



Dallam School

Important information regarding your application

The following documents are required for the application. It is important that you send them all to avoid any delays in receiving your answer.

- The completed boarding application (and Sixth Form Application for Year 12)
- The student's latest school report
- A scan of the ID page of the student's passport
- A 500 word personal statement from the student (Years 10 and 12 only)
- GCSE Subject Choices Year 9 – this will be requested in Jan/Feb 2020
- A completed English Test (if English is not your first language)

Please send to Boarding Admissions, preferably by email to boardingadmissions@dallamschool.co.uk, or by fax to 015395 65175 or post to Dallam School, Heversham, Cumbria, LA7 7EH.

Admissions Process

Admission to the school is a simple procedure as there are no exams to take.

For Sixth-Form entry, students need to have achieved at least 5 A* - C grades at GCSE (or foreign equivalent), including English and Maths (minimum new grade 5 in English and Maths) to study on the IB or A level programme.

Students who have not taken GCSE or IGCSE Maths and English will be required to do so as unless they are opting for the IB or taking Maths and English at A-Level.

A reference will then be requested from the student's present school and following receipt, Ms O'Connor, our Executive Headteacher, will consider the application. If a formal offer is made, we would then invite you to visit the school and meet with the Head or one of his Deputies and the Head of Boarding.

You will be required to confirm your acceptance of the placement by signing a boarding agreement in which you agree to settle accounts prior to the beginning of each term and to give two terms' notice of withdrawal from the boarding house or pay two terms' fees in lieu for students wishing to withdraw during year 7 or 8, or pay a full year's fees in lieu for students wishing to withdraw during year 9, 10, 11, 12 or 13.

A deposit will be required to accompany your acceptance together with the registration fee. The deposit is returnable after all outstanding invoices have been settled. The registration fee is non-returnable. Failure to take up the accepted place will result in the forfeiture of the deposit.

Students who reside outside of Europe are required to have a guardian in the UK.

Fees

The boarding fee for entry (2020-2021) ranges from £12,160 to £13,550 per year. Payment is required prior to the start of each term.

Payment of the fees can be made by credit card or bank transfer and a payment letter will be enclosed with relevant details when invoices are sent out.

The Governors reserve the right to alter the fees at their discretion. Fees are normally reviewed annually to take effect in September and one term's notice is given.

Fees are not returnable if students are excluded from school for disciplinary reasons or if insufficient notice of withdrawal is given.

The Sixth Form boarding house (Whitbarrow Hall) comprises 55 single, en-suite study bedrooms with internet connection and 2 double, en-suite study bedrooms with internet connection. This accommodation is specifically for sixth-form students and is subject to availability.

The boarding fee covers full board and meals, bed linen and laundry and the arrangements for care.

This does NOT include clothing, recreational outings, personal expenses, the cost of medicines, musical instrument tuition or any other private tuition, travel away from school or any other costs relating to school activities for which parents of day-students are asked to make a contribution (i.e. school trips to the theatre or Duke of Edinburgh expedition weekends).

Tuition, books and stationery etc. and most extra-curricular activities are FREE.

Location

Dallam School is situated in a rural area on the southern fringe of the Lake District and close to the Yorkshire Dales National Park in the North of England. It is therefore an excellent opportunity for students to make the best use of the outstanding environment on the school's doorstep.

Useful Information

The train goes directly from Manchester Airport to Arnside, our nearest station. It is a 15 minute taxi journey from there. <https://www.thetrainline.com> is a good site for tickets. Trains from Liverpool will usually require a change of trains.

Local Station: Arnside (from Manchester Airport)

Nearest mainline station: Oxenholme (The Lake District -from London Euston)

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