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Induction to Shirley Infant School



Admission Arrangements for starting school in September 2019

YELLOW GROUP

Your child will attend school full-time from Tuesday 17th September

These arrangements have been discussed and agreed by the School Governing Body.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 nd NO SCHOOL	<u>3rd</u> PM 1:15pm – 3:10pm	4 th NO SCHOOL	<u>5</u> th AM and lunch 8:45am – 1:00pm	6 th NO SCHOOL
<u>9th</u> AM and lunch 8:45am – 1:00pm	<u>10th</u> PM 1:15pm – 3:10pm	11 th NO SCHOOL	<u>12th</u> AM and lunch 8:45am – 1:00pm	<u>13th</u> AM and lunch 8:45am – 1:00pm
<u>16th</u> AM and lunch 8:45am – 1:00pm	<u>17th</u> FULL TIME 8:45am – 3:10pm			



Please deliver and collect your child promptly via the Reception playground – entry through the yellow side gate next to the Main School Office entrance.



Entry into Reception Year

The offer made to parents for reception class on the initial offer date is of a full time place from the start of term in September. Schools normally stagger entry into school from that date and arrange for some initial part-time attendance to ensure a smooth transition from pre-school or home into school. Flexibilities exist for those parents who do not feel that their child is ready to start school in the September following their fourth birthday. It is possible for them to:

- Request part-time admission to the allocated school from the September following their child's fourth birthday. This should be negotiated with the headteacher of the school.
- Request to defer their child's entry until later in the school year but not beyond the point at which they reach Compulsory school age, and not beyond the beginning of the final term of the school year.
- Request to defer their child's entry until the September following their fifth birthday. Parents must make an in-year application and the pupil would start in Year One.

Parents of summer-born children, that is children born between 1st April and 31st August, may, in addition, choose to send their child to school in the September following their 5th birthday and may **request** that their child is admitted out of their normal age group to reception year rather than Year 1. Any parent wishing to apply for their summer-born child to start school outside their normal age group should read the 'Guidance on the education of children *outside normal age group*' booklet, available on the Southampton City Council website, which explains the procedures that need to be followed.



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