



Increased Admission Number for all year groups including Year 7 for September 2017: 140

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Admissions

Ryedale School is a co-educational, comprehensive school that provides places for children aged 11-16. We serve the primary schools in the following areas (providing the students attending those primaries live within our catchment): Ampleforth, Helmsley, Nawton, Kirkbymoorside, Gillamoor, Sinnington, Hovingham and Chop Gate. To view the catchment area map, <u>click here</u>.

Parents who live outside the catchment area may also apply for entry to Ryedale School. These applications will be considered after all in-area applications have been allocated. Our Published Admission Number (PAN) for September 2017 is 122. However, we have already advised the Local Authority that we will admit up to 140 in Years 7, 8 and 9 with immediate effect. Therefore, we would hope to be able to accommodate all out of area applications for September 2017.

For admissions please contact the Admissions Team in Harrogate:

Telephone: 01609 533679

- Email: <u>schooladmissions@northyorks.gov.uk</u>
- Address: CYPS Admissions Team Jesmond House 31-33 Victoria Avenue Harrogate HG1 5QE Admissions Website: http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions

Further information including School Admission Policies can be obtained from the North Yorkshire County Council's *cyps.info* site at:

http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=13803

Transport

Free transport is provided for students who live in the catchment area. Further details can be obtained from the Area Education Office at the address above.

If a student lives outside the catchment area, parents are responsible for the cost of their child's transport. Please contact school for further details on out of catchment transportation.





In Year Admissions

We do have places available in current Years 7, 8 and 9 as of September 2016.

If you would like to arrange a visit to the school, please contact the school & speak to the Headteacher's PA.

The Area Education Office is responsible for all in year admissions.

Admission from Primary School

In September 2016, students starting in Ryedale School's Year 7 came from a total of 21 primary schools! In view of the large number of schools sending students to Ryedale School, our Deputy Head liaises between the Local Authority, the primary schools, parents and students to ensure that the procedures for application run smoothly.

Students in their final year of primary school and their parents are invited to attend one of our 6 Primary Presentation Evenings in the autumn term held across our feeder primary schools. There is also an opportunity to attend our Open Evening, which is held each year in June. This provides an opportunity to get a feel for the school, meet staff and visit departments.

Parents who would also like to view the school during a working day are most welcome to do so. To make an appointment, please contact the Headteacher's PA, at school.

Preference forms for applying to secondary school must be completed on line and submitted by the end of October for entry the following September.

Parents who are considering moving into the area and have a child due to transfer to secondary school should contact the Area Education Office as well as the school.

Parents of Year 6 children who live outside the area may also apply for admission to Ryedale School. These applications will be considered after all in-area applications have been allocated.

Over-subscription

If a school is over-subscribed, the Area Education Office allocates places according to published criteria. Parents should refer to the booklet issued by the Area Education Office for more information.

Since we advised the Local Authority in 2016 that we will admit up to 140 with immediate effect in Years 7, 8 and 9, we have been able to accommodate all applications for a place at Ryedale School.

Parents whose children are refused a place at their first choice school by the Area Education Office may appeal against the decision. A form for this purpose is available from the Area Education Office.

Open Evening for prospective students to join in September 2017 or September 2018 (for current Year 5 students) will take place on Thursday 29th June 2017 from 6pm. Presentation Evenings will also be held in the autumn term 2017. If you would like to attend these events or you would like to arrange a visit to Ryedale School please contact us on 01439 771665 or email info@ryedale.n-yorks.sch.uk.