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Wednesday 11th September 2024,

RE: Secondary School Open Evenings and Sessions 2024

Dear Year 6 and Year 5 parents and carers,

It has come to that time when you will be thinking about choosing the secondary school for your child. Parents of Year 6 children have until October 31st 2024 to apply online, whilst for Year 5 children, this will be October 31st 2025. You should apply for places through your home local authority (who you pay your council tax to). For Birmingham the details and links to the online form can be found here:

https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school_admissions/1778/secondary_school_year_7_admissions/1

This can be a difficult task for families – both making decisions and completing the official application online. If you need **any** help or support, I will be glad to do everything I can. You can arrange to meet me at the start/end of the school day and I will help. Other staff who can assist would be Miss Lavelle and Mr Parslow. We have all carried out the application process as school staff, but also as parents, so we are here to assist.

It is important that you have an idea of where your child wants to attend. The best way of doing this is to make school visits to School Open Sessions. I have contacted all local Secondary schools and asked them for their open sessions. The responses I have had or have been able to find are (listed in alphabetical order):

Bartley Green School <https://www.bartleygreenschool.co.uk/>

Open Evening: Thursday 10th October, 6:30pm onwards: https://www.bartleygreenschool.co.uk/open_evening

Bristnall Hall Academy <https://www.bristnallhallacademy.atrust.org.uk/>

Open Day: Saturday 21st September 10am-1pm, details: <https://www.bristnallhallacademy.atrust.org.uk/open-day-and-open-fortnight/>

Earls High School <https://www.earlshighschool.org/>

6-7pm & 7-8pm Tuesday 24th September & Thursday 26th September.

The school will be running time slots and bookings will need to be made via <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-evenings-2024-tickets-863812946777>

Four Dwellings Academy <https://sites.google.com/aetinet.org/four-dwellings-academy>

Open Evening: TBC – contact the school for details.

Harborne Academy <http://www.harborneacademy.co.uk/>

Open Evening: Thursday 26th September, 4-7pm

Hillcrest School <https://www.hillcrest.bham.sch.uk/> (Girls)

Open Evening: Thursday 26th September, 5:30-7:30pm

King Edward VI Foundation Schools Birmingham <https://kingedwardvifoundation.co.uk/our-schools/>

Details of the range of KEVI schools, both mainstream and Grammar schools:

<https://kingedwardvifoundation.co.uk/registering-for-the-entrance-test/admissions-timetable/>



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Unit 7, Newlands Court, Attwood Road, Burntwood, Staffordshire. WS7 3GF
Companies House: 08255492

King Edward VI Lordwood School for Girls <http://lordwoodgirls.co.uk/> (Girls)

Open Evening: Wednesday 25th September, 5pm-7pm. https://x.com/KEVI_LSG/status/1833456745076703432

Leasowes High School - <https://www.leasoweshighschool.co.uk/>

Open Evenings: Tuesday 17th September and Wednesday 18th September, 6:30-8.30pm.

You will need to book: <https://www.leasoweshighschool.co.uk/open-events>

Lordwood Boys School <https://sites.google.com/lordwoodboys.co.uk/lbs/home> (Boys)

Open Evening: Thursday 26th September, 4pm-8pm

Oldbury Academy <https://oldburyacademy.com/>

Open Evening: Monday 23rd September, 5-8pm.

Perryfields Academy <https://perryfieldsacademy.co.uk/>

Open Evening: Thursday 19th September, 5-7pm

Shenley Academy <https://shenleyacademy.e-act.org.uk/>

Open Evening: Tuesday 24th September, 4-7pm <https://shenleyacademy.e-act.org.uk/admissions/open-events/>

Shireland CBSO Academy <https://shirelandcbsa.org.uk/>

Open Evening: Wednesday 18th September, 5-7:30pm

Shireland Collegiate Academy <https://collegiateacademy.co.uk/>

Open Evening: Tuesday 17th September, 4-7pm <https://collegiateacademy.co.uk/admissions/>

University of Birmingham School <https://uobschool.org.uk/>

Open Evening: Thursday 17th October, 5.30-8pm

Local Special Schools

For a very small number of our children in Y5, it may be that special school is under consideration – this is reliant on a change to the EHCP for these children. Details of local Special Schools are here:

Baskerville School <https://www.baskerville.school/>

Selly Oak Trust School <https://www.sellyoak.bham.sch.uk/>

Uffculme School <https://www.uffculme.org.uk/>

Calthorpe Academy <https://www.calthorpe.thrive.ac/>

I hope that this letter is useful for you. I know it seems like a lot, but please take a look at a map and see which schools might be suitable for you and move forward from there. If we can help – please come and speak to one of us.

Yours sincerely,



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