

Admission Appeals Timetable

Normal Admissions Round – Year 6 into 7 – September 2024

Event	Dates	What the Department for Education says in the 'School Admission Appeals Code 2022' & 'School Admissions Code 2021'
National notification day	Friday 1 st March 2024	for secondary school applications, all offers must be made on the same secondary National Offer Day i.e. 1 March or the next working day
Deadline for lodging an appeal with the Appeals Team at Bucks CC	Thursday 28 th March 2024, 12pm.	Deadline for submitting completed appeal forms to: <pre>appeals@buckinghamshire.gov.uk</pre>
Appeal dates	May – July 2023	Appeals lodged as part of the main admissions round should be determined before the start of the September term wherever possible but may be delayed due to panel availability and numbers. Appeals received after 28 th March will be heard from September 2024.
	6 calendar days before appeal hearing	Appeals Team sends appeal papers to parents, admission authority/school and Appeal Panel
Notification of decision	No later than 5 school days of the appeal decision or, in the case of multiple appeals, within 5 school days of all appeal decisions for the school	Decision letters are sent to parents and admission authority within 5 school days of the appeal decision.

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For late transfer or in-year appeals

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Deadline for lodging an appeal	Within 20 school days of being notified that an application was unsuccessful	the deadline for lodging appeals allows appellants 20 school days from the date of notification that their application was unsuccessful to prepare and lodge their written appeal
Appeal dates	as soon as reasonably practicable	appeals must be heard as soon as reasonably practicable after the appeal has been lodged
Notification of decision	Within 5 school days of the hearing	decision letters are sent within 5 school days of the appeal

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