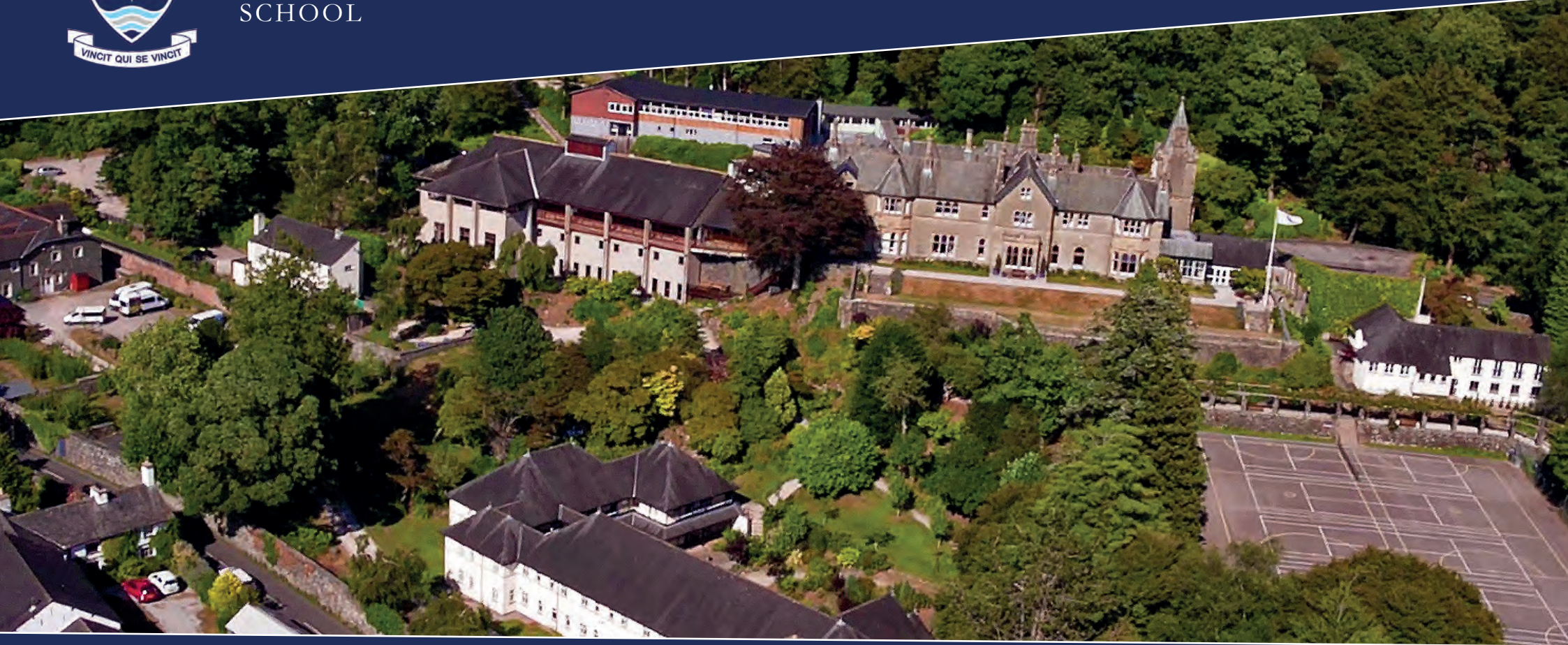




WINDERMERE
SCHOOL



Immersion
2021
Programmes

Welcome

Established in 1863, Windermere School is a day and boarding school with a modern and innovative approach that encourages young people to strive for excellence in all they do. Our amazing location in the heart of the English Lake District, a UNESCO World Heritage site and area of outstanding beauty, offers a stimulating environment in which to develop and achieve both inside and outside the classroom.

We are immensely proud of the academic results our pupils achieve. Outdoor education and adventurous learning are also integral to the curriculum and co-curricular programme. As a Round Square school, Windermere has a

long history of welcoming international students to our special community. This worldwide association of schools shares ambitious goals to develop every student through academic, physical, cultural and spiritual experiences.

Our school motto 'Vincit qui se vincit' – one conquers who conquers oneself – exemplifies Windermere's commitment to challenging our pupils to excel and achieve their potential.

Come and discover Windermere for yourselves. Whether you join us for a few weeks or for a longer stay, a warm welcome is assured!

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It is never about doing extraordinary things but about doing every little thing extraordinarily well

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Maria Dudakova, former Windermere student



Immersion Programmes

Our Boarding Immersion Programmes offer an outstanding opportunity to join Windermere School for a short period. You will make friends from the UK and around the world whilst improving your English skills and developing independence. Studying and learning alongside Windermere School pupils, you will participate in all aspects of school life, following the normal timetable of lessons in your year group. Accommodation is in one of our three boarding houses under the careful watch of Houseparents. English as an Additional Language tuition, if required, is in small groups. You will also enjoy sports, social events and activities including sailing at Hodge Howe, our private Watersports Centre on the shores of Lake Windermere, and a weekly excursion.



2021 Courses

Course	Dates	Cost	Age
Immersion 1	Sunday 6 June to Saturday 19 June	£2600	8-17 years
Immersion 2	Sunday 6 June to Saturday 26 June	£3900	8-17 years
Immersion 3	Sunday 6 June to Saturday 3 July	£5200	8-17 years
Immersion 4	Sunday 20 June to Saturday 3 July	£2600	8-17 years

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It always seems impossible until it's done
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Nelson Mandela

Immersion - Sample Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Breakfast							
Assembly						Study time, Sports & Activities e.g. Ghyll Scrambling, Hiking in Lake District, Visit to local village	Excursion e.g Theme park, Edinburgh Castle, Manchester City Football Ground, City shopping trip etc
Period 1	PE	Science	EAL	Humanities	English		
Period 2	PE	Maths	Maths	English	Science		
Period 3	English	English	PE	Maths	Tutor Time		
Period 4	Ideals	Music	PE	Art	Religious Knowledge		
Lunch							
Period 5	Computer Studies	Humanities	Food and Nutrition	Science	Computer Studies		
Period 6	Maths	Humanities	Food and Nutrition	Science	Drama		
Activity	Tennis/ Cricket	Netball/ Football	Sailing/ Canoeing	Basketball/ Rounders	Hockey/ Sailing		
Dinner							
Evening	PREP	PREP	PREP	PREP	PREP	Cinema trip	Chill in Houses
Free time							
Bedtime	9pm	9pm	9pm	9pm	9pm	10pm	9.30pm

All activities/excursions are subject to local/national Covid-19 restrictions

Boarding Immersion at other times of year

Unable to come in June? It is often possible to join Windermere school at other times of year (during term time) subject to availability in the Boarding House. The minimum stay is 2 weeks and enquiries are welcome at any time of year.





Key Facts

- All-inclusive price
- Places limited by nationality and year group to ensure a good mix – we recommend you book early!
- All lessons, books and learning materials provided
- Accommodation in a comfortable, homely boarding house (most rooms have 2/3/4 beds)
- Three high quality, freshly prepared meals per day
Snacks and drinks available in Houses
- Sports and activities delivered by qualified instructors and a weekly excursion
- 24/7 pastoral care and support
- End of course report
- Regular laundry service and free wifi
- Airport transfers to/from Manchester or Liverpool included

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One child, one teacher, one pen and one book can change the world
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Malala Yousafzai



Other Info

General Information

Campus and Facilities

The campus is set in over 50 acres of private land, providing a safe and inspirational location to live and study. The School enjoys many facilities including an Art and Design studio, Sports Hall, Astro-turf all weather sports pitch, tennis and netball courts, sports fields, music and rehearsal rooms and a dance studio.

Theatrical and musical productions are performed in our spacious auditorium, Crampton Hall. We also have an IT suite, Sixth Form Study Centre and additional study areas in the boarding houses.

Hodge Howe, the School's private watersports centre, is located a short distance from the school and has two boathouses, a private beach and a pavilion with classroom, offering the perfect location to sail, canoe or kayak.

Boarding, Pastoral and Medical Care

Each House has a resident Houseparent who is responsible for looking after the students and for the smooth running of the House. You will live in our three comfortable and well-equipped boarding houses. Many rooms enjoy lake views and rooms generally accommodate 2-4 students. Where possible, students who speak the same native language are allocated to different rooms to ensure English is spoken at all times.

Each boarding house has a kitchen in which to make drinks and snacks and a large common room where you can play pool or table tennis or relax with a book or a movie.

On the Boarding Immersion programme, Windermere School's mobile phone policy applies.

Medical care is overseen by the School Nurses (Boarding Immersion). Medical appointments can be made at the doctor's surgery in Windermere and the closest hospital is in Kendal, a 15 minute drive from the School.

The School is compliant with current WHO and UK government Covid-19 guidelines and adheres to the Boarding School Association's Covid-Safe charter.

Food

Meals are taken in the central dining room which enjoys sweeping views of the Lake District. We provide plenty of fresh, healthy food prepared each day by the school chefs. There is always a choice of hot and cold options at every meal and a salad bar every day. Fruit, biscuits, snacks and drinks are available in the Houses and packed lunches are provided when we are off-site. Vegetarian, vegan and most other special dietary needs can easily be catered for.

Travelling to Windermere

Air: Windermere is just a 90 minute drive from Manchester and Liverpool international airports. Transfers to/from these airports are included on the designated course arrival and departure dates. Transfers to/from other airports can be arranged at an additional cost.

Rail: The School is a five minute taxi ride from Windermere railway station. High speed rail services connect London Euston to Oxenholme (Lake District) in under 3 hours. From Oxenholme (Lake District) there are connections to Windermere station which take approximately 20 minutes. A transfer service can be arranged from Windermere or Oxenholme (Lake District) railway stations with prior arrangement.

Road: The school is easily accessible by road. From the M6, leave the motorway at Junction 36 and join the A590 towards Kendal which becomes the A591 just before Kendal. Continue on to the A591 into Windermere. Turn right at the mini-roundabout on to the A592 towards Penrith and Windermere School (Senior Campus) is located about a mile along this road on the right-hand side

The town of Windermere is approximately a mile from the School's Senior campus.

Application and Booking

Our team is always happy to help, so please contact us with any questions or to make an application for the programme. Please complete and return the Registration form. Following a successful Skype interview, a provisional letter of confirmation will be produced. No payment will be required until 6 weeks prior to the course start date. FULL refunds will be given if the booking needs to be cancelled for any Covid-19 situation.



Head of Sixth Form



Director of Student Pathways and Careers

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No one is too small to
make a difference
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Greta Thunberg



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