



## SIR JOHN LILLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### Parents of Year 6 pupils Secondary School Transfer

Dear Parents and Carers

This is a very important year for your child. In September 2026 they will be going to secondary school.

Thank you to all parents who attended the meeting on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September sharing information about your child moving to secondary school next September.

Over the next few weeks you will be invited to visit or attend online meetings with secondary schools in order for you to choose the best school for your child.

It is VERY important that, if you visit a secondary school, **your child goes with you**. This is considered an authorised absence. Your child MUST return to school after the visit.

We have put all of the documents you will need, to support you in making the application on line for your child, on our school website.

Please go to our school website

- [www.sirjohnlillie.lbhf.sch.uk](http://www.sirjohnlillie.lbhf.sch.uk)
- parents
- parent advice & help
- secondary transition.

**Your online application must be submitted by 11.59pm on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025.**

It is very important that you spend time researching the best school for your child on the individual school websites and by visiting the school and finding out if your child

- would be required to take a test
- would need to supply additional information (mainly for church schools).

It is a good idea to read the admission criteria to find out if your child is likely to be offered a place and look at how places were offered in the previous year. Please remember not all schools give priority to siblings.

In the meantime, have a look at the information in the 'Hammersmith and Fulham Hints and Tips 2026 booklet', available on our website, to find out when the secondary schools are doing their open mornings and evenings. For schools outside Hammersmith and Fulham please go to other local authority websites.

Yours faithfully

Sue Hayward  
Headteacher

