

Secondary Applications 2024

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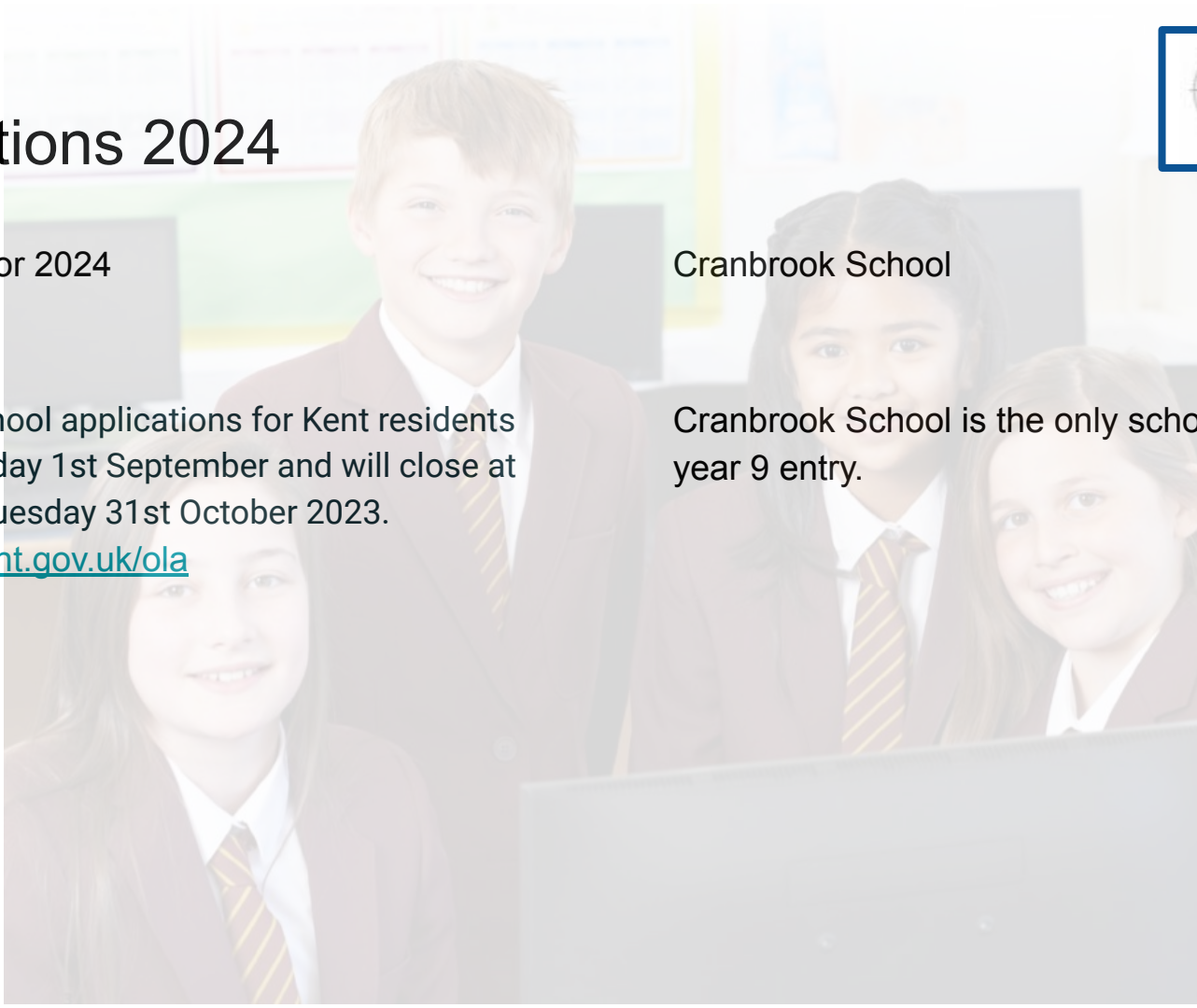
Applications for 2024

Secondary school applications for Kent residents opened on Friday 1st September and will close at midnight on Tuesday 31st October 2023.

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/ola>

Cranbrook School

Cranbrook School is the only school in Kent with year 9 entry.





SOUTH BOROUGH
Primary School

Choosing a School

Find out about a school

To find out if a school is suitable for your child:

visit the school - most schools have open days and evenings, for dates and times please check the school's website.

ask other parents what they think about the school

check the school's [admissions criteria](#) - this sets out how schools choose which children to offer a school place to

read the school's [Ofsted reports](#)

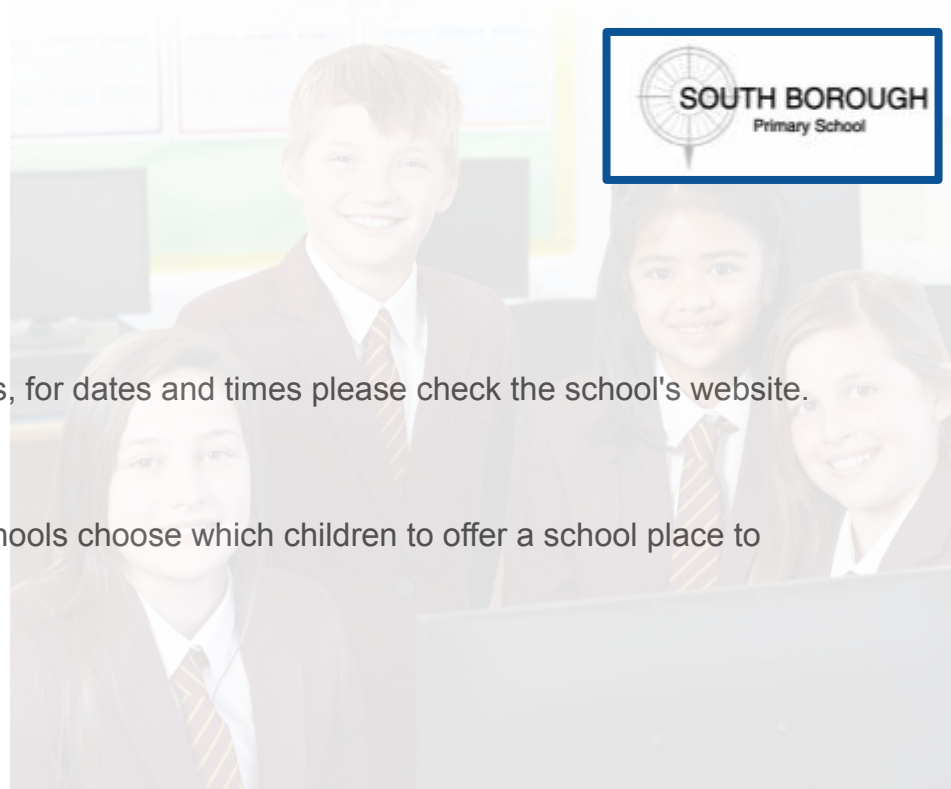
learn how [Ofsted inspect schools](#)

check [school league tables](#)

think about what [school transport](#) is available

find out how the school can support your child if you are [choosing a school for a child with a special educational need](#)

(if you are an overseas national entering the UK) check you have a [right of abode](#), or that the conditions of your immigration status otherwise permit you to access a state-funded school before you make an application.



Schools children from South Borough pupils enter

Comprehensive

Cornwallis Academy - Mixed - ME17 4HX 01622 743 151

St Augustine Academy - Mixed - ME16 8AE 01622 752 490

Valley Park School - Mixed - ME14 5DT 01622 679 421

New Line Learning Academy - Mixed - ME15 9QL 01622 743 286

Maplesden Noakes School- Mixed - ME16 0TJ

School of Science and Technology - Mixed - ME14 5GQ 01622 938 444


Grammar - Only select if grammar assessed

Invicta Grammar School - Girls - ME14 5DS 01622 755 856

Maidstone Grammar School - Boys - ME15 7BT 01622 752 101

Maidstone Grammar School for Girls - Girls - ME16 0SF 01622 752 103

Oakwood Park Grammar School - Boys - ME16 8AH 01622 726683



How many school choices do I have?

Kent applicants can name up to **four** school preferences on their secondary school application - rank these in their order of preference.

[Read our guide to secondary admissions for 2024 \(PDF, 1.2 MB\).](#)

Grammar Assessed or Non Grammar Assessed



1. **Grammar assessed-** choose 4 Grammar schools
2. **Not Grammar assessed-** choose 4 non-grammar (comprehensive) schools.
3. **If you wish to make a parental appeal- choose your top 3 comprehensive schools and choose one Grammar school as your 4th option.** This then gives you the right to appeal.
4. Headteacher appeals have already been completed.

Results for Kent Test published 18th
October 2023

Kent Test (11+) assessment decisions
sent to parents after 4pm.



Apply Online

[Create an account](#)

On 1 March 2024 KCC will contact Kent parents to inform them of the school they have been offered.

You will receive only ONE offer. E-mail messages will be sent after 4pm to parents who provided an email address on their application, and letters will be posted first class to all other parents. Please be aware that KCC has no control over email delivery times once they have left our servers and some email providers may delay sending the messages to account holders.

Parents are also advised to check their spam mail folders for the email before contacting kentonlineadmissions@kent.gov.uk. All online applicants can also log back on to their online applications after 5pm and view their school offer.

A photograph of a young Black girl with braids, wearing a white school shirt and a striped tie, sitting at a desk and smiling. She is looking towards the camera. In the background, another student is visible, and there are bookshelves filled with books.

After you get your offer

Accept or refuse your offer directly with the school.

The applying parent must let the offered school know whether you are accepting or refusing the place by 15 March 2024.

If you do not let the school know that you are accepting the place, it may be offered to someone else and you will lose it.

You can also lose your school place if the information you put on your application form is later found to be incorrect.