



Telford & Wrekin
Council

A great
start to your
future

APPLY FOR A SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACE 2027/2028

Your child's next chapter starts here



Transferring from primary to secondary school is an important and exciting step in your child's education.

Children usually start secondary school at the start of September following their eleventh birthday.

[Link](#)



Apply to four local schools

You are strongly advised to apply to four local schools including your nearest or catchment area school.

You can use our [Catchment Area School Finder Tool](#) to check which school are your nearest or catchment area schools.

[Link](#)



Children born between
**1 September 2015 and
31 August 2016**
will start secondary school from
September 2026.



Parents need to apply for a
Year 7 place by
31 October 2026



Children with an Education,
Health and Care Plan (EHCP)
must also apply by
31 October 2026



Read the Guide

Please read the [Guide to Secondary School Admissions](#) booklet for information on school open days and evenings, the process of applying for a secondary school place and to understand how places are offered.



Apply online today!



Visit:
www.telford.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/starting-school

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