

Year 9 Entry

For applicants studying overseas

Year 6 & 7 Route

- Our recommendation is for international pupils to apply in Year 8 as part of our traditional Overseas admissions process. In our experience, this gives them longer to prepare and mature ahead of our assessments and potentially boarding in the UK. We hold back both day and boarding places specifically for this process.

However, we understand that some families might be applying to other top UK schools with earlier processes. Should your child be taking the ISEB pre-tests for another school in Year 6 or Year 7, they may take part in one of our earlier admissions processes.

- Please refer to the UK Admissions Processes overleaf (assessments can be taken remotely where necessary)*

Year 8 Route

This is our recommended route for children who:

- Are at a school overseas
- OR
- Have only recently joined a UK school from overseas

- **September (Year 8):** Registration deadline
- **September – October (Year 8):** Assessments
- **September – November (Year 8):** Interview
- **November (Year 8):** Results
- **December (Year 8):** Acceptance Deadline
- **January – June (Year 8):** Scholarship Assessments and Induction Events



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For applicants studying in the UK

Year 6 Route

This route is for children who are:

- At a school in the UK
- At a school that supports them with the ISEB pre-tests, usually at an independent prep school

- **October (Year 6):** Registration deadline
- **October-November (Year 6):** ISEB pre-tests
- **February (Year 6):** Orientation Day
- **March (Year 6):** Results
- **October (Year 7):** Taster Day
- **January (Year 7):** Acceptance Deadline
- **June (Year 7):** Taster Day
- **January – June (Year 8):** Scholarship Assessments and Induction Events

Year 7 Route

This route is for children who are:

- At a school in the UK (and missed the Year 6 process) OR
- At a school that does not support them with the ISEB pre-tests

- **October (Year 7):** Registration deadline
- **October-November (Year 7):** ISEB pre-tests
- **October (Year 7):** Orientation Day
- **November (Year 7):** Results
- **January (Year 7):** Acceptance Deadline
- **June (Year 7):** Taster Day
- **January – June (Year 8):** Scholarship Assessments and Induction Events

Year 8 Route

This route is for children who:

- Are at school in the UK (and missed the Year 6 and Year 7 processes)
- Are of scholarship standard in academia, music, or sport

- **January (Year 7) – August (Year 8):** Enquiry
- **Suitability determined** by school report (and current school recommendation if applicable)
- **Assessments and interview** taken on an ad-hoc basis



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