



Archbishop Tenison's

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Entry into Year 7 in September 2024 - Application Guidelines

Please ensure you read these guidelines, they have been designed to help you.

In addition to the Local Authority Common Application Form (CAF) via eAdmissions

- **Foundation Place applicants and Open Place Feeder School Place applicants** must also complete a Supplementary Information Form (SIF) and return this directly to the school. **Open Place applicants** do not have to complete a Supplementary Information Form, but they may do so.
- **The statutory closing date** for receipt of application forms is **31 October 2023**. However due to half-term closure post may not be received at the school. Therefore, it is strongly advised that SIFs are returned directly to the school by **Friday 20 October 2023** or earlier.

Please note that an acknowledgement of receipt of your application will only be sent to you by post if you enclose a stamped addressed envelope with your application.

Foundation Places:

- Please read the School's Admission Criteria carefully.
- If your church is not Church of England, check with your church leader whether your church is a **FULL member** of one of the following organisations:
 - **Churches Together in England**. Membership of the CTE (as at February 2023) can be found on the reverse of this sheet and on the CTE website: www.cte.org.uk.
 - **The Evangelical Alliance**. Membership of The Evangelical Alliance can be found on their website: www.eauk.org.
 - **Affinity**. Membership of Affinity can be found on their website: www.affinity.org.uk
 - **Fellowship of Independent Evangelical Churches (FIEC)** Membership of the FIEC can be found on their website: www.fiec.org.uk
- Please alert your minister that a reference request will be sent **from the school** and ensure that you provide a **correct** name, address, telephone number and email address for your minister so that your reference is not delayed. In the middle of November, speak to your minister to check whether he/she has received a reference request from Archbishop Tenison's School. If one has not been received telephone or email the Admissions Officer at the school so that a duplicate copy may be sent out.
- Remember that the Governors' Admission Committee only have your SIF and minister's reference to decide whether or not to award your child a place at the school.
- It is the parent's/carer's responsibility to check that their minister's reference has been received at Archbishop Tenison's School **before 30 November 2023**.
- In the event that during the period specified for attendance at worship the churches have been closed for public worship and have not provided alternative premises for that worship, the requirements of these admissions arrangements in relation to attendance will only apply to the period when the churches have been available for public worship.

Open Places:

- You may wish to check the distance from your home to the school by looking at Croydon Council's website: www.croydon.gov.uk/mynearestschools

If you have any queries, please contact the school's Admissions Officer at:

Archbishop Tenison's Church of England School

Tel.: 020 8688 4014 email: admissions@archten.croydon.sch.uk

www.archten.croydon.sch.uk

Churches Together in England (CTE) Member Churches - as at July 2023

Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of the British Isles + Ireland
Apostolic Church UK
Apostolic Pastoral Congress
Armenian Orthodox Church
Assemblies of God
Baptist Union of Great Britain*
Calvary Church of God in Christ
Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales*
Church of England*
Church of God of Prophecy
Church of Scotland (Presbytery of England)
Churches in Communities International
Congregational Federation*
Coptic Orthodox Church
Council of African and Caribbean Churches UK*
Council of Lutheran Churches*
Council of Oriental Orthodox Churches (Temporarily Defunct)*
Elim Pentecostal Church
Evangelical Lutheran Church of England
Free Church of England
Free Churches Group*
Ground Level
Holy Apostolic Catholic Assyrian Church of the East
Ichthus Christian Fellowship
Independent Methodist Churches*
International Ministerial Council of Great Britain*
Ixthus Church Council
Joint Council of Churches for All Nations*
Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church (Indian Orthodox Church)
Mar Thoma Church in Europe
Methodist Church*
Moravian Church
New Testament Assembly*
New Testament Church of God
Oecumenical Patriarchate
Order of St Leonard
Pioneer
Presbyterian Church of Ghana in England
Redeemed Christian Church of God
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers in Britain)*
Ruach Network of Churches
Russian Orthodox Church*
Salvation Army*
Serbian Orthodox Church
Synod of German-Speaking Lutheran, Reformed, and United Congregations in Great-Britain
Transatlantic Pacific Alliance of Churches
Unification Council of Cherubim + Seraphim Churches (Europe Chapter)
United Kingdom World Evangelism Trust
United Reformed Church
Vineyard Churches UK & Ireland
Wesleyan Holiness Church
Wesleyan Reform Union

*Note: Churches with a star after their name * indicate that the church was a founding member of CTE in 1990.*