



# HARROGATE LADIES' COLLEGE. ADMISSIONS INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS 2020/21.

Since 1893

# EACH YEAR WE HAVE A NUMBER OF PLACES AVAILABLE FOR INTERNATIONAL PUPILS TO JOIN US IN COLLEGE FROM THE AGES OF 11 TO 18 YEARS (YEAR 7 TO YEAR 12).

International students can apply to join us in any year group (directly or via an agent).

All international applicants are asked to:

- › **Complete English and Maths entrance exam papers**
- › **Have an interview (or Skype) with our Principal, Mrs Sylvia Brett**
- › **Provide a copy of their most recent school report**
- › **Provide a copy of their passport**

We like to ask that international students have an appropriate level of English for the year group they are applying to join so that they can understand the classes they attend, but above all we are looking for girls who have a real passion for joining our school and integrating with our school community.

## Ethos and Aims

We aim to develop a deep passion for learning and a love of life in all of our pupils. This ethos underpins everything we do and is at the heart of our school community.

We are a Christian foundation and our pupils are challenged to be the best that they can be, both inside and outside the classroom.

## Guardians

We ask that all non-EU students have a guardian living in the UK. We also strongly recommend that EU students have a UK based guardian.

## International Scholarships

We have an International Scholarship Programme which offers a small number of scholarships each year to international students with an exceptional talent in a particular area including: Academic, Art, Textiles, Music, and Sport. Please contact our Admissions Team for more information.

## Fees for 2020/21

We aim to make our fees as inclusive as possible to help families to plan for their daughter's education. Our termly Boarding Fees include:

- > Tuition
- > Accommodation (during term time)
- > All meals including breakfast, lunch, supper plus mid-morning and afternoon snacks
- > Full laundry service
- > Supervised after school homework sessions
- > Most text books
- > Medical provision from the College Health Centre
- > Extensive extra-curricular programme

Our boarding fees for the academic year beginning September 2020 are as follows:

EU pupils (entry into all Years)

**£10,575 per term**

Non-EU pupils (entry into Year 7-11)

**£10,890 per term**

Non-EU pupils (entry into Year 12-13)\*

**£13,255 per term**

\*Pupils who join us before Year 12 and continue into the Sixth Form will continue to pay Year7-11 fees.

Non-EU fees are applicable to all families who are not domiciled in the EU.

Fees are invoiced termly and are payable before the start of each term.

**“I am incredibly proud of our international students. They contribute a huge amount and we all benefit from the cultural diversity that they bring to our school community.”**

**Sylvia Brett**

Principal of Harrogate Ladies' College

## Fee Discounts

A discount of 5% is available for any girl who has a younger sibling in College. Daughters and grand-daughters of former pupils also receive a 10% fee reduction.

## Registration Fee and Deposit

There is a non-refundable Registration Fee of £75 for all applications. Once you receive an offer from College, you'll also be asked to pay a deposit in order to secure your place.

## English as an Additional Language (EAL) and IELTS

To ensure that our international students receive the English language support that they need, we assess each student (normally before they arrive) and identify the number of additional lessons required each week. As the level of support differs for each pupil these costs are not included in our standard fees, and are charged as follows:

Individual lesson (35 mins): **£34 per lesson**

Group lessons 2-5 pupils (70 mins): **£34 per lesson**

Group lessons 6-10 pupils (70 mins): **£24 per lesson**

## Modern Language Tuition

Individual lesson (35 mins): **£20 per lesson**

## Music Lessons

Pre-arranged instrument and singing lessons are available on a weekly basis. Individual lessons lasting 35 minutes cost £26.50 per lesson.

For beginners in string, woodwind or brass, a school instrument is available for hire for the first year at a cost of £50 per term.

## Airport Transfers

School transport to/from Leeds/Bradford Airport: **£17**

Taxi to/from Leeds/Bradford Airport: **£28**

School transport to/from Manchester Airport: **£27**

Taxi to/from Manchester Airport: **£100**

School transport to/from London Heathrow: **£270**

## Bank Transfer Information

Fees, deposits and registration fees can be paid directly to Harrogate Ladies' College by electronic bank transfer. Please quote your daughter's full name as a reference when making a payment.

### Bank Details:

Barclays Bank plc  
Banbury  
Oxfordshire  
OX16 8PS

### Account Details:

Sort Code: **20-03-50**  
Account: **Harrogate Ladies' College fees a/c**  
Account No: **30489506**  
IBAN code: **GB63 BARC 2003 5030 4895 06**  
BIC code: **BARCGB22**

# Curriculum 2020/21

Key Stage 3 - Years 7, 8 and 9	GCSE - Years 10 and 11	A LEVEL - Years 12 and 13
Art	Advance Mathematics	Art and Design
Biology (Years 8&9)	Art and Design	Art and Design - Textiles
Chemistry (Years 8&9)	Art and Design - Textiles	Biology
Computing	Biology	Business Studies
Drama	Chemistry	Chemistry
English	Computer Science	Economics
French	Double Award Science	English Literature
Games	Drama	French
German	Economics	German (Year 13 only)
Geography	English Literature	Geography
History	English Language	History
Food Technology	Food and Nutrition	Mathematics
Latin	French	Further Mathematics
Mathematics	German	Music
Music	Geography	Photography
PE	History	Physics
Philosophy (Year 9)	Latin	Psychology
Physics (Years 8&9)	Mathematics	Spanish
PSHE (Personal, Social and Health Education)	Music	Theatre Studies (Year 13 only)
Religious Studies	Physical Education	
Science (Year 7)	Physics	
Spanish (Years 8&9)	Religious Studies	
Swimming	Spanish	
Textiles		

In Year 8 the girls choose to study two Modern Foreign Languages and will continue to study these subjects in Year 9.

## Other Examination Options

LAMDA (Speech and Drama)

Music Examinations - Associated Board of the Royal School of Music (ABRSM)

Music Diplomas - ABRSM and Trinity Guildhall

IELTS

EPQ

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## SPORTS

Aerobics  
Athletics  
Ballet  
Badminton  
Basketball  
Cricket  
Dance  
Fitness Training  
Football

Golf  
Gymnastics  
Horse Riding  
Indoor Hockey  
Lacrosse  
Netball  
Outdoor Pursuits  
Rounders  
Running

Self Defence  
Squash  
Street Dance  
Swimming  
Tennis  
Trampolining  
Volley Ball

## CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

Art  
Astronomy  
Baking Club  
Book Clubs  
Business Breakfast  
Charity Committee  
Chemistry Olympiad  
Chess Club  
Creative Writing  
Debating and Public Speaking  
Diction  
Digital Leaders Club

Duke of Edinburgh  
Eco Committee  
Junior Drama  
Group Speaking  
HLC Apprentice  
HLC Magazine  
House Drama  
Italian Club  
Language Olympiad  
Latin Myths  
LEAP (Young Enterprise)  
Mathematics Club

Mural Workshop  
Order of Athena  
Overseas University Club  
Oxbridge Preparation  
Prep Support  
Recreational Swimming  
School Productions  
Sisterhood of Freedom Writers  
STEM Club  
So you want to be a Vet or Doctor?  
Target 2.0 - Economics in Action

## MUSIC - Individual Music (lessons in all Instruments and Voice)

Band Skills  
Chapel Choir  
Gallery Choir  
House Music

Lower School Music Theory Club  
Music Theory Club  
Orchestra  
Recorder Ensemble

String Ensemble  
Vocal Ensemble  
Wind Ensemble

## ISI Inspection - Excellent in All Areas (2-18 years)

The independent ISI inspectors spent 3 days undertaking a detailed inspection of Harrogate Ladies' College and our associated prep school and pre-school. The inspectors awarded us the highest possible rating of Excellent in All Areas from 2 to 18 years. Here are some of the key findings of our Education Quality Inspection:

### The quality of the pupils' academic and other achievements is EXCELLENT.

- > A culture of high achievement pervades the school.
- > Academic Standards across the school are high.
- > Results at GCSE and iGCSE are above the national average for maintained schools and demonstrate consistent progress in relation to the pupils' starting points.
- > Senior school pupils are articulate and confident speakers.
- > Those in the senior school who are more able have opportunities to excel.
- > Pupils achieve excellent standards and successes in group activities and individually in music, public speaking and sports.

### The quality of the pupils' personal development is EXCELLENT.

- > All members of the school community respect different faiths and cultures.
- > Pupils develop excellent personal skills and enjoy working collaboratively.
- > Pupils learn to mix with all age groups relishing the many opportunities to work together in both house and school activities.
- > Pupils contribute very strongly to the school and wider community and are sensitive to the needs of others.

# 2020/21 Term Dates:

## Autumn Term 2020

New Boarders Travel Day	Thursday 3 September
New Pupil Induction Day	Friday 4 September
<b>First Teaching Day</b>	<b>Monday 7 September</b>
<b>Half Term Begins</b>	<b>Wednesday 21 October at 13:00</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Wednesday 21 October at 13:00
Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 1 November
<b>School Resumes</b>	<b>Monday 2 November</b>
<b>Term Ends</b>	<b>Friday 11 December</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Saturday 12 December

## Spring Term 2021

Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 3 January
<b>First Teaching Day</b>	<b>Monday 4 January</b>
<b>Half Term Begins</b>	<b>Friday 12 February</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Saturday 13 February
Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 21 February
<b>School Resumes</b>	<b>Monday 22 February</b>
<b>Term Ends</b>	<b>Friday 26 March</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Saturday 27 March

## Summer Term 2021

Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 18 April
<b>First Teaching Day</b>	<b>Monday 19 April</b>
<b>Bank Holiday (open for College)</b>	<b>Monday 3 May</b>
<b>Half Term Begins</b>	<b>Friday 28 May</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Saturday 29 May
Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 6 June
<b>School Resumes</b>	<b>Monday 7 June</b>
<b>Term Ends</b>	<b>Saturday 3 July</b>
Boarders' Travel Day	Sunday 4 July

## How to Apply

If you are interested in applying for an international place at Harrogate Ladies' College, please contact our Admissions Team in the first instance. The Admissions Team work closely with families and their agents (where relevant) to help make the process as smooth and as simple as possible.

### Contact:

#### Admissions Team

Email: [admissions@hlc.org.uk](mailto:admissions@hlc.org.uk)

Tel: +44 (0) 1423 537045

#### Governance

Our Chair of Governors, Francine Holroyd, and our Principal, Mrs Sylvia Brett, can be contacted via Harrogate Ladies' College, Clarence Drive, Harrogate, HG1 2QG.

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