

**SHELTON INFANT SCHOOL - Admissions Policy for Nursery**  
**We offer the following options for 30 & 15 hours government funded childcare**

**30 HOURS OFFER** – Monday – Friday 9am – 3pm

**15 HOURS OFFER** - Mondays & Tuesdays 9am – 3pm and Wednesdays 9am – 12pm OR Wednesdays 12pm – 3pm and Thursdays & Fridays 9am – 3pm

The 30 hours option is offered to parents who are eligible and wish to access the 30-hour government funded childcare offer, ie both parents (or the sole parent in a single family) earns on average the equivalent of 16 hours on the national minimum wage and no one parent earning more than £100,000 per year.

The 30 hours offer will cease if parents no longer meet the criteria for this extended entitlement, however parents may continue to use the 15 hours universal offer if they wish to.

**Admissions Criteria**

Nursery places will be allocated on the 28<sup>th</sup> February each year, or the next working day after this date, using the 'Expression of Interest' forms received by this date.

1. Children who are the subject of a Child Protection Plan.
2. Children who are the subject of an Education, Health Care Plan.
3. Children who are classed as 'Looked After' or 'Previously Looked After'
4. Children who live in the catchment area served by the school and have siblings in the Infant School and/or Shelton Junior School. Places will be allocated in order of distance from the school.
5. Children who live in the catchment area served by the school. Places will be allocated in order of distance from the school.
6. Children from outside the catchment area of the school and have siblings in the Infant School and/or Shelton Junior School. Places will be allocated in order of distance from the school.
7. Children from outside the catchment area of the school. Places will be allocated in order of distance from the school.

The school offers wrap-around care from 7.50am until 6pm during term time. Parents pay to access this before and/or after-school provision. If these facilities are over-subscribed, priority is given to those families who access the full extended entitlement of 30 hours per week.

Please note that securing a place in the Nursery does not automatically mean that children will also secure a place in Shelton Infant School. Parents will need to apply for school places through Derby City Council's Admissions Department.\_