

NORTON CP SCHOOL

Admissions Policy

2026 to 2027



Vision Statement

Nothing is beyond our reach!

Care and challenge engage and motivate us!

Praise reassures and supports us!

Successes are celebrated and built on!

Starting primary school

For admissions in the normal year of entry, the local authority is the admission authority for all community and voluntary controlled schools in North Yorkshire and makes decisions about the allocation of places for these schools.

Admissions for Norton CP School are managed by North Yorkshire Council for children in Reception to Year 6.

Our Published Admissions Number is 90.

Applications can be made online.

Further information regarding how school allocates places; if there are more applications than places available or how to defer entry can be found on:

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/education-and-learning/school-admissions/school-admission-policies-and-statistics>

Key Dates

12 October 2025	Application round to apply for a primary school place will open.
15 January 2026	Closing date for the return of common application forms for primary school places.
16 April 2026	National offer day. Allocation information sent to North Yorkshire parents who applied for a school place. Inform schools of final allocation.
June to July 2026	Statutory admission appeal hearings. These dates may vary.

In-year admissions

An in-year application can be made at any time of the year and should be made directly to North Yorkshire Council.

For further information and details on how to apply are available on this link:

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/education-and-learning/school-admissions/changing-schools>

Admissions Appeals

For further information about grounds for appeal, what happens at a hearing and how to prepare please follow this link:

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/education-and-learning/school-admissions/parents-guide-admission-appeals>

Admission to Nursery

You can apply direct to the school for a place at our nursery and the form is available here:

<https://norton-pri.n-yorks.sch.uk/parents/admission-to-nursery/>

Working families in England can now access 30 hours of free childcare per week for their preschool children from September 2026.

This is an expansion from the previous 15 hours, provided you meet the eligibility criteria.

The eligibility criteria primarily focus on working parents with an income below £100,000.

For further information on the eligibility criteria and how to apply please follow the link below:

<https://www.beststartinlife.gov.uk/>

The sessions we offer are:

AM Session	9am to 12pm (3 hours)
PM Session	12pm to 3pm (3 hours)
Whole day session	9am to 3pm (6 hours)