

Joining Our School

Choosing the right school for your child is an important decision to make as a parent and we want to be able to help make this a straightforward and positive process for you. It is really important to visit the school to ask the questions important for you and of course see the school at work.

If you would like your child to attend our school, please contact the school office in the first instance. We can give you the latest status of the waiting lists, application procedure and make an appointment for you to visit.

If your child is currently at preschool and due to start school in the next academic year, you will probably see notices around local shops, pre-schools and the library telling you to contact your catchment area school. Applications should be made on-line in the Autumn term at:

www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/admissions

with a closing date early in the following January. If you are unable to complete a form online, Hampshire Local Education Authority forms may be collected from the school office if you live within our catchment area.

Open Days for September 2022 New Entrants

Parents are invited to join us for one of our Open Morning sessions during the Autumn term. Due to some Covid restrictions still being in place, we will need to limit numbers that we show around at the same time and ask you to wear a mask. Due to the need to keep records of those attending, all tours need to be pre-booked. It is really tricky to bring young children to the tour as we move around the classrooms and children do not have time to stop and play! We have lots of induction sessions before the children start school which are less daunting and much more fun for young children, so if you can arrange childcare you will find the tour easier.

Thursday 7th October

Wednesday 13th October

Thursday 21st October

Wednesday 4th November

The visit will take the form of a short talk from the Head, Mrs Sarah Willes or the Deputy, Mrs Adele Weaver, followed by a tour.

To book, please call the School Office on 02380 865994 or email adminoffice@calmore-inf.hants.sch.uk

Starting in Year R in September

Year R children have the opportunity to attend school full-time at the start of September, but the first few days are spent settling the children in. The children attend initially for alternate days only to introduce the children to school in a smaller group. We have found that this works really well for the children to settle into the new classroom and make relationships with confidence.

Starting at Calmore mid-year

If you are moving into our area, please contact the office or the county admissions team. They will then let you know whether places are available or whether you need to join our waiting list.

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