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NOTICE OF APPEAL

SCHOOL STANDARDS & FRAMEWORK ACT 1998

Please read the accompanying Notes for Guidance before completing.
Please complete in **BLOCK LETTERS AND BLACK INK.**

1	Title (please tick)	Mr		Mrs		Ms		Other	
	First name of parent or guardian:								
	Family name of parent or guardian								
2	Relationship to child	Parent		Guardian		Other Please state			
3	Home address:								
		Postcode							
	Home telephone number:								
	Work telephone number:								
	Mobile telephone number:								
	E mail address:								
4	Full name of child:								
	Date of birth:	Date			Month			Year	
	Male/Female:								
5	Child's present school:								

I wish to appeal against the decision of the Admission Authority not to offer
my child a place at the school named in 6 below

6	Name of preferred school:	
7	Name of school offered:	
8	Date for which admission is sought:	

9 I wish to attend my appeal in person

Yes		No	
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 (Tick appropriate box)

10 I will be represented at my appeal

Yes		No	
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 (Tick appropriate box)

11 If you are being represented or want to call witness(es), please give the following details.
Please attach a separate sheet with details if you need more space:

Title (please tick)

Mr		Mrs		Ms		Other	
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First name of representative:

Family name of representative:

Relationship to child:

Address of representative:

Postcode	
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Telephone Number:

Do you wish us to send your representative a copy of the papers to be used at appeal?

Yes		No	
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 (Tick appropriate box)

Name of your Witness:

12 If you have a disability and need assistance or have any other concerns regarding access, please give details below:

13 If you need an interpreter or signer, please give details below, including language:

14 Do you need the School Appeals Service to arrange the interpreter or signer for you?

Please tick appropriate box

YES

NO

15 Does your child currently have a statement of Special Educational Needs? Tick if applicable

Under statutory guidance you should be given at least 10 schools days notice of your appeal date. In exceptional circumstances it may not be possible to give this statutory notice. This would only happen after an initial discussion with you. Please tick yes or no if you would be happy to proceed with your appeal following a shorter notice period.

YES

NO

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**RETURN THIS FORM TO
Surrey School Appeals Service
Room 135, County Hall
Penrhyn Road
Kingston upon Thames KT1 2DN**

Declaration and Signature of Parent/Carer

- I wish to exercise my right of appeal under the School Standards & Framework Act 1998 for a place at the school(s) named in section 6, as I have been refused a place at this school.
- I certify that I am the person with parental responsibility for the child named in section 4 and the information given is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- I understand that if I do not attend the hearing and I do not send a representative my appeal will be heard in my absence using the information I have supplied on this form along with any other information I have sent to the School Appeals Service before my hearing date.
- I understand that any false or deliberately misleading information given on this form and/or supporting information may render this appeal invalid and/or further appropriate action being taken.
- I have read and understood the accompanying Guidance Notes.
- I understand that any evidence submitted after the stated deadline may not be considered at my appeal hearing.

Signed:

Date: