

The Charter School East Dulwich

Proposed Admissions Numbers and Oversubscription Criteria

The Charter School East Dulwich plans to admit 240 children for entry in Year 7. In future years, once our Sixth Form is open, we will also admit students for entry in Year 12. The date of opening and planned admissions number for the Sixth Form will be announced at a later date.

The Charter School East Dulwich will accordingly admit this number of pupils each year if there are sufficient applications. Where fewer applicants than the published admission number(s) for the relevant year group are received, the Charter School Educational Trust will offer places at The Charter School East Dulwich to all those who have applied.

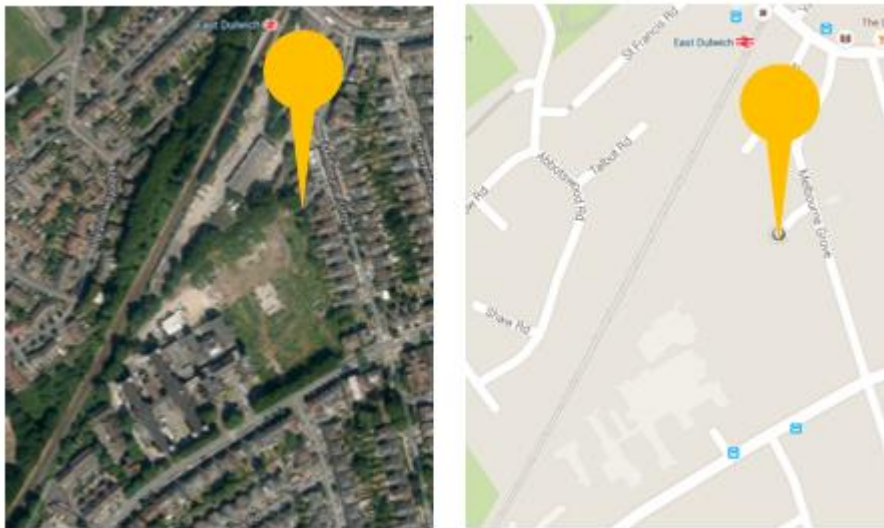
When The Charter School East Dulwich is oversubscribed, after the admission of children with an Education, Health and Care Plan naming the school, priority for admission will be given to those children who meet the criteria set out below, in priority order:

1. Looked after children and children who were previously looked after but immediately after being looked after became subject to adoption, a child arrangements order, or special guardianship order.¹
2. For admission to Year 12 only: children already enrolled in The Charter School East Dulwich.
3. From 2017 onwards: children with a sibling already enrolled in The Charter School East Dulwich. The sibling must be living at the same permanent address. The sibling must be enrolled in The Charter School East Dulwich when the child applying would be admitted to the school, not just at the time of application. Sibling means brother, sister, half or step brother/sister, adopted brother/sister and brother/sister in a legally-recognised fostering arrangement. Only siblings at The Charter School East Dulwich will be taken into account, and not any siblings at The Charter School, Red Post Hill. The two schools are entirely separate and have independent admissions arrangements.
4. Children with exceptional medical, psychological or social needs which are best met by The Charter School East Dulwich.

¹ A looked after child is a child who is (a) in the care of a local authority, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority in the exercise of their social services functions (see the definition in Section 22(1) of the Children Act 1989).

- Children living nearest to The Charter School East Dulwich. The distance from each child's home to the school will be measured using the computerized Geographical Information System (GIS). A centroid (centre point) supplied by Ordnance Survey determines the start point of the home address. Subject to the Dulwich Community Hospital site becoming available as the site of the school, the finish point is proposed to be sited on the school site boundary closest to Jarvis Road². Distance is measured in meters and on a straight-line basis. If the child lives in a block of flats, the centroid for the block will be used. If there is more than one application from the same block of flats, lower door numbers will take priority.

The proposed nodal finish point is marked below, for illustrative purposes only. The precise point will be determined once the site for the school is secured.



² This point is on the grounds of the proposed new school site and lies on the boundary edge furthest from The Charter School, Red Post Hill.