

Lighthouse Multi Academy Trust Admission Appeal Timetable 2026-2027

Admission Appeal Timetable

Appeal for in-year admissions	
Deadline for lodging appeals and providing evidence to support the appeal (if appropriate)	At least 20 school days from the date of notification that the application was unsuccessful
Acknowledgement of appeal to parents/carers	Within 5 school days of the appeal being lodged
Appeals will be heard	Within 30 school days of the appeal being lodged
Notice of appeal hearing	At least 10 school days' notice
Deadline for the governing body to submit evidence for the appeal	At least 10 school days before the appeal hearing
Deadline for sending appeal papers to all parties	No later than 10 school days before the appeal hearing
Deadline for the appellant to submit additional evidence	Five school days before the appeal hearing. Information or evidence not submitted by the deadline might not be considered at the appeal
Late applications for appeals will be heard	At the same time as previously scheduled appeals if possible or within 30 school days if not.
Decision letter sent to appellant	Normal within 5 school days