

Ashville College



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The school

Ashville College is an independent day and boarding school for girls and boys aged 3–18 years. The College is in Harrogate, one of the North of England's most attractive towns, and is close to the local airport and major road and rail links. Ashville College was founded in 1877 by the Methodist Church. We believe that our teaching, facilities and environment reflect the very best in contemporary education. We provide a broad, balanced and challenging education for each of our students. We value each individual within our community, and ensure that wherever their niche or interests lie, we teach them to aspire to do their best and challenge themselves. We offer a supportive nurturing environment and plethora of opportunities together with outstanding teachers and excellent facilities.

From the Headmaster

Here at Ashville we are committed to educating the whole person. We inspire and challenge our students to think rather than merely learn. We get to know our pupils well to ensure that our education is enjoyable and inspirational. The school has outstanding academics together with an excellent reputation for pastoral care. Pupils leave Ashville as confident individuals who have achieved their personal best, with the majority going on to Russell Group universities.

Boarding school life

Located on the edge of the beautiful spa town Harrogate, Ashville offers students the best of both worlds. There is a spacious campus with excellent facilities, while the close proximity to Harrogate gives students the



opportunity to experience the cultural aspects of a thriving town, with weekend visits to Harrogate. The boarding houses have no more than 32 pupils in each house, enabling a secure, family-like atmosphere. Each house has its own kitchen, lounge, games room and working area. There are no more than six students in any dormitory, and sixth-formers have study-bedrooms. The ISC Inspection in 2010 reported boarding as 'outstanding'.

Boarding activities

The school's excellent sports facilities are available out of school hours. Sunday afternoon is a time for pupils to pursue a wide range of sporting and non-sporting activities. Taking advantage of the location, boarders enjoy many trips to different museums, cities and theme parks. The activity programme is put together with consultation from the pupils.

From the Head of Boarding

Students who choose boarding, whether full or weekly, appreciate how much it can add to their lives. They like the structure of the days and weeks. They enjoy living close to their friends. They appreciate the facilities and the fact that there is always plenty to do. Most of all, they love being part of a community which cares for them and puts their interests first.

*Being a boarder is like being in a big family...
it is the heart of the Ashville community.*



Key facts

Type of school Co-educational boarding 8–18 and day 3–18
Age range 3–18
Number of pupils 750
Number of boarders 120
Teacher/pupil ratio 1:8
Religious tradition Methodist
Fees per term UK domicile £6,208–£8,399,
Non-UK domicile £6,208–£8,858;
Day: Senior £4,316–£4,408,
Junior £3,066–£3,708, Pre-Prep £2,550
ISC associations HMC, IAPS, SofH
Affiliation MIST



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