



**APPLY FOR A
SECONDARY
SCHOOL
PLACE
2024**

**A GUIDE
FOR PARENTS OF
CHILDREN IN YEAR 6**

Working for every child

 Hackney

WHO?

Apply if your child was born between **1 September 2012** and **31 August 2013**.

WHEN?

Apply before **31 October 2023**.
Offer day is Friday 1 March 2024.

HOW?

Apply online at www.eadmissions.org.uk
Follow the step-by-step instructions in this guide.

ACT NOW!

Get more information

Read this guide carefully and get more information online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondaryguide

View an online video briefing using your smartphone, tablet, laptop or desktop computer. Visit education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarybriefings for more information.

Find your local schools

Use the map at the back of this guide or you can find schools near your home online at map.lgfl.org.uk/eAdmissions/

Open events are listed on pages 10 and 11.


Decide the order of your preferences

You should list more than one school (maximum 6). Listing only one school does not mean you will be offered a place.

The order is important. List your favourite school as the first preference, then your next favourite school as your second preference and so on. Listing a school as your first preference does not increase your chance of being offered a place.

Each school is given equal consideration regardless of where you list it in your preferences. The order of your preferences will only be considered if your child qualifies for more than one place.

Hackney Education is the department within Hackney Council that is responsible for Hackney's children's centres, schools and early years providers. Our vision is to provide excellent education for every child and young person.

 Find out more at education.hackney.gov.uk



WELCOME

On behalf of the Hackney family of secondary schools, we would like to thank you for trusting us with the next step in your child's education. We are very proud that our schools are the first choice for many local parents and carers, as some of the most successful educational institutions in the country.

We know that choosing the right school for your child is a decision that can feel overwhelming for any family. Please take your time to reflect on what matters the most for you and your child when considering your options, and examine our schools' offer and admission criteria carefully. We recommend that you visit your preferred schools on their open days, to learn more about how they can support your child's educational journey.

We have excellent schools in Hackney, offering a rich curriculum and strong attention to personal development, helping young people discover and pursue their passions. 98% of secondary pupils are in schools rated as good or outstanding by Ofsted. Hackney schools, collectively, are in the top 25% nationally for GCSE results*, and Hackney's most disadvantaged pupils rank in the top 20 local authorities in the country against the main secondary performance measures**.

Hackney Education is committed to supporting all our young people, and we work closely with our schools to ensure that they offer the best possible start in life for every child. Whichever school you choose, your child is guaranteed excellent opportunities.

As your child makes the step from primary to secondary school, we ask you to continue to be involved in their education, encouraging them to be curious about the world around them, respectful to their teachers and their peers, and open to learning new things.

We wish you and all pupils starting secondary school in Hackney the very best for the future.

*Attainment 8 (measures of how well our pupils do in eight GCSEs including core subjects).

**Attainment 8 and percentage of pupils achieving English and Maths (9-4 and 9-5 passes).



Cllr Anntoinette Bramble
Deputy Mayor of Hackney



Paul Senior
Interim Director of Education
Hackney Education

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 1 September 2023	Online applications open
September/October 2023	Open days and evenings at Hackney secondary schools (see pages 10 and 11 for more information)
From Monday 25 September to Friday 13 October 2023	Cognitive ability tests (CAT) for children attending Hackney primary schools (see page 4 for more information)
Tuesday 31 October 2023	Closing date for on-time applications
Saturday 18 November and Saturday 25 November 2023	Cognitive ability tests (CAT) for children attending primary schools outside Hackney (see page 4 for more information)
Friday 8 December 2023	Last date to explain why your application was late; request changes to your application submitted on-time or provide evidence of a change of address
Friday 1 March 2024	National Offer Day
Friday 15 March 2024	Last date to respond to your offer
September 2024	Children start secondary school

HOW TO APPLY

Applications open on **1 September 2023**. You should complete Hackney Education's Common Application Form online at www.eadmissions.org.uk (see page 6 for step-by-step instructions). You can list up to six state-funded secondary schools, academies or free schools anywhere in London. List your favourite school as the first preference, then your next favourite school as your second preference and so on.

You must apply before midnight on **31 October 2023**.

Religious schools will ask for extra information about your membership of a particular faith. You will have to complete a Supplementary Information Form (SIF) and return it to the school concerned if you want to be given priority under their faith based criteria. You can get the supplementary forms directly from any of the schools listed below or online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarieschools

The following religious secondary schools in Hackney will ask you to complete a supplementary form:

- Cardinal Pole Catholic School, Catholic
- Lubavitch Senior Girls School, Jewish
- Our Lady's High School, Catholic
- The Urswick School, Church of England
- Yesodey Hatorah Senior Girls School, Jewish

CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS WHO HAVE AN EDUCATION, HEALTH AND CARE PLAN

There is a separate admission process for pupils who have or are due to be issued with an Education, Health and Care Plan before September 2024. If your child has a plan or, having gone through an EHC needs assessment, has been issued with a draft plan by 20 October 2023 then you should **not** apply through the general admission process. You will get a school preference form to complete from the Education, Health and Care Planning (EHCP) team.

If your child has not received a draft EHC plan by 20 October 2023 please use the process outlined in this guide.

Visit www.hackneylocaloffer.co.uk/secondarysend for more information or call **020 8820 7000** Option 4.

WHAT DOCUMENTS DO I NEED TO SEND WITH MY APPLICATION?

You do not need to send any additional documents with your application. To confirm your address we will check your details against council tax and other council records. If it is not possible to confirm your address we will contact you directly to request further evidence.

If you have changed address in the last year and the school you wish to apply for is oversubscribed, you may be asked to complete a questionnaire to prove that you live permanently at your current address. Failure to provide proof of your child's address, if requested, may cause delays in processing your application. More information about address checks and fraudulent applications is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondaryaddress

BANDING AND COGNITIVE ABILITY TESTS (CAT)

Most Hackney secondary schools use a process of banding to ensure they admit a wide range of children of different abilities. Every child who applies must sit a cognitive ability test (CAT) and the results are used to group applications into different ability bands.

If your child attends a Hackney primary school (in Year 6) they will take the CAT at their school during **September/October 2023**. The school will arrange the testing as part of the normal school day.

If your child attends a school outside Hackney and you apply for a school that uses banding your child will be invited to sit the CAT at a Hackney secondary school on **Saturday 18 November or Saturday 25 November 2023**. We will contact you via email in November 2022 to tell you the date and venue for your child's test. The session will last about three hours.

 More information about CAT is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/cat


IMPORTANT

There are no alternative test dates and it is your responsibility to make sure your child is available to take the test on your allocated date. Failure to take the test may result in your application being placed at the bottom of the list behind all applicants who have taken the test for that school.

HOME ADDRESS

Your child's home address is the address where they are living on the closing date, **31 October 2022**. Where parental responsibilities are equally shared, we will consider the home address to be the place where your child sleeps and spends most of their time, from Monday to Friday. This is the address that will be used to process your application and calculate home-to-school distance or confirm a sibling attending the

school. If you're not sure what address to use you should seek advice before submitting your application.

 More information is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondaryaddress

PRIORITY APPLICATIONS

Some applicants have higher priority for places according to the admissions criteria of the school. Common priority criteria are outlined below. You should read the admission criteria for your preferred schools online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarieschools

Looked after children/previously looked after children

If you are completing the application for a looked after child or a child who was previously looked after, including children in state care outside of England, but immediately after being looked after became subject to an adoption, child arrangements or special guardianship order; please tell us on the application form. You must name the council who looks after the child (or previously looked after the child) and provide a letter from the social worker to confirm this. In addition, if the child was adopted or became subject to a child arrangements or special guardianship order you must also provide a copy of the child arrangements order, special guardianship order or proof of adoption from the relevant local authority or country.

Children with a Child Protection Plan

If you are completing the application for a child that is the subject of a Child Protection Plan you must tell us directly by emailing secondary.transfer@hackney.gov.uk

Children with exceptional medical or social needs

Some schools and academies give priority to children who have an exceptional need to attend a specific school on medical or social grounds. If this is the case with your child you must tick the appropriate box on the online form and provide detailed evidence from a GP, hospital consultant, social worker or any other agency or professional involved with your case.

The evidence must be specifically about your child's medical/social condition, the effects of the condition and why your child needs to attend a particular school. The evidence should also include detailed knowledge of the school in terms of resources and organisation which demonstrate that your child can only attend the specific school and why no other school is suitable. Your own medical needs cannot justify a place at a particular school but you can apply if you can demonstrate that your child has a social need arising from your medical needs.

It is your responsibility to provide evidence to support your claim and this must be submitted with your application by Monday **15 January 2024**. If you submit evidence after the closing date, it may not be possible

to consider it in time for National Offer Day (16 April 2024) but it will be considered for offers made after this date. If you tick the box on the application form but do not submit evidence, your application will not be considered under this criterion and you will not be reminded to submit evidence.

Not all academies and schools in Hackney give priority on medical or social grounds and you should read the admission criteria for your preferred schools online at education.hackney.gov.uk/primarieschools

Sisters and brothers (siblings)

Your child will have higher priority if they have an older brother or sister at the school you are applying for. The older child must still be at the school when the younger child starts. You must tell us on the application form by ticking the box and giving the older child's name and date of birth. If your child has more than one brother or sister at the school please provide the details of the youngest brother or sister. If you do not provide this information you may not be given the sibling priority.

Children of staff

Some schools give priority to children of staff working in their school. If you work at a school you are applying for you must indicate this on the application form.

LATE APPLICATIONS

If you submit your application after 31 October 2023 it will be considered late unless there were exceptional reasons that prevented you from applying on time. The last date that exceptional reasons can be considered and agreed is Friday 8 December 2023. After this date your application will be late regardless of the circumstances and will only be considered after all the applications received on time have been dealt with.

FURTHER INFORMATION AND ADVICE

This guide has all the key information you need to make your application. Further detailed information is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondaryguide including:

- Applying from overseas
- Twins, triplets and multiple birth children
- Home-to-school distance
- Moving house
- Changing your preferences

You can also email secondary.transfer@hackney.gov.uk or call **020 8820 7000** for help and advice.

Support is offered online, via email or telephone in the first instance. If you need support in person you can visit the Hackney Service Centre on Tuesday between 9am-12pm or Thursday between 1-4pm.

APPLYING ONLINE – STEP BY STEP GUIDE

BEFORE YOU START

Decide the order of your preferences before you start the online application.

Get an email address – you need one to apply and you need to be able to access it in March 2024. If you don't have one go to **www.googlemail.com** and click **'Create an account'**.

Get help if you have trouble with computers. Ask a friend, a relative, your child or their school to help you make the application.

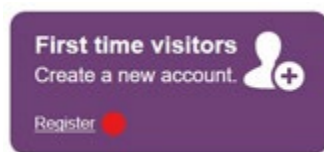
LOGIN OR REGISTER

01. Go to **www.eadmissions.org.uk**

02. If you have applied for an older child in the last 3 years choose **'Sign in'**. Enter your email and password from your previous application and click **'Sign in'**. If you can't remember your username or password click **'Forgot username or password?'** and follow the instructions.
→ **Skip to step 09**



03. If this is the first time you have applied or you applied more than 3 years ago you must register your details and choose your password. Click **'Register'**.

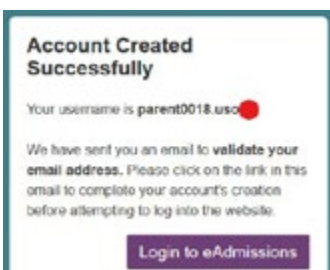


04. Enter your name and postcode then click **'Search'**. Click the down arrow next to **'Please Select Address'** and click on your address from the drop down list. Click **'Continue'**.



Enter your email address and contact phone numbers. Click **'Continue'**.

05. Enter the password of your choice and click the box to agree the privacy policies. Click **'Create'**.



Note down your password and username from the confirmation screen in the space provided on the opposite page.

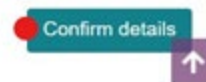
06. Check your email - you must confirm your email address before you can make your application. Click the link in the confirmation email from **noreply@eadmissions.org.uk**

07. After you click the validation link a confirmation message appears and you can sign in with your username and password to continue your application.



08. Click **'Start Application'**.
→ **Skip to step 11**

09. You must check and update your details if they have changed. Click **'Change details'** if you need to make changes. When your details are correct tick the boxes to confirm and to agree the privacy policy at the bottom of the page, then click **'Confirm details'**.



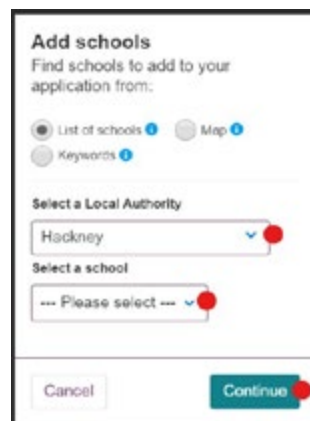
10. Click the **'Start Application'** button at the top of the page.



CHILD DETAILS AND PREFERRED SCHOOLS

11. Enter your child's details and click **'Save and continue'** at the bottom of each page. Make changes if required by clicking **'Change details'**. Confirm everything is correct by clicking **'Save and continue'**.

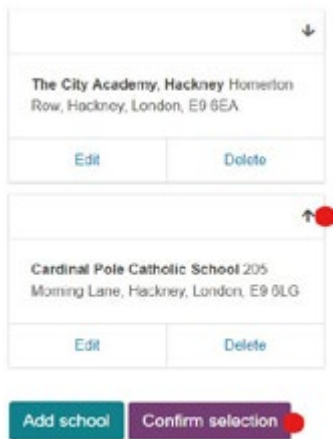
12. Click **'Add school'**. You can select the school from a list, from a map or by searching for the name (keywords). Select the school from the list by clicking the small arrow at the end of the **'Select a school'** box. Select a different local authority to apply for schools outside Hackney. Confirm you selected the right school, read any important information and then click **'Continue'**.



13. Answer the questions about your application for the school. Indicate if your child has brothers or sisters already attending, if they have medical/social reasons to attend the school or if you are a staff member, then click **'Add school'**.

14. Repeat steps 12 & 13 to list more schools until you have listed all your preferences.

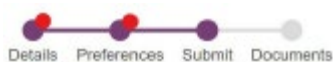
15. The schools you select show in preference order. The one you want the most should be at the top of the list. You can change the order by clicking the up and down arrows. You can edit the details you entered for a school or remove it from the list using the 'Edit' and 'Delete' options. When you have listed all your preferences and they are in your preferred order click **'Confirm selection'**.



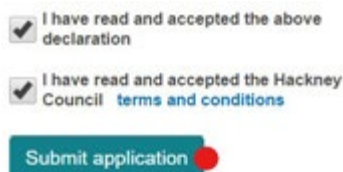
16. If you listed fewer than six schools you will get a warning message. Click **'Continue'** if you are happy with your preferences or add more schools.

CHECK AND SUBMIT

17. Check the details of your application carefully. If you need to make changes click on **'Details'** or **'Preferences'** in the navigation bar at the top of the screen.



18. When your application is checked scroll to the bottom of the 'Check & Submit' page. Read and agree the declaration and Hackney Council terms and conditions by ticking the boxes.



19. Click **'Submit Application'**. Note your Application Reference Number in the space provided on this page.

20. You will receive a confirmation email with your application reference number (e.g. 204-2024-09-E-001234). This email is proof that you have submitted your application successfully.

MAKE CHANGES AND ATTACH DOCUMENTS

- You can make changes and attach supporting information up to the closing date (31 October 2023) by signing into the system with your username or email address and your password.
- Each time you make a change you must resubmit your application. You will receive a confirmation email each time you successfully change your application.
- You will also receive a confirmation email for each document you attach.
- **NEW:** You do NOT need to provide proof of your address. We will confirm your address against council tax and other council records.

HELP AND SUPPORT

If you need help logging into your online application or registering to apply online you can contact the London eAdmissions support helpdesk on **020 8255 5555** (option 1) or visit **www.eadmissions.org.uk/support/step1**

If you have any other problems or questions please contact the admissions team on **020 8820 7000** or email **secondary.transfer@hackney.gov.uk**

YOUR APPLICATION DETAILS

Note your application details below for future reference and keep this guide safe and secure

Email address: _____

Username: _____

Password: _____

Application Reference

Number: _____

BEFORE YOU APPLY...

Schools and academies in Hackney are very popular and not all applicants can be offered a place. You should follow the advice below and think carefully about which schools you list on your application before you apply.



VISIT SCHOOLS

Where possible you should visit schools to get an idea of what they can offer. Details of the open events at Hackney secondary schools are on page 10 and 11 of this guide. Please ensure you contact schools to arrange and confirm your visit in advance.



ARE YOUR PREFERENCES REALISTIC?

Consider how likely it is that your child will be offered a place at your preferred schools.

Read the admissions criteria for each school and figure out which criteria apply to your child. If you list a school as a preference on your application you should read the full admissions policy which is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarieschools or on the school's website.

If you are unsure whether you will qualify for a place you can call the admissions team for impartial advice on **020 8820 7000**.



DO YOU LIVE CLOSE ENOUGH TO GET A PLACE?

Some schools use home-to-school distance as part of their admission arrangements. You can find out the approximate distance to your preferred schools using the GOV.UK schools finder online at www.gov.uk/find-school-in-england

The distance from home to school of the last child offered a place at Hackney schools from previous years (i.e. the cut-off distance) is available online in the school directory at education.hackney.gov.uk/cutoffdistances

Remember that although this information can be used to give you an idea of how likely it is that you will be offered a place, the cut-off distance will change every year. We can never guarantee any child will be offered a place at any school.

Note that, in addition to distance, Mossbourne Community Academy also include an element of random allocation (a computerised lottery) to determine who gets a place.



HOW WILL YOUR CHILD TRAVEL TO SCHOOL?

Hackney has a great network of buses, London overground and rail links making it easy to get to any of our local schools. Children of secondary school age would generally be expected to travel to school independently using public transport. However a very long journey to school on public transport may not be the best choice for your child.

Travel to school is free on Transport for London (TfL) buses. Some children may be eligible for help with the cost of tube and/or train journeys. Further information is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/travel



RESEARCH SCHOOL PERFORMANCE AND INSPECTION OUTCOMES

All schools in Hackney are inspected regularly by Ofsted. You can access the latest Ofsted reports at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarieschools Headteachers will be happy to talk to you about any part of the Ofsted report for their school.

You can get information about an individual school's performance results from the Department for Education (DfE) website at www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk



TALK TO YOUR CHILD AND OTHERS

What school does your child want to attend? Remember that the right school for your friend's child may not be the right school for your child.

Don't judge a school solely on what others say – It is important to do your research and make up your own mind about the schools you apply to. .

The school admissions team can provide impartial, expert advice about how likely you are to be offered a place at Hackney schools. They can help you understand how the offer process works and how to make best use of your six preferences.

MYTH BUSTERS – GET THE FACTS!

It is easy to make assumptions about how school admissions works. Here are some of the common assumptions and misunderstandings as well as the facts.

My child has a right to a place at one of my preferred schools.

Not true! ...your child will only be offered a place if they qualify according to the school's admission criteria. If your child does not qualify for any of your preferred schools (e.g. because your preferences were unrealistic) they will usually be offered a place at the nearest school to your home with a vacancy remaining after all on-time applicants have been offered places.

I don't need to apply because I have an older child already at the school.

Not true! ...everyone must apply for their child even if they have a brother or sister already at the school. Most schools give priority to brothers and sisters but if you don't apply you could miss out on a place.

If I list only one school then I have to be offered a place.

Not true! ...listing only one school does not increase your child's chances of being offered a place. You are strongly advised to include your nearest schools amongst your preferences.

I live nearer to the school than the last child offered under the distance criterion last year so I'm guaranteed a place.

Not true! ...the home-to-school distance of the last child offered a place will change every year. The information about offers for each school in previous years is available online at [education.hackney.gov.uk/cutoffdistances](https://www.education.hackney.gov.uk/cutoffdistances)
This information is a guide only and no child is guaranteed a place at any school.

Children in my road go to the school so my child will too.

Not always ...the number of pupils offered under each criterion at each school can change every year. Just because you know pupils living near you that go to a certain school, it does not mean that your child will be offered a place there.

If I apply to a school in another borough, their residents will have priority over me.

Not always! Some admission authorities may give priority to local children, i.e. based on postcode, however published admissions criteria cannot include the borough of residence. You should read the admission arrangements to see how children are prioritised for a place.

It does not matter if my application is late.

It matters! ...If you apply after 31 October 2023, we will look at your application after all those that applied on time have been processed. In this case it is very unlikely that you will be offered a place at a popular school.

I can only apply for Hackney schools.

Not true! ...you can apply for both Hackney and out of borough schools by listing them on the Hackney application form.

OPEN EVENTS IN 2023

These open mornings and evenings are intended for students who will transfer from primary to secondary school in September 2024. All the dates listed are in 2023.

1. Cardinal Pole Catholic School

205 Morning Lane, E9 6LG
020 8985 5150

www.cardinalpole.co.uk

Open Evening: Thursday 21 September 4.30pm-7.30pm (Headteacher's speech at 5pm and 6.30pm, last entry at 7pm).

Open Day: Saturday 23 September 9.30am-12.30am (Headteacher's speech at 10am and 11am).

Open Mornings: Monday 25 September through to Friday 6 October from 9.15am-10.15am (by appointment only)

2. City of London Academy, Shoreditch Park

40 Hyde Road, N1 5JU
020 3011 2162

www.shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Open Evening: Thursday 12 October, 4.30-7.00pm. (Principal's speeches at 5.00pm and 6.00pm. Last entry to the Academy at 6.30pm)

Open Morning (appointment only): Thursday 19 October, 9-10.30am (Principal's speech at 10.00am) and 11.00am-12.30pm (Principal's speech at 12 noon).

Please note, these are the only dates and times offered for visits by prospective applicants and their parents/carers.

3. Clapton Girls' Academy

Laura Place, Lower Clapton Road, E5 0RB
020 8985 6641

www.clapton.hackney.sch.uk

Thursday 21 September, 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 26 September, 9.15-10.30am

Tuesday 3 October, 9.15-10.30am (please arrive by 9.15am at the latest for a tour)

Thursday 5 October, 5-7.30 pm (Headteacher's speeches at 5.30pm and 6.30pm, last entry to the Academy at 7pm)

4. Haggerston School

Weymouth Terrace, E2 8LS
020 7739 7324

www.haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

Tuesday 26 September, 9-10.30am

Tuesday 03 October, 9-10.30am

Tuesday 10 October, 5-7.30pm

Tuesday 17 October, 9-10.30am

5. Lubavitch Senior Girls School

107-115 Stamford Hill, N16 5RP
020 8049 1899 ext 2003

www.lubavitchseniorgirls.com

Open mornings are held in September and October by appointment only.

6. Mossbourne Community Academy

100 Downs Park Road, E5 8JY
020 8525 5200

www.mca.mossbourne.org

Thursday 28 September 4.30-7.30pm (last entry at 7.00pm).

Please note, this is the only date and time offered for visits by prospective applicants and their parents/carers.

The Principal's speech will be shown throughout the evening and available on our website from Friday 29 September.

7. Mossbourne Victoria Park Academy

Victoria Park Road, E9 7HD
020 8510 4550

www.mvpa.mossbourne.org

Thursday 28 September, 4.30-8pm (Last entry 7.15pm. Last Principal's speech at 7.30pm. Evening ends at 8pm)

Please note, this is the only date and time offered for visits by prospective applicants and their parents/carers.

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Further information about the Hackney secondary schools is available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondaryschools

8. Our Lady's High School
6-16 Amhurst Park, N16 5AF
020 8800 2158
www.ourladys.hackney.sch.uk
Wednesday 27 September, 4-8pm (Last entry: 7.00pm. Headteacher's speech at 4.15pm, 6pm and 7.15pm).
Register via the school website.
Friday 29 September through to Friday 13 October from 9.30-10.30am and Saturday 30 September, 10am-12noon.
Please notify the school of your attendance by emailing officeadmin@olchs.co.uk
** PLEASE NOTE: Our Lady's Catholic High School will accept applications and offer places to boys starting from September 2024. Please visit the website for more information.*

9. Skinners' Academy
Woodberry Grove, N4 1SY
020 8800 7411
www.skinnersacademy.org.uk
Wednesday 20 September, 4.30-6.30pm (Tours. Principal's presentation at 4.45pm and 5.45pm)
Wednesday 11 October, 5-7pm (Tours. Principal's presentation at 5.15pm and 6.15pm)
Thursday 12 October, 9-9.45am (Tours. Final tour at 9.15am)

10. Stoke Newington School and Sixth Form
Clissold Road, N16 9EX
020 7241 9600
www.sns.hackney.sch.uk
Open Mornings: Thursday 21 September, 9am-10am. Thursday 28 September, 9am-10am
Last entry 9.15am
Open Evening: Wednesday 4 October, 4.30pm - 6.30pm. Headteacher's speech at 5.00pm and 6.00pm. Last entry 6.00pm
Details to book tickets for open events on the school website

11. The Bridge Academy
Laburnum Street, E2 8BA
020 7749 5240
www.bridgeacademy.hackney.sch.uk
Tuesday 12 September, 4.30-7.30pm (Last admission 7pm)
Tuesday 19 and 26 September, 9-10am (Last admission at 9.15am)

12. The City Academy, Hackney
Homerton Row, E9 6EA
020 8525 5440
www.thecityacademy.org
Tuesday 26th September, 4.30-7.30pm (Last entry: 7.00pm) Principal's Talks at 4.30pm & 6pm
Open Mornings: Thursday 5th October 9-10am
Friday 6th October 9-10am
(By appointment via Eventbrite - limited space available)

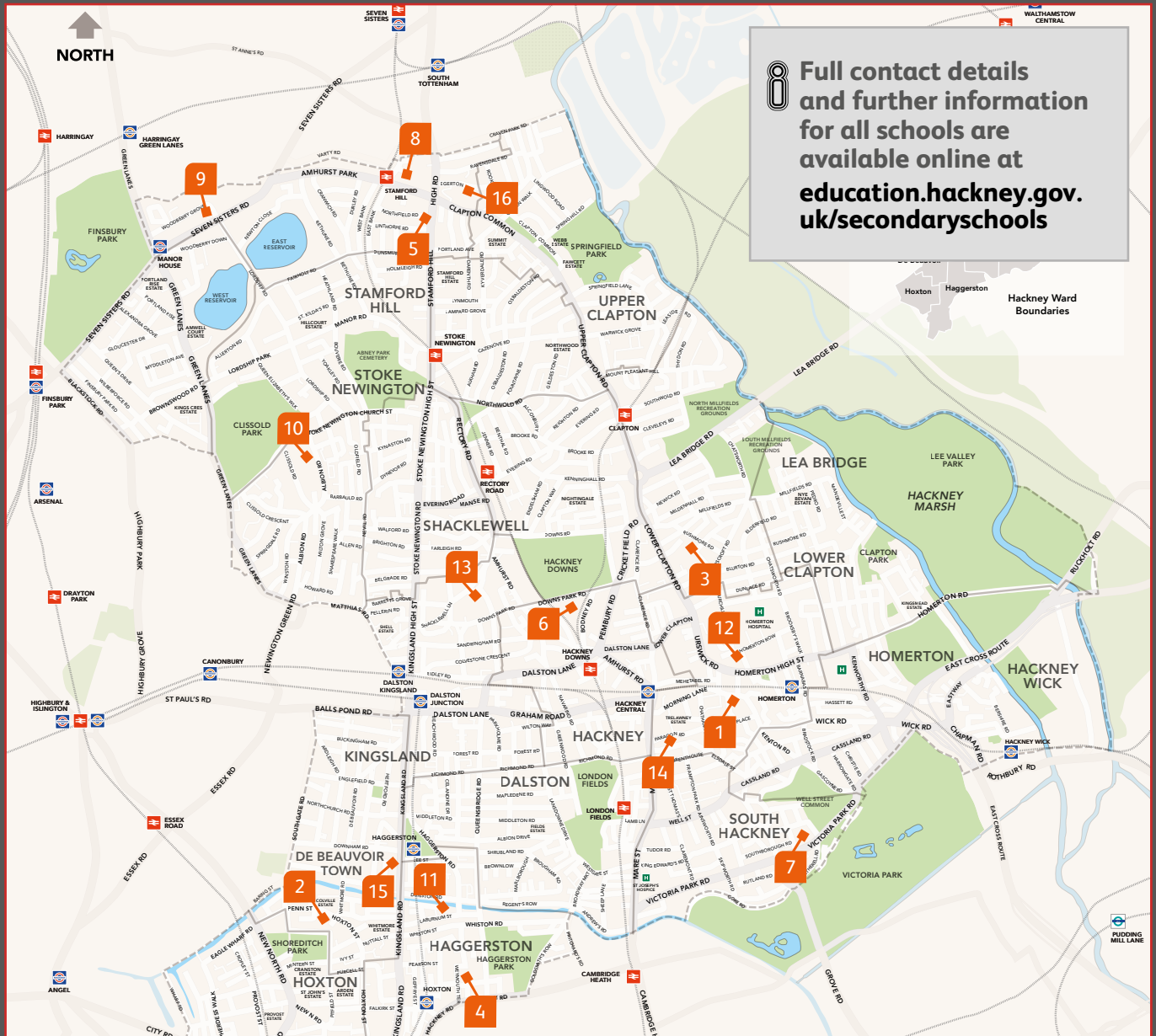
13. The Petchey Academy
Shacklewell Lane, E8 2EY
020 7275 1500
www.petcheyacademy.org.uk
Monday 2nd October 2023, 5.30 - 7.30pm (Headteacher's talks at 5.45 and 6.30pm, tours between 5.45 and 7.15pm). No booking required. Headteacher's tours (by appointment only) every Thursday between 14th September and 12th October 8.30 - 9.30am
Details of how to book are on the Academy's website.

14. The Urswick School
Paragon Road, E9 6NR
020 8985 2430
www.theurswickschool.co.uk
Tuesday 3 October, 5.30-7.30pm (Headteacher speaks at 6.15pm and 7pm. No booking required).
Tours of the school at 9.30am every Tuesday and Thursday between 19 September and 19 October.
Contact the school by phone or email admin@theurswickschool.co.uk to book your tour.

15. Waterside Academy
317 -319 Kingsland Road, E8 4DL
020 7617 7181
www.watersidecst.org
Tuesday 19 September, 4.30-7pm
School Tours every day from 8.30am.
Book a tour by visiting www.watersidecst.org/30/school-tours

16. Yesodey Hatorah Senior Girls School
Egerton Road, N16 6UB
020 8826 5500
www.yesodeyhatorah.org
Open mornings are held in September and October by appointment only.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN HACKNEY



Full contact details and further information for all schools are available online at education.hackney.gov.uk/secondarieschools

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