



Barton Court Grammar School - Appeals 2026

Entry Details relating to admission arrangements at Barton Court Grammar School can be found on our website, via the Admissions pages.

Appeals

If you named Barton Court Grammar School as one of your preferences on the SCAF but have not been offered a place at the School, then you have a statutory right of appeal.

If you would like to appeal, please complete the Secondary School Appeal Form on our website and either post it or email it by no later than **30th March 2026** to: The Clerk to the Governors Admissions Barton Court Grammar School email: clerk@bartoncourt.org Longport Canterbury CT1 1PH Tel:01227 464600 for it to be considered by **17th June 2026**.

Any appeals received after this time will be heard within 40 school days from the deadline, or where reasonably possible in line with updated guidance from the Department for Education.

Appeals are scheduled to take place on **1st June to 4th June 2026** and appellants will be notified in writing of the date of their appeal at least 10 days prior to their hearing (unless they have agreed to waive this right).

Appeals lodged after the appeals deadline will be heard within 40 school days of the appeals deadline or 30 school days of being lodged, whichever is the later date.

If you have any queries or would like to discuss the appeal process more generally, then please email: clerk@bartoncourt.org.

Parents may also find the following links of help in understanding the appeals process:
<https://www.gov.uk/schools-admissions/appealing-a-schools-decision> The Advisory Centre for education Tel: 0808 800 5793 www.ace-ed.org.uk

Key Dates for Appeals 2026

Offer of a place	Monday 2 nd March 2026
Acceptance / Refusal deadline	Monday 16 th March 2026
<i>(Please note that accepting a place at another school does not exclude you from appealing)</i>	
Deadline for appealing	Monday 30 th March 2026
Deadline for submitting any appeal paperwork	Friday 8 th May 2026
Consultation evening	Thursday 21 st May 2026
Appeals hearing	Monday 1 st June to Thursday 4 th June