

How do I apply for a place at Barbour Nursery School?

The application process begins on Wednesday 7th January 2026 at 12 noon for online admissions by visiting the website **eani.org.uk/admissions**. Children who have turned '3' on or before the 1st July 2026 will be eligible to apply for a place beginning in September 2026.

Parents should complete online applications by midday on Wednesday 21st January 2026. An application received after 12 noon on 21st January 2026 will be treated as a late application. (Parents should provide their supporting documentation for their application by uploading documents online only e.g. birth certificate, address verification or other information as per the admissions criteria).

Parents should list as many choices of nursery school, nursery unit or playgroup as possible on their application form. The form will automatically pass to the next choice if not successful at the first.

Information on admissions criteria used to allocate places is available on the "Admissions" section of the school website or can be emailed to parents upon request.

For further information, please visit our website

www.barbournurseryschool.co.uk

Information videos are available on the Education Authority website:

<https://www.eani.org.uk/parents/pupil-applications-and-grants/admissions/admissions-videos-and-guidance>