

## What to do and when - A guide based on your child's date of birth

Date of birth	What to do and when
01.9.05 to 31.8.06	<p><b>Now</b> – your child may be able to attend a pre-school or playgroup – contact Young in Herts on 01438 737502 for more information.</p> <p><b>Coming up</b> – you can apply for a nursery place for September 2009 or January 2010 depending on your child's age. You should receive information by the end of November and must apply by 20 January 2009.</p>
01.9.04 to 31.8.05 <b>Pre-nursery</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child could be attending a pre-school or playgroup – contact Young in Herts on 01438 737502 for more information.</p> <p><b>Next</b> – your child is able to start at nursery in September 2008 or January 2009 depending on their age – to apply for a place you should contact the school direct (call the CSC for details).</p> <p><b>Coming up</b> – you will need to apply for a reception place for your child to start at school – you should receive information at the beginning of September 2008 and must apply by Thursday 16 October 2008.</p>
01.9.03 to 31.8.04 <b>Nursery</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child could be attending a nursery school or class – contact the CSC for details of places in your area.</p> <p><b>Next</b> – your child will start school in September 2008 or January 2009 depending on their age and how many intakes the school has – contact the CSC for details of schools in your area.</p>
01.9.02 to 31.8.03 <b>Reception</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p> <p><b>First year of compulsory schooling</b></p>
01.9.01 to 31.8.02 <b>Year 1</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p> <p><b>Coming Up</b> – if your child is at an infant school, you should apply for a junior school place for September 2009. You should receive a pack in November 2008 and must apply by Wednesday 21 January 2009.</p>
01.9.00 to 31.8.01 <b>Year 2</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p> <p><b>Next</b> – if your child is at an infant school, you should apply for a junior school place for September 2008. Contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p>
01.9.99 to 31.8.00 <b>Year 3</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p> <p>* if your child is at a first school, please see the note at the end.</p>
01.9.98 to 31.8.99 <b>Year 4</b>	<p><b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.</p> <p>* if your child is at a first school, please see the note at the end.</p>

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01.9.97 to 31.8.98 <b>Year 5</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.  <b>Coming up</b> - if your child is at a primary or junior school, you should apply for a secondary school for September 2009. You should get a pack in September 2008 and must apply by Friday 24 October 2008.
01.9.96 to 31.8.97 <b>Year 6</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.  <b>Next</b> - if your child is at a primary or junior school, you should apply for a secondary school for September 2008. Contact the CSC for help.
01.9.95 to 31.8.96 <b>Year 7</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.  * if your child is at a middle school, please see the note at the end.
01.9.94 to 31.8.95 <b>Year 8</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.  * if your child is at a middle school, please see the note at the end.
01.9.93 to 31.8.94 <b>Year 9</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.
01.9.92 to 31.8.93 <b>Year 10</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.
01.9.91 to 31.8.92 <b>Year 11</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child should be attending school – contact the CSC for help to find a school place.  <b>Next</b> – your child can go to college or attend sixth form at school (both are optional) – ask at your child’s school for information. <b>Final year of compulsory schooling</b>
01.9.90 to 31.8.91 <b>Year 12</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child can be at college or in the sixth form of school if they wish.
01.9.89 to 31.8.90 <b>Year 13</b>	<b>Now</b> – your child can be at college or in the sixth form of school if they wish.

**First and middle schools (Berkhamstead, Buntingford, Puckeridge and Royston)**

If your child is at a first or middle school, the following extra points apply:

1.9.99 - 31.8.00 <b>Year 3</b>	<b>At a first school?</b> Apply for a middle school place for September 2009. You will receive a pack in November and must apply by 21 January 2009.
1.9.98 - 31.8.99 <b>Year 4</b>	<b>At a first school?</b> Apply for a middle school place for September 2008. Contact the local admissions team on 01438 737500 for advice.
1.9.95 - 31.8.96 <b>Year 7</b>	<b>At a middle school?</b> Apply for an upper school place for September 2009. You should receive a pack in September 2008 and must apply by Friday 24 October 2008.
1.9.94 - 31.8.95 <b>Year 8</b>	<b>At a middle school?</b> Apply for an upper school place for September 2008. Contact the local admissions team on 01438 737500 for advice.

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