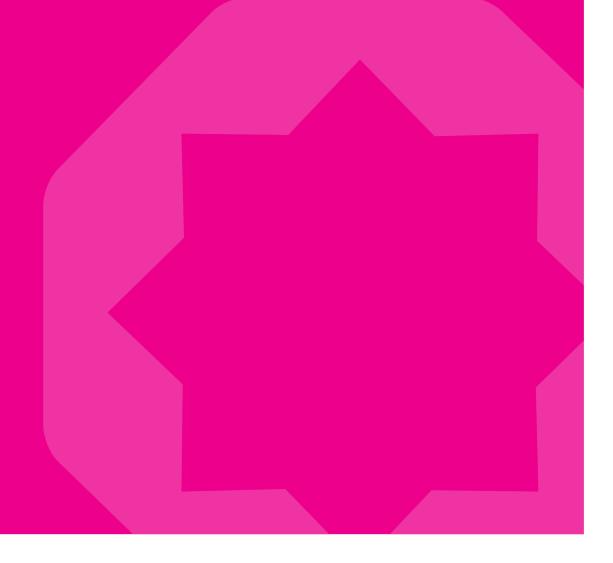


ADMISSION APPEAL DATES

The Olive School, Preston





Parents' statutory right of appeal to an independent appeal panel

Parents have a legal right of appeal to an independent appeal panel against the decision not to offer admission. Manchester City Council administers the appeals process on behalf of the school. Parents must request an appeal form from admissions@staracademies.org

Reception appeals under the normal admissions round for 2024 admissions

If parents of children return the completed appeal form to admissions@staracdemies.org by **15 May 2024** Manchester City Council (MCC) will arrange for the appeal to be heard by an independent appeal panel within 40 school days.

If the appeal form is returned after **15 May 2024**, MCC will arrange for the appeal to be heard by an independent appeal panel within 40 school days, where possible, or within 30 school days of the appeal form being lodged.

The appeals will take place between **May and July** for appeals lodged on time and from **July onwards** for appeals lodged after the deadline if they cannot be heard with the on time appeals.

In-year admission appeals

In-year admission is the process for applying for admission into an existing year group. Parents can request an appeal form from admissions@staracademies.org

When parents of children return the completed appeal form, arrangements will be made for the appeal to be heard by an independent appeal panel within 30 school days of the appeal form being lodged.