

Ratcliffe College - Leicestershire, UK

Located in Leicestershire the school extends to over 100 acres of beautiful countryside in a very safe and secure rural environment, yet within easy reach of major international airports.

Ratcliffe provides a totally self-contained campus with modern teaching facilities, elegant buildings, and full on-site sporting facilities.

A genuine sense of internationalism pervades the College, emanating from the diverse cultures of the boarders, the excellent provision for languages, and a truly outward looking approach to life.



Key Facts

LOCATION

- 8 miles from Leicester, Leicestershire, UK
- Population: 330,000 (Leicester)
- Nearest Airport: : London Heathrow / Birmingham International

SCHOOL TYPE

- State, co-educational

SIZE

- 680 students

ACCOMMODATION

- Homestay & Boarding

UNIFORM

- Compulsory

AGE RANGE

- 3 -18

EFL LESSONS

- Available at extra cost



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- ICT and computer suites
- Library and Resource centre
- Sixth Form study centre
- Excellent Music, creative and fine arts facilities
- Technology and drama opportunities

SPORT FACILITIES

- Sports hall with 5 badminton courts, basketball court, netball court, indoor cricket nets and a dedicated squash court
- Recently developed fitness suite
- Floodlit, all-weather AstroTurf for hockey and football
- Tennis & netball courts
- Athletics track and playing fields
- Heated, indoor, 25-metre swimming pool

Academic Approach:

Students are encouraged to achieve their personal best in a friendly, positive learning environment. Those who can gain the highest grades will be stretched and given every opportunity to shine in the classroom. Equally, the school is eager to foster a sense of pride, achievement and confidence in all their students, whatever their capabilities.

The school is proud of their record in achieving high results for the most academic students; they claim great success in building upon the academic potential of all our students.



Outside the Classroom:

All students have the opportunity to become involved in sporting activities whilst at the school. Traditional sports are seen as part of life at Ratcliffe College. Outside of the major team games, fixtures are also run for a number of other teams such as football, swimming galas, golf tournaments, basketball, squash and equestrian events.

Ratcliffe provides a strong and active arts programme. Opportunities for music, creative and fine arts, technology and drama are extensive and the excellent facilities allow for the pursuit of specialist interests.



Boarding Life:

The boarding community is firmly at the 'heart' of Ratcliffe College. The accommodation is on the first and second floors of the school building, so boarders have access to all the facilities, both academic and leisure, that the school has to offer. The boarders themselves play a full part in the life of the school and their presence in the evenings and at weekends provides an important continuity on campus.

