

- education is compulsory for all children aged between
- Types of schools in England
- State school
- Independent
- Nursery schools or kindergartens
- to mix with other children of similar age
- English, Mathematics and Science are called "core" subjects

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- the first level of education is known as primary education
- Infant school
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- get acquainted with the classroom, the blackboard, desks and the teacher.

# Grammar school

- Entrance is based on the test of ability
- Grammar schools are single sexed

# Junior school (7-11)

- to take National Curriculum tests in reading and mathematics also called SATs.

# • **Secondary schools (11-16)**

- provide **compulsory education** for children between the ages of eleven and sixteen
- take **the Advanced (A) level examination**
- curriculum includes
- **Modern and technical school**
- **College (further education)**

- study for 2 more years for "**A'**  
**(Advanced)** Level Exams in two or three  
subjects