St. Bede's Prep School - Eastbourne, UK

St Bede's Preparatory School was founded in 1895 and is housed in Edwardian buildings set on the edge of Eastbourne and has superb views over the East Sussex coast. The school offers a warm, small and intimate atmosphere for learning where the school day is packed full of lessons and extra curricular activities.

Many visitors comment on the atmosphere of the school, the happiness of the children and the sense of purpose and achievement about the place. It is the can-do attitude, the flexibility, the delight in diversity and the sense of valuing all talents, which makes St Bede's feel distinctly different.



Key Facts

LOCATION

- Eastbourne, East Sussex, UK
- Population: 95,000
- Nearest Airport: London Gatwick

SCHOOL TYPE

Private, co-educational

SIZE

480 students

ACCOMMODATION

Boarding

UNIFORM

Compulsory

AGE RANGE

• 3 months - 13

EFL LESSONS

Some lessons included



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- Well equipped science department
- Up to date ICT facilities
- Subject specific teachers across all departments
- Support for international students with any level of English

SPORT & LEISURE FACILITIES

- Sports coached by specialists
- Separate games lessons and Physical Education classes
- Sports hall
- Wide range of sports including rugby, football, basketball, netball, hockey, swimming, gymnastics, kayaking, and climbing

BOARDING FACILITIES

- 4 boarding houses
- Common rooms and private gardens
- 3 6 students per dormitory

Academics at St. Bede's:

St Bede's Prep is non-selective academically and yet, by focusing on the educational needs of each individual, achieves outstanding results. Throughout their time at the school children follow a very broad curriculum, including academic studies, music, drama, art design and sport.

Small classes enable the school to monitor a child's academic progress and the standards reached are very high. Every pupil has the chance to benefit from a broad education in an environment where honesty, morality and good manners are highly valued.



Extra Curricular:

St Bede's is a busy school and there are a wide range of extra curricular activities going on both in the afternoons and early evenings. The children can choose their activities at the start of each term and stay in that activity throughout the term.

Sometimes specialist teachers are required and a range of specialists come to school to boost the activity programme. Over 30 clubs/activities on offer, including: Drama Club and Drama Master Class, ICT Club, Art and Art Master Class, Japanese, Cricket, S Pool, Climbing, and many more!

Boarding at St. Bede's:

Meads End has a strong home atmosphere and aims to care, support and guide the children, while encouraging them to learn and live together in harmony. There is a huge range of activities laid on for the boarders and all are encouraged to take part, whether it is camping in the garden, a beach barbeque, mountain biking in the woods or an informal cabaret evening - there is something for everyone to enjoy and get involved with.

