

Welcome to St Wilfrid's catholic Primary School

Due to current government guidance, we are unfortunately unable to offer our usual open mornings to tour around our school and meet our staff. As an alternative, by Monday 2nd November, we will be uploading to our website a virtual tour and information for prospective parents, in particular for parents of children starting in September 2021.

If you would like to discuss your child attending St Wilfrid's or have any questions, please telephone the office on 01444 235254 or email us at office@stwilfridsbh.org.uk

As a voluntary Aided Catholic school, St Wilfrid's is required to publish its own Admissions Policy, which can be viewed on our website [\(here\)](#)

All applications for places must be made on the **Common Application Form (CAF)** which is available either from the Local Authority (where the parent lives) or through that Local Authority's website. (for West Sussex this is [here](#))

For a valid application, the completed CAF must be returned to the Local Authority by 15 January 2021.

St Wilfrid's also has a **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)** This is available from the school and the school website [\(here\)](#) and allows the governors to put all applicants in order of priority for admission in line with the published admission policy. If you are expressing a preference for a place for your child at this school and wish to apply in connection with one of the faith criteria, you need to complete the SIF. If you do not complete the SIF and return it to the school with all supporting documents by the closing date, your child may not be placed in the appropriate faith criterion. This is likely to affect your child's chance of being offered a place.

The completed SIF, together with all supporting documents, should be returned to the school by hand, post or email by 15 January 2021. Please note that if the school receives an incomplete SIF, this might affect your child's chance of being offered a place.