

King's School - Rochester, UK

King's School, Rochester is one of Europe's oldest schools dating back to 604 AD. The school is located in the centre of Rochester in the grounds of the town's cathedral. The preparatory school enjoys its own separate facilities and boarding house.

As a cathedral school the Christian tradition is very important and all students study religion at GCSE level. The school enrolls students with a wide ability range but is constantly one of the highest achieving schools in the country with a very high acceptance rate into the best universities. Kings School has recently benefited from extensive Investment to celebrate the millennium.



Key Facts

LOCATION

- Rochester, Kent, UK
- Population: 210,000 (Dorking)
- Nearest Airport:: London Gatwick

SCHOOL TYPE

- Private, co-educational
- Prep and Secondary

SIZE

- 550 students

ACCOMMODATION

- Boarding & Homestay

UNIFORM

- All years compulsory

AGE RANGE

- 3 - 18

EFL LESSONS

- Available at extra cost



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- 3 computer suites
- Library and learning resource centre
- Computer language laboratory
- Art & Design studios
- Design and Technology centre
- Music school with practice rooms
- Separate prep and senior facilities

SPORTS FACILITIES

- Sports hall
- Indoor swimming pool
- Gymnasium and Boathouse
- Hockey, rugby and cricket pitches

BOARDING FACILITIES

- Years 4 - 9 in dormitories
- Years 10 - 13 in triple, twin and studies
- Separate accommodation for girls and boys

Welcome to King's School:

Academic attainment is at our core with a focus on developing skills, qualities and interests beyond the classroom. We always seeking to produce better results than Grammar Schools and other independent schools but not to be an exam hothouse.

There are a wide range of sporting, artistic and cultural opportunities for all, with an extensive range of music tuition, choirs, ensembles, orchestras and bands. A commitment to sport supported through the acquisition of the new King's Rochester Sports Centre (KRSC).



Boarding at King's School:

"It's made me more independent and made me grow up..." Year 11 boarder

"I love going out at weekends... The teachers take you to some really cool places..." Year 9 boarder

"I'd never, ever go back to being a day girl. That would never cross my mind... I've made so many good friends in boarding" Year 10 boarder

"I've made friends from all over the world and I'm sure if I turned up in, say, Slovakia or Spain, I'd have a place to stay!" Year 12 boarder

Why choose King's?

King's is a special place. It's warm-hearted and open-minded. It's ancient and modern. It's majestic and inclusive. But what in a nutshell makes us different? Few schools can say they've been educating children for over 1400 years! Our long history of proven methods continue apace. Today, we specialise in offering subjects that will give you the best possible route to a good university and a good degree.

