WESTHOLME SCHOOL

INFORMATION
2017/2018

Aims & Ethos

The Aims Of The School

WE AIM:

To help each child to realise to the full her or his own aptitudes, abilities and qualities.

To create a caring community in which students are offered help and guidance both academic and personal without unwarranted intrusion into their individual privacy.

To provide a wide range of co curricular activities to build students' self-confidence and enrich their talents and learning.

OUR ACADEMIC AIMS ARE:

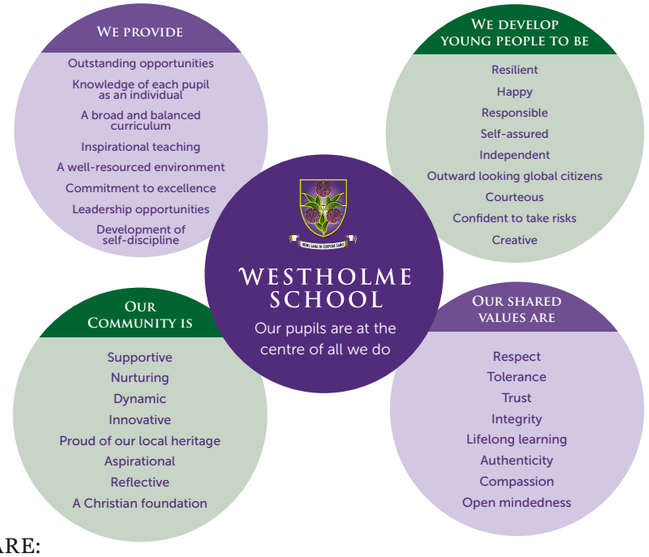
To provide a curriculum which offers a balanced course, including the skills of numeracy, literacy, communication and the study of the physical, social and aesthetic environment.

To encourage a positive attitude to study.

OUR SOCIAL AIMS ARE:

To create an environment in which students are encouraged to be courteous and considerate to others, respecting their property, personal dignity, opinions and abilities.

To encourage all students to take an active part in the running of the community.



OUR AIMS WITHIN THE WIDER COMMUNITY ARE:

To encourage students to play an active part in the local community socially, culturally, and in games and sports.

To involve the community and especially the parents, in the life of the School, so far as is consistent with the articles of government of the School.

MISSION STATEMENT: **CHILDREN COME FIRST**

ETHOS

Westholme School has a Protestant Christian foundation but all its benefits... shall be open to students of any creed. (Articles of Association of Westholme School, 1968.)

It is the ethos of Westholme School that all students of all ages should be valued for their achievements and positive qualities. Throughout the community of Westholme there will be respect for religious and moral values and tolerance of other races, religions and ways of life. All people who make up the community of Westholme should receive equality of opportunity with their peers. While knowledge of and respect for different cultures will always be encouraged, no one should seek to impose his or her beliefs and practices upon others.

Admission to Westholme School

Nursery: Children are admitted into the Nursery from the age of 3 months. Preference will be given to children who have siblings enrolled at Westholme School. All other registrations are dealt with in the order in which they are received.

Infant School: Children are admitted into Infant School following a successful informal assessment during which they will be asked to complete age appropriate tasks and demonstrate their ability to interact and follow simple instructions.

Junior School: Children are admitted into Junior School following a successful Entrance Examination* comprising of papers in English, Mathematics and Reasoning. Reading age is also assessed and a reference and school reports will be requested from the student's current school prior to an offer being made.

Senior School: The Entrance Examination* for entry into Year 7 takes place in the January preceding the start of the academic year of admission. In order for the School to fully appreciate each applicant's potential and likely contribution to Westholme, the children will also have a short interview with a member of the Senior Leadership Team and their current school will be approached for a reference. Interim students seeking entry into other year groups will also follow the same admissions process of examination, interview and reference request.

*There is a fee of £45 for all Junior and Senior assessments

To enter the Sixth Form, students are ideally expected to achieve 6 GCSEs at Grade 5, including English and Maths with a Grade 6 in those subjects they wish to study at A Level if they have studied them at GCSE. Applications from students who achieve a Grade 4 in English and Maths will be considered on an individual basis. Applicants will have an interview with the Principal and the Head of Sixth Form and, for those wishing to apply for a Scholarship, an Examination will take place in the November preceding the start of the academic year of admission. All other applications should be submitted before February in order to increase the likelihood that all A Level subject choices can all be accommodated.

Westholme School is a Tier 4 sponsor and International Admissions can be discussed on an individual basis by contacting the Registrar.

All offers made are subject to there being space in the year group and applicants meeting the required admission criteria. In situations where the year group is full, successful applicants will be placed on a waiting list. Due to high demand for places early registration is always recommended and this can be done via the website or by requesting an application form.

Westholme welcomes visitors at any time throughout the year and tours can be booked via the Registrar.

Entrance Examination Information For 2018 Entry To Senior School

Date of Entrance Examination: Friday 19th January, 2018.

The Entrance Examination consists of nationally standardised tests completed digitally on a PC as well as an English essay paper set by the School.

Format

Verbal Reasoning	25 min
Quantitative Reasoning	40 min
Non-Verbal Reasoning	40 min
English Essay	35 min

The standardised tests allow us to gain an understanding of students' abilities and likely academic potential. They assess students' abilities to reason in a range of different ways with the purpose of evaluating their potential to face the challenges of the curriculum. Understanding how an individual learns - what their learning bias or preference may be – can help students and their teachers make learning and teaching more effective in the future.

Please note that no revision is required and the examination is not curriculum specific. There is no specific way to prepare for the reasoning tests, but puzzles such as word games, jigsaws, Sudoku, crosswords and tessellations all make for good informal preparation.

When marking the essay we look for a good choice and range of vocabulary, well-conveyed feeling, vivid description, some organisation of ideas and a credible storyline. Spelling and grammatical accuracy are taken into account.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

Scholarships are available to award excellence and potential for entry into Year 7 and Year 12 and are at the Principal's discretion. Bursaries can be applied for prior to entry into Year 7 and Year 12, and in line with our charitable status are means tested. The value of the Bursary is related to the financial resources of the student's family and the school's available funds.

School Day

At the Nursery, children can arrive from 8.00am. The morning session finishes at 1.00pm as the afternoon session starts. All children should be collected by 6.00pm.

Our aim for our youngest children is to help with the transition from home to Nursery. We recognise that in order for children to feel safe and secure they need high quality, consistent care. Early relationships and bonds are formed during our settling in period over one to two weeks.

Access to a well planned, varied and rich environment, both indoors and out encourages children to work both independently and collaboratively in small groups. Emphasis is placed on gaining independence, encouraging your child to grow in confidence and self-reliance. We give time to children to practice, perfect and acquire new skills as well as establishing a firm platform on which their new proficiencies can be built.

We hold, and make explicit, high expectations of all our children based on a genuine belief in their ability to achieve.

In Pre School, our flexible care options can be tailored to best fit in with family requirements. 'Extended Day' includes care from 7.30am - 6.00pm, breakfast, lunch and tea and is available for 50 weeks of the year, or term time only (a minimum of 3 days must be attended). Alternatively, term time only, School Day hours are available (5 days a week must be attended) and lunch is included.

Pre School acts as the perfect bridge between Nursery and Infant School. When children first arrive in Pre School we ensure that they become accustomed to their environment before venturing to join in whole school events such as assemblies.

At the Infant School, all children in Reception to Year 2 classes are expected to be in school for the start of the school day at 8.50am. The format of the school day is tailored to the specific year groups, so that the structure of the day accurately meets the needs of our 4-7 year olds.

In each year group, the organisation of the day varies from the start of the school year to the end to ensure that children are adequately prepared for the transition into the next year group.

By the time children reach Reception age, they are used to attending assemblies, they visit the library weekly, take part in specialist music and swimming sessions and access the wider play facilities that our grounds offer. Over the course of the Reception year, children are also introduced to visiting the ICT Suite and learning French, as well as steadily increasing the formality of their learning, so that they are best prepared for their move to Year 1.

This pattern continues throughout Year 1 and 2 with the intention that by the time each child reaches the end of Year 2, he or she is equipped with the independence, knowledge and skills needed to be a successful young learner at the Juniors. The school day ends at 3.25pm.

A variety of co curricular clubs and activities are on offer, the range of which increases as the children grow older.

At the Junior School, children should be in School by 8.50am. Each day starts with assembly or form time. The day is made up of 8 lessons, divided by a mid-morning break and lunchtime. Reading sessions take place each day after lunch. School finishes at 3.30pm. Many activities take place after school and arrangements for these are given directly to the children involved and put on the School website.

At the Senior School, the day starts with registration at 8.45am and ends at 3.45pm. There are 7, 45 minute lessons each day (4 in the morning and 3 in the afternoon). Break time is 10.40am - 10.55am and lunchtime is at 12.25pm until 1.25pm. Throughout the week there are various assemblies and tutorial time. On Monday mornings, students spend time with their Form Tutor.

Wrap Around Care Services

Before School

- Nursery children can be dropped off at 7.30am at a charge of £5 per session. Children will also be offered breakfast.
- For Pre School, Before School Care from 7.30am is included in the 'Extended Day' care option and therefore does not involve any extra cost. This includes breakfast.
- For Reception to Year 6, Before School Care is available from 7.30am at a charge of £5 per session. Children will be offered breakfast and structured, indoor activities will be available. Pre-booking is not required and parents will be billed each half term. From 8am the children are supervised free of charge.
- At Senior School, doors are opened from 7.30am but pupils are not expected to arrive before 7.45am. Pupils requiring assistance between 7.45am and 8.00am may report to whichever member of the Senior Leadership Team is on duty that morning (usually the Deputy Head - Academic). There is no extra charge for this. Pupils have information on their form room notice boards explaining this. The Reception desk is manned from 8.00am. Pupils should report there if they require assistance before the Form Teacher arrives at 8.45am for registration.

After School

- For Pre School, After School Care until 6.00pm is included in the 'Extended Day' care option and therefore does not involve any extra cost.
- For the rest of the Infant School children, After School Care is available until 5.45pm and for Junior School children until 6.00pm. It is run by well-qualified and experienced staff and the children have the opportunity to complete homework and take part in activities. A light tea is also provided.
- For Years 7 to 11 at Senior School, After School Care is available from 4.00pm – 5.50pm in the Learning Resource Centre.
- To attend on a regular basis, an application form needs to be completed and these are available from the relevant school office. Ad hoc bookings can be made at least 24 hours in advance, providing there is space available. Parents will be billed each half term and a daily rate of £8.50 per session is charged, reduced to £7.50 per session for Infants and Juniors when a whole term is booked in advance.

Holiday Clubs

- Clubs are available but these vary from year to year.

For further information on all Wrap Around Care please telephone:

Infant School	01254 686590
Junior School	01254 692828
Senior School	01254 506070

The Curriculum

Infant School

The Early Years Foundation Stage (Nursery, Pre School and Reception)

- Communication and Language
- Expressive Arts and Design
- French (Reception onwards)
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Music
- Personal, Social and Emotional Development
- Physical Development
- Swimming (Pre School onwards)
- Understanding the World

Key Stage One (Years 1 & 2)

- Art and Design
- Design Technology
- English
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Music
- Personal, Social and Health Education
- Religious Education
- Science

Specialist teaching takes place in:

- Computing
- French
- LAMDA
- Physical Education
- Speech
- Swimming

Junior School

- Art
- Computing
- Design Technology
- English
- French
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- PSHEE
- Religious Education
- Science
- Swimming

Senior School

Year 7

- Art
- Computer Science
- Drama
- English
- Ethics, Philosophy & Religion
- French
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- PSHCE
- Science
- Spanish
- Technology - Design, Food and Textiles

Year 8

- Art
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Drama
- English
- Ethics, Philosophy & Religion
- Geography
- French/German/Mandarin
- History
- Latin
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Physics
- PSHCE
- Spanish
- Technology - Design, Food and Textiles

Year 9

- Art
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Drama
- English
- Ethics, Philosophy & Religion
- French/German/Mandarin
- Geography
- History
- Latin
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Physics
- PSHCE
- Spanish
- Technology - Design, Food and Textiles

Years 10 & 11

Core Subjects

- Biology/Chemistry/Physics
- English Language
- English Literature
- Mathematics
- Modern Foreign Language

Options

Languages

- French
- German
- Latin
- Mandarin
- Spanish

Humanities

- Ethics, Philosophy & Religion
- Geography
- History

Other

- Art & Design
- Business Studies
- Computer Science
- Drama
- Food & Nutrition
- Music
- Physical Education
- Product Design
- Textiles

Non Examined Core

- PSHCE
- Physical Education

Sixth Form

Subjects Available at A Level

- Art, Craft & Design and Photography
- Biology
- Business
- Chemistry
- Classics
- Computer Science
- Design & Technology - Textiles
- Drama & Theatre Studies
- Economics
- English Language
- English Literature
- French*
- Further Mathematics
- Geography
- German*
- History
- Mandarin*
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Psychology
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Spanish

Extension Qualifications

- Community Sports Leaders Award
- Duke of Edinburgh's Award Scheme
- The Advanced Certificate in Spoken English (ESB)
- Extended Project Qualification

In Addition

- PSHE
- Professional Careers Guidance
- Wednesday Afternoon Sport & Activities

* May be offered at A Level, dependent on demand.

Co Curricular And Enrichment

Experiences as wide and varied as possible are a cornerstone of the Westholme ethos. We believe in offering our students the opportunities to explore, the time to find talents and the support to excel. As such our co curricular programme is rich and extensive. Clubs run by the staff and the students themselves range from the expected to the extreme and everywhere in between! As in all aspects of Westholme life, we aim to have fun, learn and develop and embrace the challenges thrown at us. The co curricular and enrichment programme is constantly evolving and if it is not yet listed, it may well soon be. Enjoy!

Nursery & Pre School

Ballet
Gym Tots
Mini Movers
Music
Yoga

Infant School

Ballet
Construction Club
Cookery
Junior Journalists
LAMDA
Martial Arts - Sokudo

Junior School

Athletics
Ballet
Brass Group
Choir
Cricket
Cross Country
Dance
Drama Club
First Aid
Football
French
Hockey
Indoor Sportshall
LAMDA
Martial Arts - Sokudo
Netball
Orchestra
Recorder Groups
Rounders
Rugby
Scrabble
String Group
Swimming
Table Tennis
Woodwind Group

Senior School & Sixth Form

Art Drop-In
Athletics
Badminton
Biology Clinic
Brass Band
Business Enterprise Club (Westies)
Careers Advice & Guidance
Chemistry Clinic
Chess Club
Circuit Training
Cookery Club
Creative Writing
Cricket
Criminology Course*
Cross Country
Drama Club
Duke of Edinburgh
Engineering Club
English Clinic
Fell Running
Flute Group
Food Technology Clinic
Football
French Club
History Club
Hockey
Home Economics Club
ICT Club
LAMDA
Latin Clinic
Maths Clinic
Mentoring
Music Theory
Netball
Oxbridge Preparation*
Peer Mentoring*
Physics Clinic
Psychology Review Club*
Public Speaking & Debating Society
Rounders
Rugby
Running
Saxophone Group
School Newspaper
School Productions
Scrabble Club
Self Defence
Senior Chamber Choir
Senior Choir
Senior Orchestra
String Orchestra
Student Council
Swimming
Swing Band
Tennis
Textiles Club
The Big Debate
Volunteering & Community Service*
Water Polo
Year 7/8 Chamber Choir
Year 7/8 Choir
Year 7/8 Wind & Strings

* Sixth Form only

Students involved in sports activities will be expected to attend practices during some lunch times and after school. Many fixtures may take place on a Saturday morning.

Practices for musical activities also take place during some lunch times and after school.

The House System

Infants

From Reception, students are allocated a 'House': Bowland, Longridge or Pendle. Children gain House points, which can be awarded by any member of staff to individuals or groups for effort and attainment. At times children compete with their House team, for example, at the Swimming Gala or at Sports' Day. Each week, House points are collected by the House Captains and totalled. The weekly Infant School totals are announced in Celebration Assembly and a cup is awarded to the Captains of the winning House.

Juniors

At the Junior School, the Houses remain the same as the Infant School. House points are awarded for good work and effort. There are also House competitions in sport, music, reading and public speaking. Classes calculate the average number of points scored by members of each House weekly. This information is collected by the House Captains and recorded by the Head. A weekly total is given out in assembly and each term a cup is awarded to the Captains of the winning House.

Seniors

On arrival at the Senior School, all students and teachers are allocated to one of the four Houses - Bowland, Calder, Longridge or Pendle. Each House is led by two House Captains, who are members of the Sixth Form elected to these roles by the rest of the House. A staff Head of House is also allocated to support the Sixth Form Captains in their role.

Members of each House meet together for a House assembly, usually every second Friday and students in all years are encouraged to volunteer to lead one of these assemblies.

Special House t-shirts can be purchased from our onsite school shop, Westies, and are compulsory for all new Year 7 students from 2017 onwards.

House Competitions and Activities at Senior School

During the year there are numerous Inter-House activities, where competition is fierce but friendly and age is irrelevant as students and staff support their House.

Cross Country Championship - October

Christmas House Plays - December

Swimming Gala - February

General Knowledge Quiz - February / March

Netball & Hockey Championship - March

Badminton Championship - March

Football Tournament - March / April

Poetry Speaking/Shakespeare Speaking Competition - March / April

Debating - April

Tennis Championship - July

Sports' Day - July

Rounders Championship - July

Cricket Championship - July

Students also earn House points for achievements such as excellence in academic work, outstanding effort and representing the School in the community.

GCSE Results 2017

Qualification: GCSE 9-1

Subject	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	% A* - C	National % A* - C
ENGLISH LANGUAGE	5	6	18	24	16	8	2	0	0	98	62
ENGLISH LITERATURE	7	13	11	15	13	3	0	0	0	100	72
MATHEMATICS	3	7	5	17	18	24	4	1	0	94	60

Qualification: GCSE A*-G

Subject	A*	A	B	C	D	E	% A* - C	National % A* - C
ART & DESIGN	1	5	11	7	0	0	100	75
BIOLOGY	8	16	16	6	1	0	98	90
BUSINESS STUDIES	4	2	13	8	2	0	93	63
CHEMISTRY	11	13	16	6	1	0	98	89
CHINESE (MANDARIN)	6	2	5	1	0	0	100	89
COMPUTING	3	3	4	1	2	0	98	89
DRAMA	10	9	10	3	0	0	100	74
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY TEXTILES	5	6	4	0	0	0	100	61
FRENCH	0	0	2	4	10	1	35	69
GEOGRAPHY	12	10	8	11	0	0	100	64
GERMAN	1	3	0	0	0	0	100	74
HISTORY	7	4	10	3	1	0	96	65
HE FOOD & NUTRITION	0	2	8	3	0	0	100	55
LATIN	5	1	3	2	2	0	85	89
MUSIC	1	3	1	1	1	0	86	74
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	3	9	6	5	3	0	89	68
PRODUCT DESIGN	2	1	3	0	0	0	100	61
PHYSICS	11	9	15	12	0	0	100	91
RELIGIOUS STUDIES	8	28	11	5	1	0	98	71
SCIENCE (CORE)	0	0	7	18	7	0	78	48
SCIENCE (ADDITIONAL)	0	0	10	19	3	0	91	58
SPANISH	5	3	9	13	9	2	73	70
TOTALS	103	129	172	128	43	3	91.1	71.1

A Level Results 2017

Subject	A*	A	B	C	D	E	% A* - C	National % A* - C
ART & DESIGN	0	0	4	0	0	0	100	82
ART & DESIGN - PHOTOGRAPHY	0	1	1	0	0	0	100	82
BIOLOGY	0	1	1	0	0	1	66	70
BUSINESS STUDIES	0	1	2	0	1	0	75	74
CHEMISTRY	0	0	1	0	1	0	50	75
DRAMA	0	0	2	0	1	0	66	78
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY TEXTILES	0	0	1	1	0	0	100	68
ECONOMICS	0	1	2	0	0	0	100	83
ENGLISH LANGUAGE	0	2	6	0	1	0	89	74
ENGLISH LITERATURE	0	1	3	0	0	0	100	81
GEOGRAPHY	0	1	8	1	0	0	100	82
GERMAN	0	0	1	1	0	0	100	87
HISTORY	0	2	0	2	1	0	80	82
LATIN	0	0	1	0	1	0	50	68
MANDERIN	0	1	0	0	0	0	100	68
MATHEMATICS	0	0	3	2	1	1	70	80
MUSIC	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	72
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	0	1	1	0	0	0	100	64
PHYSICS	0	0	0	1	0	0	100	69
PSYCHOLOGY	0	2	2	0	1	0	80	73
RELIGIOUS STUDIES	0	2	6	0	0	0	100	80
SOCIOLOGY	1	1	1	0	0	0	100	77
SPANISH	0	0	1	0	0	0	100	86
TOTALS	1	17	47	8	8	3		

Travelling to Westholme School

By Road

Westholme School is situated on the western side of Blackburn on three close but separate sites, near to the M6 and M61 making them easily accessible via the UK motorway network.

Our post codes for satellite navigation purposes are:

BB2 6PS - Nursery & Infant School
BB2 7AA - Junior School
BB2 6QU - Senior School

Car parking is available at all sites for staff and visitors.

Nursery & Infant School parking for Staff and Visitors is available directly in front of Reception and there is also a drop off zone for Nursery.

Junior School parking is available for staff and visitors at the top of the drive.

Senior School parking is available for staff and visitors in clearly marked bays which are signposted and on the tennis court adjacent to the drive (from 9am to 4pm).

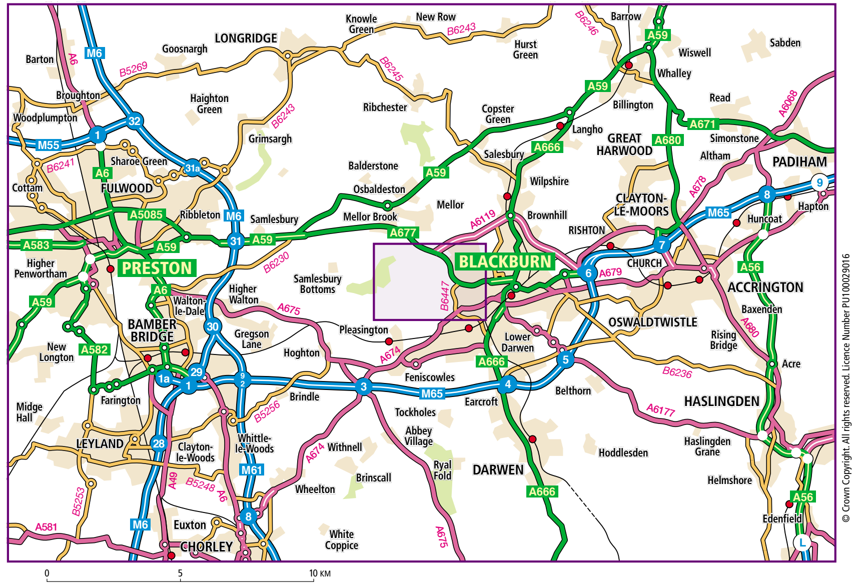
From the M6

Exit at Junction 31 and join the A59 eastwards, signposted to Blackburn. Travel for 1.5 miles and join the A677 Preston New Road. Remain on the A677 for approximately 4 miles towards Blackburn town centre.

For the Nursery & Infant School - remain on the Preston New Road, through the crossroads and the entrance is immediately on your right.

For the Junior School - travel past Beardwood Hospital and the entrance is on your left.

For the Senior School - travel past Beardwood Hospital and turn right into Meins Road. The entrance is after 1 mile on your right.



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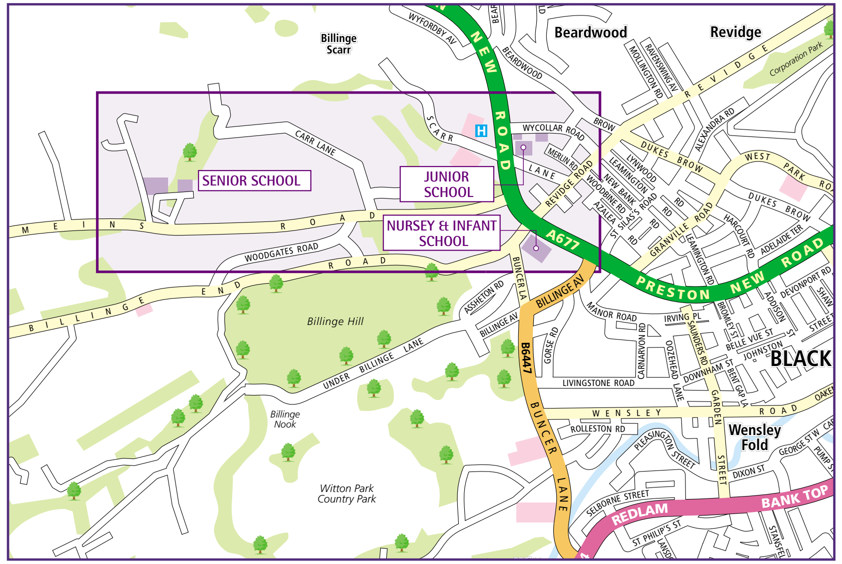
From the M65

Exit at Junction 3 and join the A674 northwards, signposted to Blackburn. Travel for 3 miles and at the crossroads turn left onto the B6447 Buncer Lane. Remaining on the B6447 bear right into Billinge Avenue and then turn left onto the A667 Preston New Road.

For the Nursery & Infant School - the entrance is on your left after 100 yards.

For the Junior School - travel past Meins Road on your left and the entrance can be found on the right just after Scarr Lane.

For the Senior School - take the second turning left into Meins Road. The entrance is after 1 mile on your right.



By Coach

The School has an extensive coach service covering a 25 mile radius.

No. 1 - Standish, Parbold, Charnock Richard, Clayton Green	**No. 5** - Grimsargh, Goosnargh, Longridge, Ribchester, Langho, Wilpshire, Mellor	**No. 9** - Burnley, Read, Clayton-le-Moors, Great Harwood
No. 2 - Horwich, Chorley, Wheelton, Feniscowles, Cherry Tree	**No. 6** - Bolton, Darwen, Ewood	**No. 10** - Waterfoot, Rawtenstall, Haslingden, Accrington, Oswaldtwistle
No. 3 - Longton, Preston, Fulwood	**No. 7** - Edgworth, Bromley Cross, Darwen, Hoddlesden, Blackburn	**No. 11** - Chatburn, Clitheroe, Calderstones, Whalley, Brockhall, Wilpshire
No. 4 - Euxton, Buckshaw, Whittle le Woods, Leyland, Bamber Bridge, Hoghton	**No. 8** - Colne, Nelson, Fence, Higham, Padiham, Rishton	

By Rail

The nearest mainline station is Preston, which has direct services to Manchester, Liverpool and around the North West, and is only a 20 minute taxi journey from the Schools.

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Term Dates

Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 5th September - Year 7 & Year 12 Induction Day

Wednesday 6th September - Tuesday 19th December

Half Term
Monday 23rd October - Friday 3rd November (inclusive)

Spring Term 2018

Tuesday 9th January - Friday 23rd March

Half Term
Monday 12th February - Friday 16th February (inclusive)

Summer Term 2018

Tuesday 17th April - Wednesday 11th July

Bank Holiday - Monday 7th May

Half Term
Monday 28th May - Friday 1st June (inclusive)

Nursery & Pre School* Closure Dates

Christmas 2017/18

Thursday 21st December 2017 – Monday 1st January 2018 (inclusive)

Easter 2018

Friday 29th March, Monday 2nd April, Tuesday April 3rd

Bank Holidays 2018

Monday 7th May, Monday 28th May, Monday 27th August

** Relevant for children who attend Pre School on the 50 Week Care package*

Forthcoming Open Days 2017 - 2018

Whole School Open Day

Saturday 7th October 2017
10.00am-2.00pm

Sixth Form Open Evening

Thursday 12th October 2017
5.30pm-8.00pm

Sixth Form Taster Day and Scholarship Examination

Thursday 9th November 2017

Reception Open Afternoon

Tuesday 20th February 2018
2.00pm-5.00pm

Senior School Open Morning

Saturday 3rd March 2018
10.00am-1.00pm

Nursery, Infant & Junior School Open Morning

Saturday 21st April 2018
10.00am-12.00pm noon

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