

# New Age Cut-Off

## Frequently Asked Questions

### Has the age cut-off for school entry changed in Abu Dhabi?

We are aware of recent media reports regarding a change to the age cut-off for school entry. However, Raha International School has not yet received any official guidance from the Abu Dhabi Department of Education and Knowledge (ADEK) confirming the change.

### Can I apply under the new cut-off as announced in the media?

No. Families are welcome to apply based on our current age eligibility criteria, which remain in effect until formal guidance is received from ADEK.

### What happens if the policy changes after I apply?

When ADEK issues official guidance with any changes, we will update our processes accordingly and communicate directly with affected families, where relevant.

### The application says my child is too young.

Not to worry, you can continue to complete the application. We will keep your application in the portal, and as and when we receive further guidance, we will reach out to you.