissions team are not able to send duplicate emails to you confirming these details. Decisions on applications will not be given out over the telephone. |
| 03 May 2023 | Deadline - for parents to accept the place they have been offered. If you do not respond by this date, we will assume that you do not want the place and it will be offered to another applicant. If you have been refused a place at your preferred school you can appeal. (See appeals timetable below) Waiting lists are set up. Further information will be contained in the decision letter that will be posted out to you on national offer day. |
| 26 May 2023 | Second round offers- late applicants (second round applications received between 16 January 2023 and 26 April 2023) will be considered alongside any applicants who were refused in the first round. All applications will be considered in line with the schools individual over subscription criterion and any spare place and places that have become available after the April offer day, will be reallocated. |
| 9 June 2023 | Deadline - second round offers to be accepted by parents. Parents should return their acceptance/decline slips back to the LA. If the parent does not respond to the Local Authority to confirm if they wish to accept or decline the offer by the date stated in the letter, the Local Authority will send a second letter to the parent informing them that they have seven days in which to accept or decline the place which has |

| | been offered. They will also be advised in this letter that failure to respond |
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| | could result in the offer of the place being withdrawn. If there is still no |
| | response a third letter will be sent to the applicant informing them that |
| | the offer of a place has been withdrawn. It will then be the parent's |
| | responsibility to apply for an alternative school place. |
| 29 June 2023 | Third round offers - late applicants (third round applications received after |
| | 26 April 2023) Applications received after the 26 April will be considered in |
| | date order of receipt and will be looked at from today. Applications will be |
| | dealt with as soon as possible with allocations to a single school being |
| | made and offers being sent out by the LA as soon as practically possible. |
| June/July 2022 | Appeals are heard |
| 31 August 2022 | Deadline - any applications received after this date will be considered as |
| | in-year transfer applications. |

| | | Admission Appeals Timetable |
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| Schoo | ol to Publish appeals timetable to de: | 28 th February 2023 |
| a) | For a parent to submit an appeal | Within 21 school days (not calendar) for the parent or carer receiving notice of the refusal of a place at school (By midnight Wednesday 24 th May 2023 (NB this does not include weekends). |
| b) | Notice of Appeal Hearing | At least 14 school days before the hearing |
| c) | Appellant (usually the parents) to submit evidence | |
| d) | Admission Authority (the school) to submit evidence | 8 school days before the Appeal hearing |
| e) | The Clerk (the person organising the appeal) sends Appeal papers to parents | |
| f) | Additional evidence from the Appellants. (Sometimes the Appellants wish to submit additional information after seeing all the papers) | 5 school days before the Appeal hearing |
| g) | Decision letters sent to the Appellant if their appeal has been Upheld or Refused) | Within 5 school days of the hearing (wherever possible) so that parents are informed within 7 days |
| h) | For Applications made in the Normal Admissions Round Appeal must be heard | Within 40 school days of the deadline for lodging appeals (By Tuesday 25 th July 2023) |
| i) | For in Year and Late Applications (those that came in after the deadline and have not been decided by the offer date) Appeals must be heard | Within 30 school days of the Appeal being lodged |