

## **AGE ON ENTRY**

Girls may be admitted to the Nursery following their 3rd birthday.

## **NURSERY HOURS**

Girls may attend for 5 half day sessions or 5 full day sessions.

Half Day Session – 8.30am until 12.00 noon, but girls are encouraged to stay for lunch until 1pm

Full Day Session – 8.30am until 3.00pm

## **ATTENDANCE**

Girls must attend for a minimum of five morning sessions and must attend 5 full day sessions by the beginning of the Spring Term.

A hot meal will be provided for those who stay all day.

## **ASSESSMENT**

Girls will be assessed informally prior to entry. Testing will last for approximately 45 minutes.

The assessment will be conducted by the Head, who will conduct a series of structured play activities.

Activities will promote interaction and discussion and the girls will be observed during play.

Girls will not be expected to have had any prior formal teaching.

Assessments will take place towards the end of January, but individual assessments can be arranged following a tour of the school at other times throughout the year. Parents will receive feedback following the assessment and place offers will be made within five days

Pupils between the age of 3 and 5 years of age will be eligible for the Government Funding Scheme. This grant provides funding for 15 hours weekly.