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Parent/Guardian

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Applying to Primary School - Reception 2020/21

If your child was born between 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016, you must to apply for a reception place for your child for 2020.

The deadline for making an application is **15 January 2020**. If you have not yet made an application, please make sure you do so by this date.

You should have already received a copy of the **Starting Primary School in Tower Hamlets 2020** booklet if your child goes to nursery in Tower Hamlets. If you have not received a booklet, please visit our website and follow the link to 'Primary School Admissions':

www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/schooladmissions

You must apply online and you will receive an email to confirm you have submitted your application. Please visit the Eadmissions website to register and apply online:

<https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/eAdmissions/app>

For more information, please see overleaf.

To give your child the best chance of securing a school place of your choice, you are advised to apply to six schools in order of preference, with your first preference being the school you wish your child to go to the most.

For Community Schools, your child is more likely to be offered a place at a school in your catchment area, especially if this is your nearest school.

On **16 April 2020** a notification letter will be sent out to your address to inform you of the outcome of your application. You will also receive an email on the evening of the same day.

For any further information or advice please visit our website at www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/schooladmissions or contact Pupil Services on 020 7364 5006.

Yours sincerely,

Mohammad Ahmed
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Starting Primary School in September 2020

IF YOUR CHILD WAS BORN BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 1, 2015 AND AUGUST 31, 2016, THEY SHOULD START RECEPTION IN THE 2020/21 SCHOOL YEAR.

You can find all the information you will need in the '**Starting Primary School in Tower Hamlets 2019**' booklet available from Tower Hamlets primary schools and nurseries. It is also available to download from the Tower Hamlets Council website: www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/schooladmissions

HOW TO APPLY

Apply Online: Applying online is a simple and easy way to submit your application. **You can apply online from 1st September until the closing date of 15th January 2020.** Go to www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/schooladmissions or www.eadmissions.org.uk/

For help in making your online application please come along to one of our workshops (leaflet enclosed).