



## **Guide to School Records Bracknell**



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## Introduction

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## Using this Guide

The guide is arranged in alphabetical order of civil parish, and then according to the following abbreviations, which refer to the different kinds of record available:

AR	Admission register
D	Architectural drawing
LB	Log book
M	Managers' minutes
P	Photograph
PB	Punishment book
O	Other

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Cover illustration: Bracknell schoolchildren at a visit of the Queen, 1962 (C/EZ 50/9)

## **Binfield**

All Saints CE Primary	AR	1877-1987	D/P18/25/20-23; 90/SCH/14/2
	LB	1877-1982	D/P18/25/16-18
	M	1903-1952	D/P18/28/26; Microfiche 00006/G
	O	1824-1987	C/CL/E4/8; D/P18/25/7- 9, 15, 18A, 24-33; Microfiche 00006/F
St Mark's CE Primary	AR	1921-1987	89/SCH/47/4; 90/SCH/14/1
	D	1906-1915	D/P18/25/6
	LB	1874-1987	89/SCH/47/1-3
	M	1910-1952	D/P18/25/11; D/P18/28/26
	O	1884-1987	C/CL/E4/8; D/P18/25/5, 6, 12-14; 89/SCH/47/5
Wynyard Preparatory	D	1945-1948	RD/E/SB8/113

## **Bracknell**

Birch Hill Junior and Infant	M	1976-1986	86/ED/97, 99
Bracknell College of Further Education	M	1962-1981	83/ED/19, 20; 85/ED/34, 42
Brakenhale County Secondary	M	1957-1958	C/EM194
Chavey Down Infants	O	1884	D/P165/28/24
Foxhill County Primary	D	1957-1958	C/AR/P4/19/1-11; C/CL/L2/645/1-5; C/CL/L2/702/1-7
	M	1959-1977	C/EM212

## Bracknell cont.

Garth Hill Secondary (previously The Garth and Wick Hill County Schools)	D	1952-1953	C/AR/P3/4/1-16; C/CL/L2/490/1-12
	M	1955-1978	C/EM81, 82, 195; 77/ED/8-9
	O	1951-1969	C/CL/E4/16
Great Hollands Infant	M	1971-1985	C/EM249; 83/ED/3, 88/ED/83
Great Hollands Junior	M	1971-1985	C/EM249; 83/ED/3, 88/ED/84
Harmans Water Primary (previously Harmans Water Infant and Junior)	AR	1964-1975	89/SCH/38/2
	LB	1983-1987	89/SCH/38/1
	M	1964-1986	82/ED/21, 88/ED/59
	O	1968-1988	89/SCH/38/3
Holly Spring County Infant	M	1975-1986	88/ED/61
Holly Spring County Junior (previously Bullbrook County Primary, Bracknell Council, Bracknell CE and Bracknell National)	AR	1905-1981	C/ER69/1-7; 89/SCH/22/1
	D	c.1860-1960	C/AR/P4/20/1-17; C/CL/L2/715/1-10; C/CL/L2/742/1-6; C/EZ50/3; D/EX268/7
	LB	1866-1981	C/EL45/1-5; C/EL125/1- 3
	M	1922-1986	C/EM43, 80, 83; 83/ED/2, 4; 85/ED/12; 88/ED/61
	P	19c-1981	C/EC/1/10; C/EZ50/4- 11, 15, 19-24
	PB	1916-1976	C/EZ55/1

## Bracknell cont.

Holly Spring County Junior (previously Bullbrook County Primary, Bracknell Council, Bracknell CE and Bracknell National) cont.	O	1855-1985	C/CL/E4/11/1-2; C/EZ50/1-2, 2-14, 16-18; D/P165/28/21-23; 89/SCH/22/2
Kennel Lane Special (previously Berek Special and Braybrooke Special)	AR	1965-1985	95/SCH/7/1; 95/SCH/8/1
	D	1966	C/CL/E3/3/4
	LB	1981-1985	95/SCH/7/2
	M	1969-1982	84/ED/3; 88/ED/2
	O	1967-1987	C/CL/E3/3/3; 89/ED/22
Meadow Vale County Primary (previously Meadow Vale Infant and Junior)	D	1952	C/AR/P4/17/1-14
	LB	1954-1984	89/SCH/23/1
	M	1954-1982	C/EM79, 234; 77/ED/6; 88/ED/40
	O	1954-1988	89/ED/27; 89/SCH/23/2-34
Priestwood County Primary (previously Priestwood Council, probably also Easthampstead Council, Priestwood Council Mixed)	AR	1966-1981	C/ER71/1
	D	1905-1953	C/AR/P4/50/1-3; C/CL/L2/10; C/CL/L2/498/1-10; RD/E/SB3/21; SB8/64
	LB	1908-1981	C/EL69, 70, 122
	M	1908-1981	C/EM6/1-4; 83/ED/1
	P	1910	C/EC1/26
	PB	1908-1969	C/EZ14; C/EZ/51/1
	O	1878-1991	C/CL/E4/14/1-2; C/CL/G1/25/11; 26/1; D/P49/28/15-42

## Bracknell cont.

Ranelagh Secondary	AR	1909-1990	SCH5/11/1-8
Previously Ranelagh grammar, Ranelagh Foundation charity <i>See also</i> Cranbourne Cranbourne County Primary	D	1942	RD/E/SB6/472
	LB	1936-1945	SCH/5/8/1
	M	1721-1985	SCH5/1/1-5
	P	1979	D/P49/28/72
	O	c.1695-1995	D/EX2270/1; D/P151/25/45-54; D/P151/28/67; D/P165/25/1; SCH5/3/1; 4/1-9; 5/1-2; 6/1-4; 7; 18/1-8; T/F26/1
Rectory Lane Secondary	D	1953-1966	C/CL/L2/541/1-7; C/CL/L2/557/1-11
Sandy Lane County Primary	D	1953-1954	C/AR/P4/18/1-12; C/CL/L2/504/1-12
	M	1956-1986	C/EM80; 77/ED/7; 88/ED/5-6; 89/SCH/43/1
	O	1956-1987	89/SCH/43/2-7
The Pines Infant	M	1973-1985	88/ED/8; 89/ED/32
	O	1984-1987	89/ED/25
The Pines Junior	M	1973-1982	88/ED/8
	O	1984-1987	89/ED/24
Wildridings County Primary (previously Wildridings County Junior and Infant)	M	1967-1982	88/ED/7
	P	1968	90/SCH/6/1
	O	1985-1986	89/ED/28

## Cranbourne

Cranbourne County Primary (previously Cranbourne Ranelagh CE) <i>See also</i> Bracknell, Ranelagh	AR	1915-1933	D/EX1979/1-2
	D	1923-1957	C/AR/P4/150/1-8; C/CL/L2/120/1-2; C/CL/L2/121/1-2; C/CL/L2/161/1-2; C/CL/L2/633/1-6; RD/E/SB9/301; SB10/127
	M	1922-1979	SCH5/1/1-2; C/EM44, 75, 235; 82/ED/36
	O	1695-1932	C/CL/E4/114; D/EX1979/3-6; SCH5/6/5-10

## Crowthorne

Crowthorne CE Primary	AR	1962-1978	89/SCH/41/5-6
	D	1901-1971	C/AR/P4/38/1-5; 89/SCH/41/9-10; RD/E/SB8/51
	LB	1875-1984	D/P102B/28/1-5; 89/SCH/41/1-4
	M	1874-1926	89/SCH/41/18
	P	1939-1970s	89/SCH/41/11-17
	PB	1904-1963	89/SCH/41/7
	O	1915-1985	89/SCH/41/8, 19, 20
Crowthorne Special Subjects Centre/Cookery Centre	D	1914	C/CL/L2/87
	O	1907-1910	C/CL/G1/25/40
Edgbarrow Secondary	D	1957-1958	C/CL/L2/638/1-25; C/CL/L2/681/1-7
	M	1903-1982	C/CL/E4/26; C/EM94; 84/ED/2; 88/ED/34

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Hatch Ride County Primary	M	1973-1978	C/EM176, 209
Oaklands County Infant	M	1963-1985	C/EM177; 88/ED/19
Oaklands County Junior	M	1963-1985	C/EM177; 88/ED/20
Waverley	D	1947-1948	RD/E/SB10/287
Wellington College	D	1930-1948	RD/E/SB
	O	1879-1884	D/EX208/B8/1; 20/5
Wildmoor Heath	AR	1873-1976	SCH29/11/1-3
(previously Broadmoor County Primary, Broadmoor Council)	LB	1904-1981	C/EL100; SCH29/8/1
	M	1950-1998	C/EM137/1-2; SCH29/1/1, 3, 10
	P	1932-1982	SCH29/15/1-17
	PB	1900-1964	SCH29/12/1
	O	1903-2000	C/CL/E4/25; SCH29/1/4-9; 2-3; 5-6; 10;16-18

## **Easthampstead**

Church Hill House	AR	1955-1994	95/SCH/9/1-2
Hospital	M	1971-1982	88/ED/2
Easthampstead Park College	D	1947-1961	C/AR/P2/3/1-5; C/CL/L2/400A, 401B
	M	1950-1998	C/EM101/1-4
Easthampstead Park	D	1971-1973	C/CL/E4/13/2
Initially known as Great Hollands Senior	P	1998	D/EX2075/1
	O	1964-1973	C/CL/E4/13/1
Park Adult Education Centre	M	1978-1981	88/ED/99
	M	1982-1985	89/ED/61
	O	1982-1985	89/ED/61



## Easthampstead cont.

St Michael's CE Primary (previously Easthampstead CE, Easthampstead National)	AR	1874-1959	D/P49/28/6-11
	D	1871-1962	C/AR/P4/49/1-10; D/EX268/18; D/P49/28/21/1-3; D/P49/28/101/1-17
	M	1878-1977	D/P49/28/15, 93-94
	O	1861-1985	C/CL/E4/12; D/EZ90/1; D/P49/28/12-41, 95-103

## Sandhurst

College Town County Junior (previously Lower Sandhurst Council)	AR	1907-1975	C/ER9/1-5; 90/SCH/3/1
	D	1910-1958	C/CL/L2/9, 41; C/CL/L2/651/1-12
	M	1907-1974	C/EM16/1, 2, 151
	P	c.1910	C/EC1/56 See also Sandhurst County Secondary.
	O	1906-1927	C/CL/G1/25/7; D/EX1352/1
Eagle House Preparatory	D	1937-1947	RD/E/SB4/200; SB7/19; SB10/70
New Scotland Hill County Primary Previously Sandhurst Methodist	AR	1871-1925	C/ER1/1, 2
	D	1913, 1961	C/AR/P4/99; C/CL/E4/70/2
	LB	1871-1943	C/EL42/1-3
New Scotland Hill County Primary cont	M	1966-1982	C/EM109, 152; 88/ED/4
	O	1896-1987	C/CL/E4/70/1; C/EZ2; 89/ED/26
St Michael's CE Primary	AR	1871-1960	D/P102/28/5-8
	LB	1863-1919	D/P102/28/9, 10

**Sandhurst cont.**

St Michael's CE Primary cont.	M	1895-1975	D/P102/28/3, 4; 86/ED/118
	O	1879-1938	D/P102/25/1; D/P102/28/11, 12
Sandhurst County Secondary (previously Lower Sandhurst Council)	D	1944-1946	RD/E/SB8/52; 9/199
	LB	1907-1930	C/EL66/1, 2
	M	1933-1980	C/EM108, 88/ED/24
	O	1957	C/EZ13
	P	1907-2007	D/EX2109/1/1-5
Uplands Primary	AR	1962-1972	89/SCH/21/1
	LB	1962-1996	97/SCH/1
	M	1962-1983	86/ED/112
	O	1974-1987	82/ED/35, 89/ED/21
<b>Warfield</b>			
Bullbrook National Schools	O	1895-1902	D/EX208/B6/8-9
Warfield CE Primary	AR	1883-1918	C/ER36/1
	D	1936-1963	C/AR/P4/132/1-3; RD/E/SB5/152
	LB	1863-1936	C/EL26/1-4
	M	1903-1945	D/P144/25/41-42
	O	1866-1965	C/CL/E4/15; C/ER36/2; C/EZ23; D/P144/25/34, 40, 43
[Unidentified]	D	1934-1950	RD/E/SB5/23

## Winkfield

Ascot Heath County Infant (previously Ascot Heath CE)	LB	1896-1993	C/EL108-1-3; 90/SCH/13/1; 96/SCH/5/1
	M	1967-1982	88/ED/3
Ascot Heath CE Junior (previously Ascot Heath CE Boys and Ascot Heath CE Girls)	D	1853-1868	C/AR/P4/148; D/EX268/3
	LB	1890-1966	C/EL/109-111
	M	1852-1979	C/EM71,133; D/P185/28/30
	P	c.1910	C/EC/1/62
	O	1866-1985	C/CL/E4/113; D/P185/28/21-35
Burghleigh Junior	D	1964-1965	C/AR/P4/149/1-7
Heathfield	D	1930-1948	RD/E/SB6/118
Heatherdown	D	1931-1948	RD/E/SB6/129, 214, 336; SB9/290; SB10/194
Lady Edridge evacuees	A	1939-1942	C/ER26; RD/E/SB6/440
Lambrook	AR	1883-1962	D/EX1832/2
	D	1973-1983	D/EX1832/9/19
	P	1899-1995	D/EX1832/5/2-7, 14; 9/4, 10-13, 15, 18, 30, 32-33, 35; 10-11
	PB	1992-1997	D/EX1832/9/25
	O	1921-1997	D/EX1832/1, 3-9

## Winkfield cont.

St Mary's CE Primary, Winkfield Row (Incorporated Winkfield Industrial 1895)	AR	1955-2000	SCH18/11/1-2
	D	1903-1945	C/AR/P4/151/1-3; D/P151/28/29; RD/E/SB8/53
	LB	1893-1895	D/P151/25/30
	M	1847-2008	D/P151/25/25; D/P151/28/3; SCH18/1/1-13
	P	[c.1992]- 1995	SCH18/15/1-3
	O	1834-2004	C/CL/E4/115/1-2; D/P151/25/22-24, 26-29; D/P151/28/1-2, 4-28, 30-40; SCH18/3/1-2; 6/1; 7/1; 18/1, 2

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