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w/c 24 February 2020	Art, DT, Drama, Music and Sport Scholarship auditions/interviews
24-26 February 2020	Academic Scholarship exams
2-5 June 2020	Common Entrance exams (if applicable)
12 June 2020	Familiarisation Day

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Autumn 2019 (by 1/12/19)	ISEB Common Pre-test (taken at current school)
26 September 2019	Introduction Day
w/c 20 January 2020	Assessment/interview day
22-26 February 2021	Scholarship assessments
8-11 June 2021	Common Entrance exams (if applicable)
18 June 2021	Familiarisation Day

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Autumn/Spring 2019/2020	ISEB Common Pre-test (taken at current school)
w/c 9 March 2020	Assessment/interview day for confirmed entry
February 2022	Scholarship assessments

### Step 1 – Visiting Worth

All parents who are considering Worth are encouraged to visit for an Open Day and/ or for a Private Visit at least two/ three years prior to their son or daughter joining the school.

### Step 2 – Registration

Registration is an expression of interest in joining Worth, and will allow a boy or girl to be entered for the assessment tests and interviews. It is recommended that registrations are made as early as possible before the admissions lists are closed.

### Step 3 – Pre-assessments

Registered candidates are asked to sit the Independent Schools' Examination Board (ISEB) Common Pre-Test at their current school. The Common Pre-Test is a computer-based test in English, Mathematics, and Verbal and Non-Verbal Reasoning. The test is age standardised so candidates are not disadvantaged by when they sit the test and is designed to enable all children to demonstrate their academic potential without excessive preparation.

Candidates attending a school that is not able to administer the ISEB Common Pre-Test will be invited to sit the test at Worth. References and reports from the candidate's current school are also requested; these are a key component of the assessments.

#### Step 4 – Assessment Days

Candidates are invited to attend one of several assessment days. These days will consist of informal interviews and small group tasks to enable Worth to get to know the candidate as well as possible to try to ensure that those who join the School are able to flourish within the Worth community.

#### Step 5 – Offers

Candidates will be told whether or not their application is successful. Exceptional candidates will, at this stage, be encouraged to sit for a scholarship held in February of Year 8. Confirmed places that are offered to candidates for entry to Year 9 are not dependent on the ISEB Common Entrance examination results.

#### Step 6 – Acceptance

Following an offer parents are asked to pay a non-refundable deposit to confirm the acceptance of their child's place.

#### Step 7 – Introduction Days

Candidates will be invited to an Introduction Day prior to entry for a chance to familiarise themselves further with the School by attending some classes, activities and sports, and to meet other candidates who will be joining.

#### Step 8 – Setting

Candidates either sit the ISEB Common Scholarship examinations at Worth in February, or the ISEB Common Entrance examinations (or their own school's examination if appropriate) in June of the entry year.

#### Step 9 – Familiarisation Day

Candidates will be invited to their day/ boarding houses to meet other successful applicants and all the relevant staff in June of the entry year.

#### Step 10 – Joining

The successful candidate starts their Worth career in September in the Autumn Term.