

<u>Beardall Fields Primary and Nursery School</u> <u>Admissions</u> <u>to Nursery</u>

Children can be entered on the waiting list on or after reaching the age of 2 years and will then be admitted when appropriate places become available the term following their third birthday.

If a child is already old enough to attend Nursery and a place is available, then they will be able to start immediately.

If the number of children wanting to attend exceeds the number of places available then the following criteria will apply.

The admissions criteria is the same as for school places, this ensures it is a fair process.

- Children Looked After by the Authority
- Children living within the catchment area with siblings attending the school
- Children living within the catchment area
- Children living out of the catchment area based on how close they live to the school.

A child's position on the waiting list is not fixed and is subject to change, ie they can go up or down as other children are added.

Please note that in exceptional circumstances, a child may be allocated a Nursery place outside of these criteria.