

Admission Authorities are required to provide for the admission of all children in the September following their fourth birthday. The parent/carer has the following options where the Governing Body has offered such a child a place at the school. The parent/carer can decide either:

- a) That the child starts school full-time in the September following their fourth birthday with their natural academic cohort; or
- b) To defer the date their child is admitted to the school until later in the school year but not beyond the point at which they reach compulsory school age and not beyond the beginning of the final term of the school year for which it was made; or
- c) That the child starts school on a part-time basis until later in the school year but not beyond the point at which they reach compulsory school age.