
Connaught Junior School Admissions Consultation 2026/27

In accordance with legislation, The Alliance Multi Academy Trust (TAMAT) as the admission authority for Connaught Junior School is formally consulting on proposed admission arrangements for the school year 2026/27.

There is one change to the admission policy 2026/27, to give higher priority order for Windlesham Infant School over other schools under criteria 5 (see below).

The Published Admission Number for initial entry to Connaught Junior School is 120 pupils.

The reason for the consultation is because both schools are closely connected as part of The Alliance Multi Academy Trust and the learning pathway between the two schools is now more aligned to provide a seamless transition. The schools share the same overarching policies, staffing, teaching networks and Trust processes. Both schools benefit from shared resources as well as aligned curriculum expectations with subject leaders working across the schools in networks as well as teachers working together on moderation of learning, teaching and learning reviews and shared trust projects between staff and pupils.

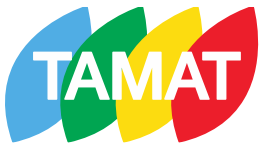
Proposed changes:

1. Looked after and previously looked after children (see Note a) including children who are adopted from state care outside of England.
2. Children with exceptional medical needs. (see Note b)
3. Children of staff who a) have been employed at the school for two or more years at the time at which the application for admission is made b) OR who have been recruited to fill a vacant post for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage
4. Siblings of pupils on roll at Connaught Junior School and Windlesham Village Infant School, Bagshot Infant School and Valley End C of E Infant School who are expected to still be on roll at either school on the date of admission.
5. Children attending Windlesham Infant School (ranked by distance to the school)
6. Children attending Bagshot Infant School and Valley End C of E Infant School (ranked by distance to the school)
7. Any other children (ranked by distance to the school)

We welcome comments to these changes.

How can I respond to the consultation?

The consultation on the admission arrangements and the proposed changes will run for six weeks from 12 December 2024 until 23 January 2025. If you would like to take part, please complete an online response form at:



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Alternatively, if you would prefer to respond on a paper form, please write to us at the address above.

Please note that only responses with the respondent's name and address will be accepted.

What happens next?

After the closing date, responses will be collated and presented to The Alliance Multi Academy Trust (TAMAT) Trust Board on w/c 27 January to make their decision and publish before 31 January 2025. It will decide whether to proceed with the proposed changes. Once determined the final admission arrangements for Connaught Junior School for 2026/27 will be placed on Connaught's website at [Connaught Junior School - Home](#) and TAMAT's website [The Alliance Multi Academy Trust - Information Hub](#).