



ADMISSIONS POLICY

Pupils are accepted in the following ways:

NURSERY

All parents are seen by the Headmaster and the Head of Nursery. There are no assessments for applicants to Nursery.

PRE-PREP

All parents are seen by the Headmaster and the most recent report is requested from the child's current nursery school or play group. All the children are seen by the Head of Pre-Prep and an assessment is given. We may ask a Reception child to spend a morning in the class before making a decision.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

All parents are seen by the Headmaster and a variety of assessments, which may include a Numeracy test along with reading and spelling tests, are given to the pupil. A report may be requested from the previous school and the child may be asked to spend some time in the class into which he/she might go.

UPPER SCHOOL

All parents are seen by the Headmaster and reports requested from the child's current school. Pupils will spend a day in the class into which they would start. During the day, a variety of assessments will be set, including an English assessment and an NFER Maths test.

ADDITIONAL NEEDS

If there are signs that a child has special needs, then the SENCO will be asked to assess the child to see if the school can meet these needs. A decision will then be made.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Entry by academic scholarship usually involves testing and interviewing the pupils. Verbal reasoning, reading, writing, and mathematical skills are usually tested during a morning in school.

Pupils offering Music and Sport will be assessed by the relevant Head of Department as possible Scholars.