

Application To Start School (F2 Rising Five) in September 2026



**WOKINGHAM
BOROUGH COUNCIL**

Please read the 'Parent's Guide to Primary School Admissions in the Wokingham Borough' and the admissions arrangement of your preferred school(s) carefully before completing this form using **capital letters**, taking particular care to understand the oversubscription criteria your application will be considered under, as you may be required to provide additional information to support your application.

Only complete this form if you pay your council tax to Wokingham Borough Council.

The closing date for applications is **15 January 2026**. Applications received after the 15 January will be considered Late and processed after all on-time applications have been considered.

Child's name in full:.....

Child's legal surname if different from above:

Child's date of birth:..... MALE / FEMALE (Please circle)

Child's current permanent home address:

Post Code:

If your child's permanent home address is changing and you want this new address to be considered for the allocation of places on 16 April 2026; evidence e.g. exchange of contracts or signed rental agreement will be required by **15 January 2026** (Parent's Guide refers). Evidence received later will not be considered until after 16 April 2026. Own admission authority schools may have agreed alternative date; please check their policy for details.

If you are unsure of where you will be living by the deadline or if your home address is likely to change prior to your child starting school, you should still apply and declare such circumstances.

Members of the armed services or Crown Servants – if you are moving to the Wokingham Borough, please provide a copy of the assignment order. If this is not available, please apply through your current home local authority.

Child's proposed new permanent home address (if applicable):

Post Code:	Expected date of move:
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Name of parent or carer who lives with the child at the home address given on the front page of this application and who is completing this form:

Title:First name: Surname:

Relationship to child: Home telephone no:

Mobile no:

Email address:

Is your child resident at more than one address?

YES / NO

If yes, please provide alternative address

To help to ensure your application is dealt with appropriately, please complete the following:

Does your child have an Education, Health and Care Plan issued by the SEN Team? (Parent's Guide refers)

YES / NO

Is the child 'looked after' or previously 'looked after' by a local authority?

YES / NO

If yes, please enclose supporting documentation (Parent's Guide refers)

Name of Local Authority:

Are you applying for a school on grounds of exceptional medical or social need? **YES / NO**

If yes, please enclose relevant supporting documentation (see Parents Guide and preferred school admission arrangements) as identified in the relevant policy.

If you are applying because your child has siblings at the school; please give details of older primary aged siblings attending your preferred schools, who will still be attending when your child starts primary school. Siblings attending a school nursery cannot be considered. (Parent's Guide refers).

Full name of sibling	Date of Birth	Name of school attended

PRIMARY OR INFANT SCHOOL PREFERENCES

In this section you are asked to state your school preferences in the order that you want them and your reasons for each preferred school.

This should include any applications for own admission authority schools, e.g. voluntary aided, foundation or academy schools or schools in other local authority areas. It is your responsibility to complete and submit any supplementary information forms for these schools, if required.

These schools have their own admission criteria and policies, determined by their governing bodies or Academy Trust Board; so the reasons you give will assist in ensuring your application is considered under the appropriate criterion. These can be different from the policy for Wokingham Borough Council's community or voluntary controlled schools. Parents who wish their children to be considered for entry to such schools are advised to contact the preferred school for a copy of its admission policy.

First Preferred School:	Office Use:
Reasons:	

Second Preferred School:	Office Use:
Reasons:	

Third Preferred School:	Office Use:
Reasons:	

Fourth Preferred School:	Office Use:
Reasons:	

Closing date: 15 January 2026. Application forms received after this date will be regarded as late and this is likely to adversely affect your application.

Only one application will be accepted per pupil. Where duplicates are received the Authority will process the application with the latest application date.

Personal information contained in this form is subject to (EU) General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). If you would like more information about how the Wokingham Borough council uses your data please see our Privacy Notice(s) which are available:
<http://www.wokingham.gov.uk/privacy/>

I understand that this information will be stored securely and may be shared with any appropriate agencies.

The Authority reserves the right to carry out further investigations and require additional evidence to verify information contained in this form.

Declaration:

I declare that the information I have given on this form is correct and that I am the person with parental responsibility for the child named on this form.

I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, the declared address will continue to be the child's residence beyond the start of school in September 2026 and I will advise the school admissions team of any changes.

I have read and understood the admission arrangements and criteria for all of my preferred schools and have completed and submitted any additional forms which may be required.

I understand that any place offered may be withdrawn if I give false or misleading information.

Signature of Parent/Carer Date

Please apply online at: www.wokingham.gov.uk/admissions or complete all sections of this application form using capital letters and return to:

School Admissions Team
Wokingham Borough Council
PO Box 156
Shute End
Wokingham
RG40 1WN

Application deadline: 15 January 2026