

Queen Elizabeth's Community College - Devon, UK

Queen Elizabeth's is a unique school and not only because they are the only state boarding school in Devon. The school, located in Crediton, is a High Performing Specialist School, specialising in Technology and Humanities. Due to the many improvements over the last five years the school has also become a Training School.

Although the school may be located in the heart of rural Devon, they are determined to provide an exciting, stimulating and challenging learning experience for all their students in a secure and friendly environment.



Key Facts

LOCATION

- Crediton, Devon, UK
- Population: 6,500
- Nearest Airport: Exeter / London Heathrow

SCHOOL TYPE

- State Day & Boarding

SIZE

- 1570 students

ACCOMMODATION

- Homestay

UNIFORM

- 11 - 16 Compulsory
- Sixth Form: None

AGE RANGE

- 11-18

EFL LESSONS

- Some lessons included



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- 600 computers
- 30 interactive whiteboards
- Dedicated Music block with practise rooms
- Computer suite
- Recording studio
- 2 newly refurbished libraries

SPORT & LEISURE FACILITIES

- Sports hall
- Fitness suite
- Swimming pool
- Climbing wall
- Outdoor education programme

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

- Boarding houses supervised by specialist boarding staff

Academics:

The school offers excellent facilities for learning in a wide variety of subject areas including 600 computers and 30 electronic white boards. There is a new sports hall with a fitness suite, a swimming pool, climbing wall and the best outdoor education programme in Devon. Also on site is a dedicated music block with practice room, computer suite and recording studio, two refurbished Libraries, a new dining hall and many other features which make QE an exciting and enjoyable place to learn! Students in the Sixth Form can study a wide range of A levels, complemented with Enrichment Activities, careers guidance and work experience. The school aims to provide all students with a balanced and broadly based Sixth Form course.



Location: Crediton, Devon

Crediton is a market town of approximately 6500 people which lies in the heart of an area of outstanding natural beauty and only 8 miles north-west of Exeter. The area enjoys good schools, good shops, low crime rate, sustained employment prospects and a very active community spirit; all set in this wonderfully attractive part of Devon. The area claims to produce some of the best food in Europe. The local farms produce high quality meat and game. Local cheeses, home grown beef and organic vegetables are found in the high street shops and farmers' market. Around Crediton there are several dairies and creameries, which are open to the public. There is a Farmers' Market on the first Saturday of each month.

Boarding Facilities:

For many years Queen Elizabeth Community College has offered a superb boarding environment within the town of Crediton, allowing students from around Britain and elsewhere to attend the school. The College is split into 2 sites, students in Year 7 and 8 are taught in the Lower School and those in Years 9 to 13 are based in the Upper School.

