

Applications for pre-school and primary one places for the school year from September 2025 to June 2026 **will open on EA Connect on Friday, 10 January 2025 at 12 noon.**

Use the links below to access EA Connect for schools and parents



Access EA Connect - Pre-School or School
<https://connect.eani.org.uk/school>



Access EA Connect - Parent
<https://connect.eani.org.uk/parent>

Social Media Toolkit

A number of resources to help you communicate with parents and guardians who will be applying through the pre-school and primary one admissions process, are now available for download from the [EA website](#).

The **Social Media Toolkit** contains graphics and messaging to support the promotion of this year's admissions process. We hope you find the resources helpful and appreciate your continued support in sharing via your pre-school's/school's various communications channels.

Further Assistance - Admissions Helpdesk

The Admissions Helpdesk is available from Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm by telephone on **028 9598 5595** or by email.

Pre-school: preschooladmissions@eani.org.uk

Primary 1: primaryadmissions@eani.org.uk

EA Connect technical queries: digital@eani.org.uk

Key Dates for Pre-School and Primary admissions:

10 January 2025

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24 January 2025

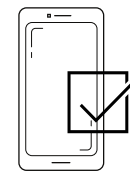
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9 April 2025

Parents and guardians application outcome via email for pre-school Stage 1 (target age) and primary one

10 June 2025

Notification of (pre-school Stage 2) outcome via email (includes underage application)



Admissions



Admissions Guidance for pre-schools and schools