Roedean School - Nr. Brighton, UK

Roedean School was founded in 1885 and is situated on the cliffs of the south coast, near to Brighton. The school is set in 40 acres of grounds, dedicated to sports and leisure use, and a further 75 acres of farmland having all the advantages of being close to a town but within a rural setting.

The school combines a traditional English boarding school education and tradition with a progressive, global outlook in a friendly, secure and informal environment. It has a deservedly high reputation, both academically and in sports and extracurricular activities. Roedean has consistently been one of the very best schools in England achieving the highest academic results for many years. The school has extensive high quality facilities to cater for the academic and non-academic needs of all their students.

Key Facts

LOCATION
- Nr. Brighton, East Sussex, UK
- Population: 156,000 (Brighton)
- Nearest Airport:: London Gatwick

SCHOOL TYPE
- Private, girls only
- Boarding & Day

SIZE
- 430 students

ACCOMMODATION
- Boarding

UNIFORM
- Years 7 - 11: Compulsory
- Years 12 & 13: Casual

AGE RANGE
- 11 - 18

EFL LESSONS
- Available at extra cost

Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES
- Dance studio
- Theatre
- Multimedia language library
- 9 purpose-built Science laboratories
- Art & Design studios
- Design & Technology workshops
- Central Resource Centre
- Extensive library

SPORTS FACILITIES
- Large sports hall
- Multi-gym
- Indoor swimming pool
- Squash courts
- Tennis and Hockey pitches

BOARDING FACILITIES
- Years 7 - 11: Single or shared room
- Years 12 - 13: Single study room
Why choose Roedean?

Academic achievement was always the priority for the three founders of Roedean. But the Lawrence sisters hoped lungfuls of fresh sea air, space and an inspiring view would guard against overwork and help create strong, healthy women. Where better to put a girls school than Brighton?

Although our facilities have been continuously enhanced and our teaching methods have evolved, the ethos of the founding sisters continues to underpin our community. As a result, it is safe to say we are one of the leading private schools in Sussex.

Roedean School welcomes and celebrates equality and diversity. The school works hard to ensure international students are fully supported and assimilated into the community. All girls are very supportive of each other and are understanding of individual needs and wishes in relation to race and culture.

The school's policies and procedures for meeting the needs of boarders' health are comprehensive and effective. Good communication between departments, sometimes on a need to know basis, is practised and respected.

The school aims high and achieves high in keeping the girls safe. There are numerous avenues for the girls to access if they have a problem, and staff are very supportive in accessing the correct professionals where indicated.

Boarding at Roedean School:

At Roedean, our girls flourish on a coastal campus which offers more space, light and fresh air than any comparable site in Brighton. A common misperception about the school, perhaps stemming from its elevated position and gated driveway, is that it is somehow intimidating or exclusive. In fact, once inside, visitors quickly realise the building is a living home to 400 energetic, unshowy girls as friendly and welcoming as any in Brighton.