

Supplementary information form (SIF) for applications to join Year 7 in September 2020 or during the academic year 2020/21

The School Admissions Code allows Admission Authorities to give priority for admission to pupils eligible for the Pupil Premium and the Service Premium.

If more pupils apply to the school than there are places available, Huish Episcopi Academy will give priority to applicants who are able to demonstrate that they meet criterion 8:

Children eligible for the Pupil Premium

Huish Episcopi Academy also give priority to applicants satisfying criterion 9:

Children eligible for the Service Premium

Applicants wishing to confirm that they meet one of the above criteria will need to complete the Supplementary Information Form attaching evidence of their eligibility and return with their application form.

Please indicate which criterion you wish to be considered under by ticking the relevant box below:

Criterion 8 - My child is eligible for Pupil Premium funding as of the application closing date

Criterion 9 - My child is eligible for Service Premium funding as his/her parent(s) are serving in the regular UK armed forces as of the application closing date*

Criterion 8

The Pupil Premium is additional funding paid annually to schools for the purposes of supporting the attainment of disadvantage students. Documentary evidence in the form of a Local Authority statement of entitlement or other official authorising letter, confirming the applicant is eligible for pupil premium as of the application closing date.

Criterion 9

The Service Premium is additional funding paid annually to schools for the purposes of supporting the pastoral needs of children of Armed Service Personnel.

Confirmation from the regiment/unit confirming the parent is currently a serving member of the UK regular Armed Forces as of the application closing date must be provided.

**If parents are separated or divorced, in order to qualify under this criterion, the parent who is a member of the UK armed forces must be the prime carer of the child.*

Documentary evidence must be submitted with the SIF and be received by the school by **31 October** for Year 7 admissions. For in year admissions, it must be submitted directly to school with the in-year application form.

It is the responsibility of the parent/carer to ensure that sufficient evidence is received and that the SIF is returned on time.