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Wimbledon College

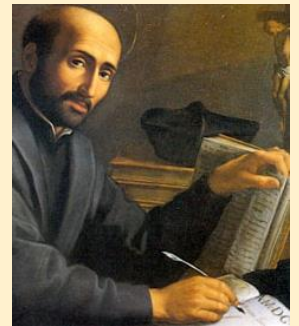
Open Evening 2026

Headteacher Adrian Laing

WIMBLEDON COLLEGE



*“improvement
in living and learning
to the greater glory of God
and the common good”*



St Ignatius Loyola
(1491-1556)

Mission Statement

Wimbledon College is a Jesuit school centred on the person of Jesus Christ and our students and staff are helped and encouraged to take him as their companion and model; to grow in his likeness, becoming **men and women of faith** who are **men and women for others**.

They are encouraged to develop their many individual gifts and talents to the full; and to build, in collaboration with all people of good will, the kingdom of God: a kingdom of justice, love and peace.

We welcome those who are from all faiths or none. Anyone who wishes to be part of our school community is asked to respect our religious foundation and come with an open mind ready to appreciate, reflect on and learn from the Christian message and that of other traditions.

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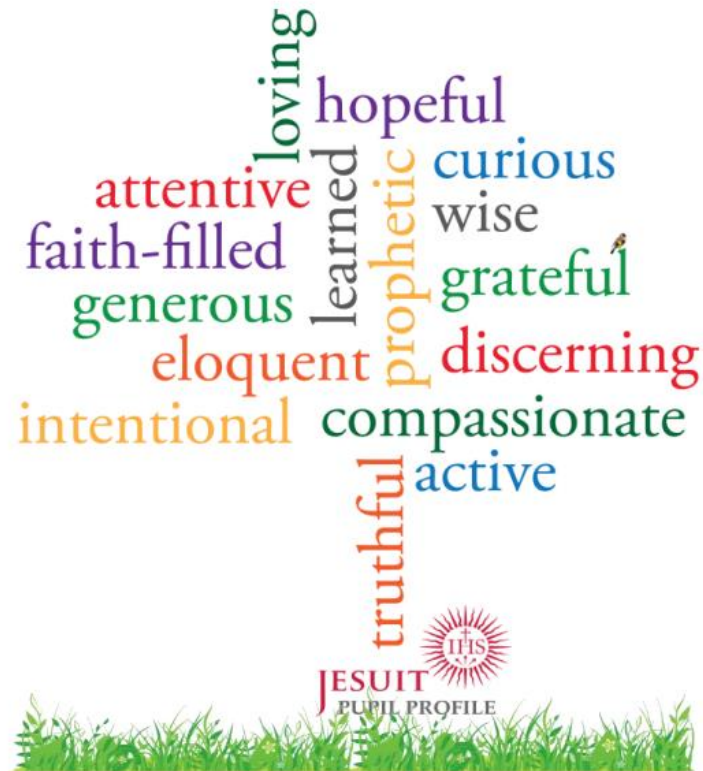
- Each person is offered a spiritual and religious formation in the Catholic Christian tradition and encouraged to deepen a relationship with God.
- Each person is nurtured, supported and challenged to realise their full academic and human potential.
- Each person is encouraged to develop their moral conscience, to challenge injustice, to have the courage to do what is right and be men and women for others.
- Each person is welcomed into our school community, belongs to it and knows that it is part of a global network of Jesuit schools which share a common mission.

Our school should be a place:

- where people are believed in, honoured and cared for;
- where the natural talents and creative abilities of persons are recognized and celebrated;
- where individual contributions and accomplishments are appreciated;
- where everyone is treated fairly and justly;

Ignatian Pedagogy n.37

Jesuit Pupil Profile



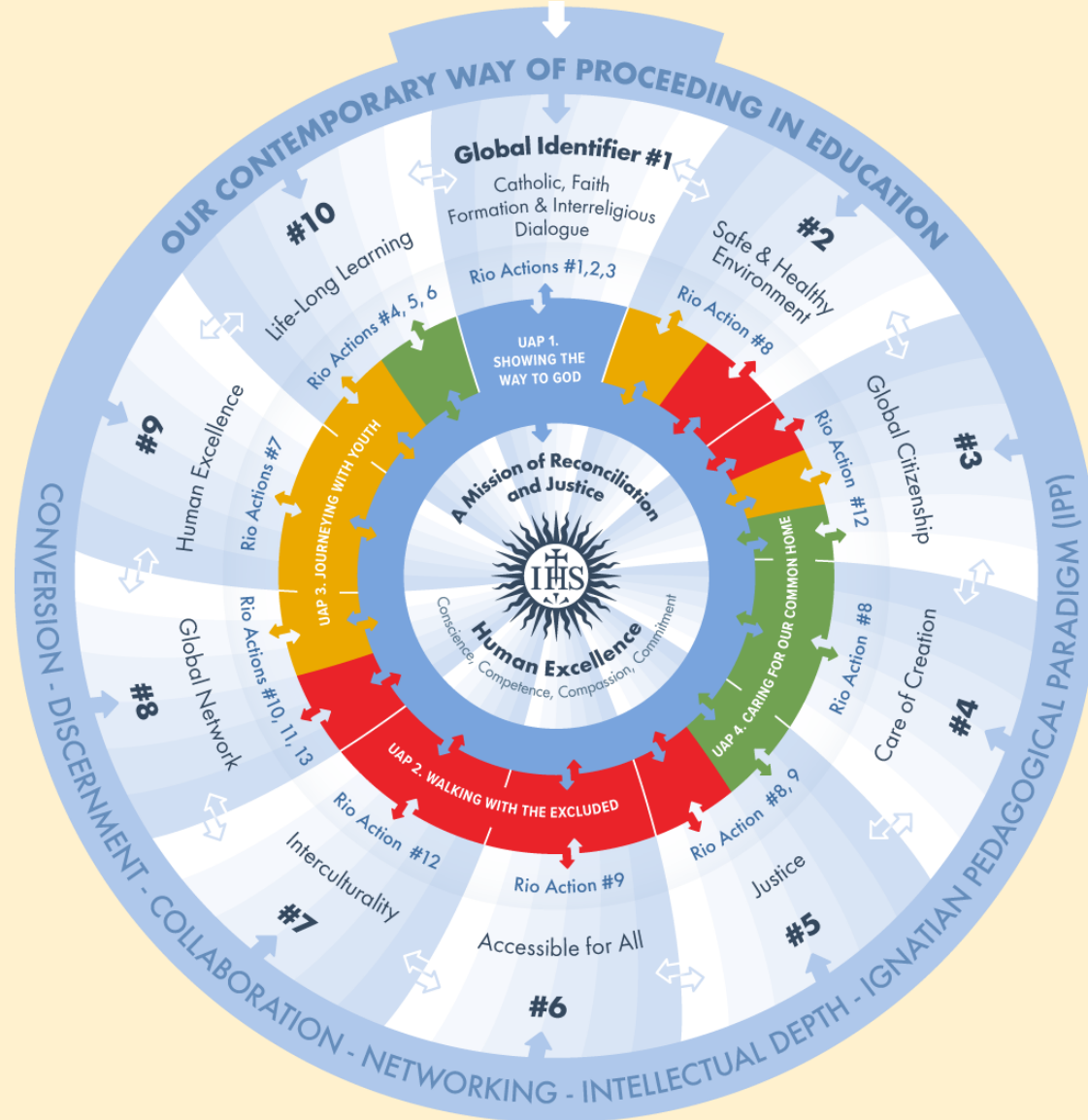
“What can we say the kingdom of God is like? It is like a mustard seed which, at the time of its sowing in the soil, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet once it is sown, it grows into the biggest shrub of them all and puts out big branches so that the birds of the air can shelter in its shade.”

Gospel of St Mark 4:30-32 NRSV

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Jesuit Schools Global Identifiers

- Being Catholic and to offer in-depth faith formation in dialogue with other religions and worldviews
- Creating a Safe and Healthy Environment for all
- Global Citizenship
- The Care of all Creation
- Justice
- Being Accessible for All
- Interculturality
- Being a Global Network at the service of the Mission
- Human Excellence
- Life-Long Learning



SANCTA FAMILIA CATHOLIC ACADEMY TRUST (CAT)



Christian community

- Pastoral Team
- *Cura personalis*
- Chaplaincy Team
- Prayer and worship
- Chaplaincy activities
- Charities
- Service
- Theology

Ofsted March 2023 - Good

- Leaders are ambitious for pupils to have an enriching experience at the school...there is a broad and varied curriculum in place, including in the sixth form.
- Leaders carefully consider what to teach pupils to prepare them well for the future, including important information about health, relationships and the world around them.
- Teachers have excellent subject knowledge. They use it particularly well to help pupils engage in considered discussion about what they are learning.
- Pupils conduct themselves responsibly and with respect during lesson time and around the school. Pupils are happy and safe here.

Diocesan Inspection December 2022

‘Wimbledon College is an outstanding Catholic school’

- A strong Jesuit identity is reflected in the common language, vision and actions of all members of the school community.
- The pupils are proud of the Jesuit traditions and regularly put these into practice in their daily lives taking full advantage of the many opportunities provided to them.

Syntax Results Day



Year 11 Results 2026

	Wimbledon College			National		
	7+	5+	4+	7+	5+	4+
2026	34.1%	69.4%	82.3%	21.8%	52.1%	67.0%
2025	36.0%	72.1%	84.5%	21.8%	51.9%	67.1%
2024	35.0%	71.3%	84.6%	21.7%	51.9%	67.4%

All pupils	7+	5+	4+
Any English	27.7%	73.9%	90.2%
Maths	36.4%	77.4%	90.3%
Any English & Maths	22.1%	66.7%	86.7%
Two Sciences	41%	69%	84%

Individual achievements - GCSE

Individual pupils achieved the following sets of results:

- 8 Grade 9s & 2 8s
- 8 Grade 9s, 1 8 & 1 7
- 7 9s, 2 8s & 2 7s
- 6 9s, 4 8s & 1 7
- 2 9s & 9 8s
- 5 9s, 4 8s & 2 7s
- 4 9s, 5 8s & 2 7s
- 3 9s, 5 8s & 2 7s

Twelve pupils achieved 10 Grade 7s or above

Further 30 pupils achieved at least 7 Grade 7s or above

Rhetoric Results Day



Sixth Form Results 2026

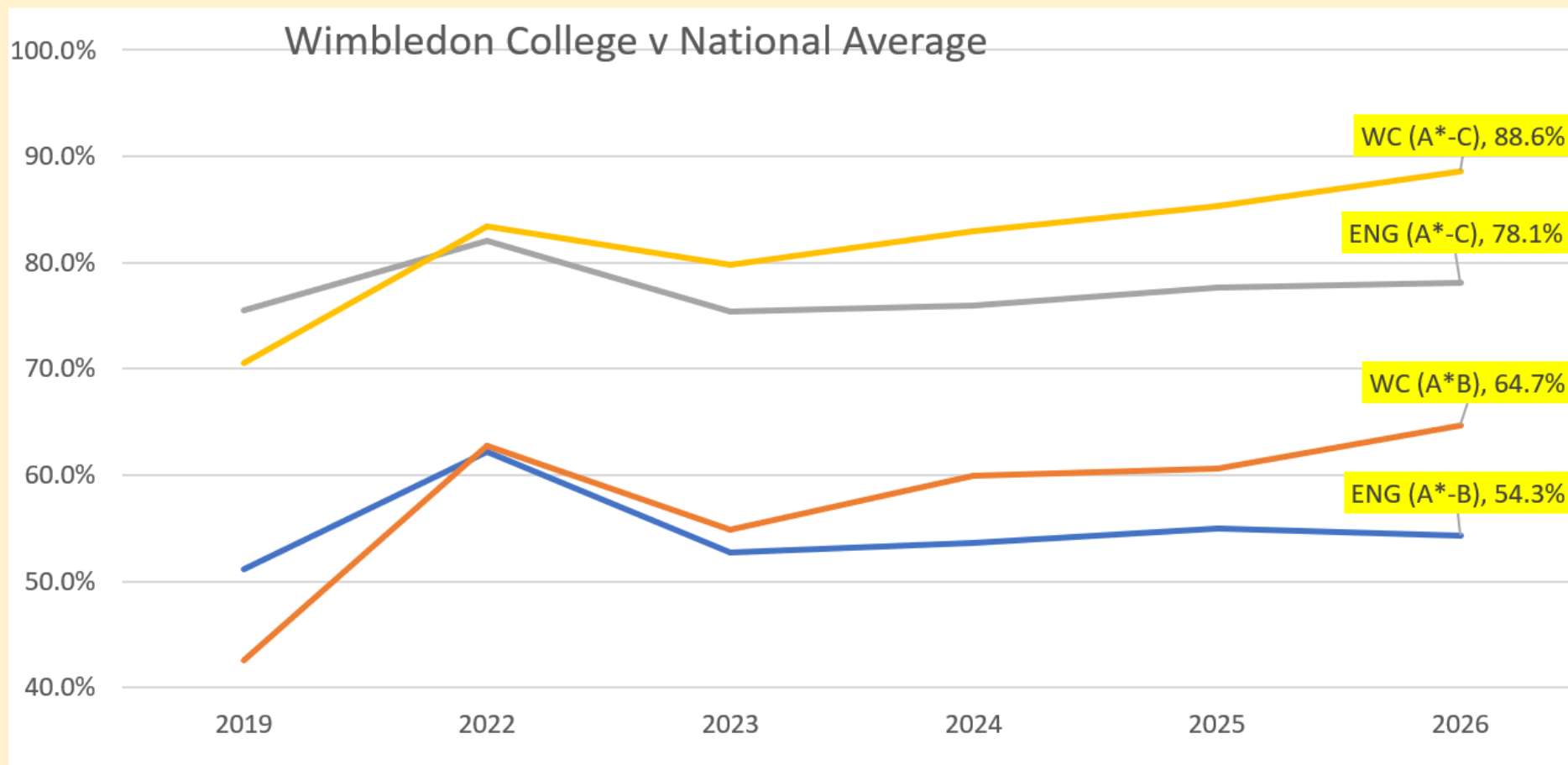
A Level	England	Male England
A*/A 27.1% [33.6,27.8,21.5]	28.3 [28.2,27.6,26.5]	28.9 [28.4,27.4,26.4]
A*/B 65.3% [60.6,59.9,54.8]	55.6 [55.0,53.6,53.7]	54.3 [53.4,51.5,50.6]
A*/C 88.6% [85.3,83.0,79.8]	78.1 [77.7,76.0,74.5,]	76.6 [75.8,73.7,73.1]

**2025, 2024, 2023 in brackets*

Vocational

D*/D	47.8% [46.0%,50.7%,45%]
D*-M	87.0% [92.0%,88.4%,90%]
D*-P	100% [100%,100%,100%]

Sixth Form Results 2026



Individual pupil successes and destinations

- 4A* *Physics at Brasenose College, Oxford*
- 3A* *PPE at University of Warwick*
- 2A*, A, 2B *Economics at the University of Warwick*
- 2A*, A *Physics at the University of Manchester*
- 2A*, A *Law at Durham University*
- 2A*, B *Electronic Engineering at King's College, London*
- A*, 2A *Common Law/Politics at the University of Glasgow*

Individual pupil successes and destinations

- A*, 2A *Economics & Finance at Queen Mary University, London*
- A*, 2A *PPE at the University of Manchester*
- A*, 2A *Biochemistry at University College, Oxford*
- A*, 2A *Computer Science at King's College, London*
- 3A, B *Physics at the University of Exeter*
- 3A *General Engineering at King's College, London*
- 3A *Chemical Engineering at Brunel University*

Individual pupil successes and destinations Vocational courses

- D,D,D *Gap Year*
- D*,D,M *Gap Year*
- D*,D,M *Business Management at University of Surrey*
- D*,D & B[A level] *Biomedical Science at the University of Sheffield*
- D*,D & B[A level] *Psychology at City St George's, University of London*

Sixth Form Progression

105 students progressing to 38 different universities

Including Bath, Brunel, Cardiff, Exeter, Glasgow, Hague Music School, King's College London, Leeds, Liverpool, Loughborough, Manchester, Miami, Newcastle, Nottingham, Oxford, Queen's Belfast, Queen Mary University, Southampton, Surrey, Warwick, York, UCL, University for the Creative Arts

Sixth Form Progression

Variety of courses

Accounting, Aeronautics, Architecture, Biochemistry, Business, Chemistry, Comic & Concept Art, Computer Science, Economics, Engineering [various], English, Exercise & Sports Science, Genetics, Geography, History, Investment & Finance Risk Management, Law, Mathematics, Music, Nursing, Pharmacology, Philosophy, Physics, Politics, PPE, Primary Education, Psychology, Radiography and Robotics

Sixth form

- well-established
- 284 boys in September 2026
- dedicated facilities
- wide range of courses
- work with Ursuline High School
- strong *cura personalis*
- extra-curricular activities
- Christian life



Special educational needs

- Physical, emotional, behavioural and learning needs
- SEN teachers & Learning support assistants
- Literacy and numeracy recovery
- Support for the more able
- Importance of early communication
- Realistic expectations





Wider school life

- not 8.30 to 3.10
- wide range of activities beyond the classroom
- expectation of involvement

Sports programme

- rugby
- football
- basketball
- swimming
- athletics
- cricket
- boxing
- cross country
- futsal



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Extra-curricular activities



- Music – choir & orchestra
- Swing Band; orchestra Project
- Drama
- Star Wars Club
- Comic club
- Debating
- Lego club
- Literature club
- Chess
- Warhammer
- Army cadets
- Duke of Edinburgh

School community

- Cura personalis
- Christian community
- Studies
- Extra-curricular activities
- High expectations
- A sense of purpose
- Reward and recognition
- Firm discipline



Induction for Figures pupils

- Test Morning
- Head of Figures visits primary schools
- Year 6 Transition Day
- Figures Playground
- Early break and lunch
- Escorted to lessons
- Welcome Mass
- Parent Tutor Evening

ADMISSIONS

Oversubscription criteria

1. Catholic boys who are looked after Catholic children and all previously looked after Catholic children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order. Catholic boys who appear (to the admissions authority) to have been in state care outside of England and cease to be in state care outside of England as a result of being adopted.
2. Baptised Catholic boys, in possession of a Certificate of Catholic Practice. Both a baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church and the Certificate of Practice must be provided.
3. Baptised Catholic boys who do not have a Certificate of Catholic Practice. A baptismal certificate or evidence of reception into the Catholic Church must be provided.
4. Other boys who are looked after children and all previously looked after children who have been adopted or who have become the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order.
5. Boys enrolled in the catechumenate. Evidence of enrolment in the catechumenate will be required.
6. Boys who are members of Eastern Orthodox Churches. Evidence of Baptism will be required.
7. Boys who are members of other faiths, Churches and denominations. Evidence of Baptism/dedication or evidence of membership required.
8. Other boys.

Tiebreaker Criteria

1. Brother[s] at Wimbledon College or sister[s] at Ursuline High School, Wimbledon in September 2027
2. Parent is employed by Wimbledon College and has been for two or more years
3. Social, pastoral and medical needs which make the school particularly suitable for the pupil
4. Distance – from pupil's home to Wimbledon College

Admissions 2026

boys applied to Wimbledon College 672 (600, 628, 584, 539)

Catholic boys in public care	1	
Baptised and practising Catholics	380	(367,407, 397, 428)
Other boys in public care	1	
Others	290	(227, 218, 184, 107)

23 boys applied under special circumstance (10,2,4,6,3)

18 agreed by Governors, 10 took up offer

Admissions Offers of Places

	2026	2025	2024	2023
EHCP	14	9	9	8
Special circumstances	10	2	2	1
TOTAL	199	199	199	199

2026

Four appeals – three were offered places from the waiting list and one withdrew
March offered to pupils in admissions criteria 7 – members of other faiths [1.6km]
18 September offered within same category to a distance of 7.5km
Currently have 42 on the waiting list

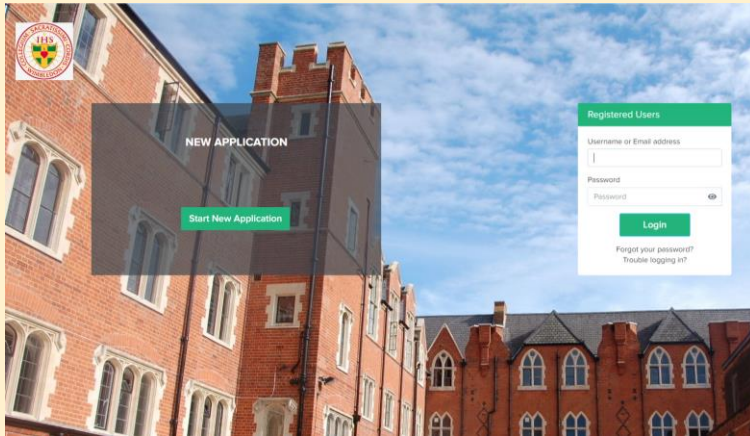
2025

- Six appeals – none upheld
- March offered to pupils in admissions category 7 – members of other faiths [2.7km]
- 10 September offered within same category to a distance of 8km
- Currently have 33 on our Year 7 waiting list
- Full in all years with waiting lists

Common Application Form

- admissions co-ordinated across London
 - online application [<https://www.eadmissions.org.uk>]
 - CAF from local authority in which you live
 - return to your local authority
 - www.merton.gov.uk/admissions
-
- deadline 31st October 2026

Wimbledon College Admissions Administration Form



- online application process
 - Applicaa [Live 26 September]
- deadline **31st October 2026**
- importance of information
- special circumstances applications [within each category]
- Certificate of Practice

Certificate of Practice

As part of application

- upload Certificate; this needs to be signed and stamped by priest in your parish
- upload baptism certificate



ARCHDIOCESE OF SOUTHWARK

CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE

Details of child (for identification only)

Full name of child: _____

Address of child: _____

Postcode: _____ Date of Birth: _____

I am [the child's parish priest] [the priest in charge of the Church where the child practices] ~~[delete as applicable]~~

I hereby certify that this child is known to me and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the child is a practising Catholic.

Priest's name _____ Position _____

Parish (or ethnic chaplaincy) _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Priest's signature _____

Parish stamp or seal

Date _____

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Admissions Process

- Common Application Form
(complete online or return to your LA)
- Wimbledon College Admissions Application Form (online via [Applicaa](#))
- Certificate of Practice
- deadline is **31st October 2026**
- reference from your nominated priest
- National Offer Day **1st March 2027**
- accept place by **15th March 2027**
- second round of offers
- the appeals process (**May-June 2027**)
- the waiting list (**renew in September 2027**)

Admissions Officer

Mrs Paola Cray

Wimbledon College Edge Hill London SW19 4NS

020 8879 9355 (direct line and voicemail)

020 8946 2533 (switchboard)

registrar@wimbledoncollege.org.uk

wimbledoncollege.org.uk



our pupils are growing to be

Curious & Active

Eager to know, learn, discover or understand something. Participating or engaged in a particular sphere or activity.

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20 Aug 2026

Wimbledon College – Year 11
Results 2026

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A wide range of documents is available by using the



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Admissions 2027

In September 2027, Wimbledon College will admit 199 boys to Figures (Year 7) without regard for aptitude or ability. The places will be offered according to the criteria set out in the 2027 Admissions Policy

This year's Open Evening will take place on Thursday 24th September 2026 from 5.00pm to 8.00pm.

Open mornings will take place on 28, 29 and 30 September. Please go to our [Events](#) page for the open evening booking link which will go live on 10 September. Open morning link will go live at a later date.

Unfortunately, the school is not in a position to offer any private tours. If you have missed our open evening and mornings, click on our [Virtual Tour of the School](#) and Headteacher's Open Evening power point slides, thank you

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Appeals will be held (date to be confirmed)

Further details are available [here](#)

Applications for admission to other years (Yr 8 to Yr11, and current Yr 7) may be made at any time using the 2026 In year Admissions Information Form. You must also apply to Merton Council Admissions Dept by completing the In Year Application form (both forms available below)



Prospectus.pdf



2027 WC Admissions Policy.pdf



2026 WC Admissions Policy 2026.pdf



Cert of Catholic Practice Form .pdf



2025 Open Evening HT Presentation.pdf



In year admissions process.pdf



2026 in year Adm App Form.pdf



In year app for Merton Schools Form.pdf

OUR STUDENTS ARE

Generous

Grateful

Hopeful

Curious

Attentive

Prophetic



Transition to the College

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The College seeks to ensure that the transition from primary to secondary school is as supportive as possible.

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Thank you for attending our Open Evening

*Please exit via the
door to the left of the
stage*

Evaluation Form

		Wimbledon College	OPEN EVENING 2026 EVALUATION FORM
We hope you have found the Wimbledon College Open Night helpful in making up your mind about a secondary school for your child.			
We would be grateful if you would spend a few moments completing this evaluation form.			
The responses we receive help us to plan next year's Open Night			
Name: _____			
What school does your child attend and in what year?			
		☐ primary school ☐ parish ☐ made enquiries to Wimbledon College ☐ Wimbledon College website ☐ London Borough of Merton information	
How did you hear about Open Evening?			
Circle the number that applies			
How did you find the length and content of the tour of the school?		not helpful 1 2 3 4 5 just right	
How helpful was the Headteacher's talk?		not helpful 1 2 3 4 5 just right	
Did you get helpful answers to questions you asked of staff and pupils?		not helpful 1 2 3 4 5 just right	
What did you find most helpful about Open Evening?			
Is there anything we could do to improve Open Evening?			



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Open Evening 2026