

## Summerhill Infant School Admission Information 2020/21



### Admission to Reception

The school is the admissions authority for entry to Reception and applies the Local Authority's (LA) admission criteria. Further details can be found on the LA's website. The school commissions the LA to allocate the bulk Reception places for the September start and so applications need to be made through the LA web page as below.

The criteria applied are as follows:

1. Children in Care or children who were previously in Care but immediately after being in Care became subject to an adoption, residence, or special guardianship order
2. Siblings at the infant school or the paired junior academy
3. Children living closest to the school as measured in a direct line from the home address to the school address

Applications can be done on line at [www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions) from September to mid-January of each year and the first round of places are offered in mid-April, with second round offers in June.

Further details can be found on the website or by calling 0117 903 7694 or email [school.admission@bristol.gov.uk](mailto:school.admission@bristol.gov.uk)

There are 90 places in three Reception classes. Children are allocated a class usually in June to start in September.

The school does not admit children out of their chronological year group.

### In-year admissions

The school is the admissions authority for in-year admissions and commissions the LA to run the process against the criteria above.

If a place becomes available the LA will contact parents on the waiting list in accordance with the above criteria, or allocate against the criteria if no waiting list exists.

The school will allocate a place in an appropriate class depending on the mix of the class and places available.

Please contact the LA or us on 0117 903 0243 or [summerhill.i@bristol-schools.uk](mailto:summerhill.i@bristol-schools.uk)

### Mixing of classes

In order to develop and strengthen children's social and emotional development and to ensure a balance exists within classes and between classes thus supporting effective conditions for learning the school reserves the right to mix classes.

### Admission to junior provision

Most children progress to Summerhill Academy at the transfer to Year 3. Summerhill Academy is not a LA school, currently there is no need for further applications and children will automatically transfer.