

Information for Applicants

Kingswood School is an Independent Preparatory School for boys and girls aged 3 to 11. The School, which opened in September 1986, occupies a charming Victorian school building in St James' Place, Shirley, adjacent to St James' Church.

Class sizes are small (maximum 16) and there is only one class per year group. Consequently, all classes are mixed ability and staff routinely differentiate their lessons. Because of the small size of the School, all staff know all children and the children receive significantly more individual attention than they would in larger schools with larger classes.

Children flourish in this "family-style" environment and expectations are very high.

The School has a Christian ethos but welcomes and accommodates children of all faiths.

The main aims of the School are to ensure that every child achieves his/her true potential and to ensure that each child leaves the School feeling "properly" self-confident. The staff team is very experienced and mutually supportive. There is also a strong "special needs" team and most classes have TISA support.

Destinations of school leavers include the local Grammar Schools and nearby Independent Secondary Schools.

Applicants for positions at Kingswood School should send a completed application form and covering letter to the Headmaster either:

by e-mail to headmaster@kingswoodschool.co.uk or

by post to The Headmaster, Kingswood School, St James Place, Shirley, Solihull, B90 2BA.