

What happens at the end of Year 8?

Our pupils move on to a variety of secondary schools and are often successful in gaining Scholarship places. You may also be interested to know that we have a good relationship with many local schools who are prepared to offer a place in Year 9 following assessment at 11+. Further details are available from the Registrar.

Academic Scholarships:

Bearwood, Bradfield, Hampton, Leighton Park, Luckley-Oakfield, Pangbourne, Reading Blue Coat, St. George's Ascot, The Abbey, Wellington College.

Music Scholarships:

Bearwood, Leighton Park, Lord Wandsworth, Luckley-Oakfield, Reading Blue Coat, St. George's Ascot, St. Joseph's, The Abbey, Wellington College.

Art Scholarships:

Bearwood, Licensed Victuallers'.

Sports Scholarships:

Bearwood, Blundell's Tiverton, Leighton Park.

Pupils have also successfully gained places at the following schools:

Bearwood College, Blundell's Tiverton, Bradfield, Downe House, Farnborough Hill, Gordon's, Heathfield, Leighton Park, Licensed Victuallers', Lord Wandsworth, Luckley-Oakfield, Pangbourne, Queen Anne's, Reading Blue Coat, St. George's Ascot, St. Joseph's, St. Mary's Ascot, St. Swithun's, Salesian, Shiplake, The Abbey, The Elvian, The Marist, Winchester, Wycombe Abbey, Charters, Emmbrook, Forest, Kendrick, Ranelagh, Reading School, Royal Grammar Guildford, St. Crispins, The Holt Wokingham.



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What are the next steps?

We warmly welcome prospective parents and pupils to join us at our termly Open Mornings. Alternatively, to arrange an individual visit and to meet with Mrs. Robinson, Headteacher, please contact the Registrar.

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*confidence
success for all*

**Would your child benefit from
two years of focused tuition
before Senior School?**

Years 7 & 8 at Holme Grange provide your child with excellent staff pupil ratios and proven success. Whatever your choice of secondary school, your child will benefit both academically and socially.

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What are the benefits?

Holme Grange has a strong commitment to Years 7 and 8 underpinned by the belief that during these two years pupils develop into adolescence in a familiar and nurturing environment. This results in confident individuals who are ready to take on life's challenges.

“At the time I thought it was hard work but now I realise I am ahead of the game”

Year 8 leaver, currently at Wellington College.

Would your child benefit from another two years of focused tuition before Senior School?

We can help your child develop academically and grow in confidence before Secondary School. Whatever your choice of school at Year 9 you can be assured that your child will benefit from the excellent pupil / staff ratio and pastoral care.

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What will my child gain?

At this stage in the pupils education the work ethic is truly developed as they move towards the Common Entrance exams at 13.

An ability to work independently and master study skills ensures that pupils are well prepared for the opportunities that senior school brings. Many are pleased to find they are academically ahead of peers at their next school.

Year 7 and 8 pupils embrace the challenges and opportunities that come with being at the top of the School. Privileges such as a common room, combined with individual responsibilities, develop a sense of self worth and leadership skills.

“Year 7/8 is your chance to be a hero, the younger kids look up to you – why would you miss out on that?”

Year 8 pupil.

What is unique about Holme Grange?

At Holme Grange we have a proven history of teaching Year 7 and 8 with excellent results. Year on year our pupils have successfully secured places at top flight secondary schools often gaining Scholarships and Awards.

“Pupils make further rapid progress in Years 7 and 8 and usually gain access to their first choice of senior school.”

ISI report 2009.

A high pupil / staff ratio ensures we are able to offer personalised learning and each individual is able to reach their full potential.

Pupils are challenged at appropriate levels, in preparation for the GCSE syllabus and leave Year 8 confident about the demands this will bring.

Essential skills for life such as creativity, critical thinking, leadership and the ability to be self directed learners are further developed over these two years.

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