



sent to parents in accordance with local independent school guidelines. Assessments at 16+ take place in the Autumn term. In special circumstances assessments may take place at other times by arrangement with the School.

## **Procedure**

### Entry Stages

The main points of entry for MTP are:

- 3+ for entry to the Nursery School
- 4+ for entry into Reception
- 7+ for entry into Year 3.

Occasional places are sometimes available at other stages in the school.

The normal entry stages for MTS are:

- 11+ (Year 7)
- 16+ (Year 12/Sixth Form).

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### How to apply

Prep School

MTP has a termly Open Morning for prospective parents (see



so that we can be sure that applicants have the potential to thrive in our environment. We are looking for applicants who are focused and alert, who willingly apply themselves to a variety of activities and

of a place. Parents of unsuccessful applicants may request why their child was not successful. However, due to the very high number of applicants, those who were not successful have usually not done anything wrong and have merely been outperformed by other applicants.

The school is obliged to check the identity of each pupil and parents are requested to provide the original of each applicant's application. This, along with other necessary records, will be stored securely and confidentially.

## **Transition from MTP to MTS**

### Application

Parents indicate to MTP that they wish to be considered for entry to MTS in the Summer Term of Year 5. Discussions are held with parents by the Senior Leadership Team to give advice on the suitability of a transfer to the Senior School.

Charges associated with registration are as follows:

11+: There is no registration fee as pupils have already paid one on entry to MTP, however, parents must complete a Registration Form to ensure MTS has full contact details for the applicant and their parents. (Qp"ceegr vpegr"qh'c'r megr."Ç3272"\*Ç822"ugv'ci clpuv'vj g'htuv'vgt o ai"wkq"hggu."Ç622"ugv' against final account, £50 non-refundable administrative fee).

### Assessment

Assessment has three components:

1. Initial discussions are held in the summer of Year 5 between MTP and MTS on the suitability of candidates for transfer. Following these discussions and discussions with parents by the Senior Leadership team of MTP, a letter giving the likelihood of transfer to the Senior School will be sent. Confirmation of a place will be subject to continued good academic progress and conduct prior to admission, and a satisfactory performance in the Year 6 internal examinations.
2. Candidates will be interviewed at MTS during the autumn term of year 6. The interviews will require applicants to talk about themselves, their interests and their ideas, but will also include









