School admissions autumn 2017

Now is the time to apply for your child's placement in a preschool, elementary school and/or after-school centre in preparation for the school year 2017/2018.

Your application must be submitted between 9 January and 6 February 2017. It doesn't matter when you apply during this period; it will not affect your child's placement.

You must submit an application during the period if your child:

- is starting preschool in the autumn term 2017.
- is starting school year 1 in the autumn term 2017 and did not attend preschool.
- is going to a school that does not offer subsequent school years.
- wishes to change school even if his/her current school offers subsequent school years.

Please enter your requirements when applying. Placement is then based on your requirements, the availability of school places and the current principles regarding placement.

What to do:
Visit the municipality's website www.sollentuna.se/skolansokan which provides important information on how to apply. There is also a link to the e-service.

Two ways to log in:
1. The easiest way is to use your e-ID or bankID, (more information about e-ID can be found on www.e-legitimation.se).
2. You can also log in with a user account.

If you do not have a user account, you can apply for one now. Your login information will be sent to your registered address. It takes 2-4 business days. Remember to apply for an account in good time before the end of the school application period – 6 February.

Only one parent/guardian may submit an application for a school placement, but all parents/guardians will receive regular information regarding the application via e-mail or letter.

Access to a computer
If you need access to a computer, you can use the computers in any of the municipality's libraries or the reception in Turebergshuset, Turebergs torg 1.

Schools in Sollentuna municipality
In Sollentuna, there are both municipal and independent schools. All schools in Sollentuna municipality employ the voucher system (Skolpeng). Information about the various schools can be found via the municipality's website, www.sollentuna.se.

No matter what type of school you are applying to, your application must be submitted via the e-service for school applications on the municipality's website.
Municipal schools
In Sollentuna municipality, the Children and Youth Board (Barn- och ungdomsnämnden) is responsible for the municipal schools and has developed the principles associated with the placement procedures. More information is available at www.sollentuna.se/skolansokan.

Independent schools
The independent schools have their own queue and admission rules. Please contact the relevant school before applying for a placement where you will receive information about the rules that apply for that particular school. Don't forget that you must always register your application via the municipality's e-service.

Profile classes
Some schools have a special profile on all or parts of their activities. They have special eligibility criteria. Please contact the relevant school before applying for a placement. You will receive information regarding placement at that particular school, for example, if there are any entrance examinations. If your child is accepted, you will receive a letter of acceptance from the school. Don't forget to register your application via the e-service.

Special school
Application for placement in a special school or an after-school centre must be made directly to the school. For more information about special schools, contact the Education Office (Stöd och utveckling), tel. 08-579 216 29. Learn more about elementary special schools at www.sollentuna.se/grundsarskolaplats.

How to apply to an after-school centre
After-school centres for schoolchildren of preschool age to school year 3 are available at all schools. Some schools also offer placements for grades 4-6.

When applying for a school placement, you can also apply for a place at an after-school centre. When you are logged into the e-service and are submitting your application, you have the option to request a place at an after-school centre for your child. The after-school centres are subject to a charge, a maxtaxa (maximum fee) applies. For more information, see www.sollentuna.se/regler-och-avgifter.

For the autumn term 2017, a child attending preschool may receive a place at an after-school centre at the earliest from 1 August 2017.
What happens afterwards?

When the application period has ended, the admissions process begins. In March/April (the exact dates will be published on www.sollentuna.se), you will receive notification regarding your child's placement. School placements must be confirmed by all parents/guardians. If you have submitted a mandatory school application for your child, the notification must be signed and returned. If you have applied for a school placement for your child because you are moving to the municipality or if your child is changing school, all parents/guardians must accept the school placement via the municipality's e-service. Information about this is provided with the placement notification. Read more on www.sollentuna.se/skolansokan.

We look forward to seeing you at the School fair on 21 January 2017! We will be in Stinsens köpcentrum where you will be able to meet people from many of the schools in the municipality. During the period November to February, many schools offer "Open house". Look for ads in local newspapers and on our website.