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Opportunities for all to excel

Where learning
comes to life . . .



Strathallan Prep School Prospectus

Where the Strathallan journey begins

Strathallan Prep for boys and girls.

Welcome to Strathallan Prep School, the newly created Junior School from Strathallan. Previously Riley House, Strathallan Prep now welcomes almost 100 day and boarding pupils. Discretely set within Strathallan's 153 acres of safe, outdoor space, Strathallan Prep is a small, close community. With average class sizes of just 14, the school is small enough for everyone to get to know each other yet big enough to encourage diversity. With pupils joining us from the local community and from all over the world, we take our responsibility as a fun, supportive home-from-home very seriously.

Strathallan Prep benefits from its own separate area within Strathallan's campus, with its own classrooms, social areas and outdoor space, but our children are fortunate to also have access to the extensive facilities of the whole School. We've invested heavily in our estate in recent years and have some of the best sporting and recreational facilities of any school in Scotland.

It's a perfect balance: small classes, big resources. Our pupils enjoy the expertise of dedicated primary school teachers and the specialist input of subject teachers from the senior school. They have an idyllic place they can call their own while taking full advantage of the incredible resources right here on their doorstep.

All of this helps to give Strathallan Prep School's pupils an exceptional educational experience. Specialist teaching provides a deep insight into each subject, while the scale and quality of the activities programme provided allows every pupil – day or boarding – to broaden their skills and experience and discover new things they'll love.

Most importantly, Strathallan Prep is a happy, vibrant place to learn, full of music and laughter, where children are carefully nurtured for the challenges that await them in senior school and beyond.

E. C. Lalani

Emma Lalani, Head of Strathallan Prep School



Where the foundations are
set for future success

“The small classes, supervised prep and teaching have brought our son on in leaps and bounds. We have seen a different child since starting... It is quite astonishing.”

Small classes, big resources

Strathallan Prep School's classes have an average size of just 12-14 pupils, and our dedicated primary school teachers work alongside subject specialists from the senior school to deliver the curriculum. Every one of our staff is an expert in their field, and delivers lessons tailored to each individual pupil's needs.

We ensure each child has a good grounding in core subjects and experience in specialist areas before moving on to further study. This gradual exposure to specialist teaching allows pupils to make good progress in the many subjects they will pursue in senior school.

Where confidence is gently nurtured

Where children can be children

Helping children discover things that inspire them is central to what we do at Strathallan Prep. In the classroom, in activities alongside senior pupils, or making the most of our exceptional sports, music and drama facilities, our pupils develop their interests and find activities they'll pursue throughout their school days, and for many, it's the start of a journey that sees them going on to perform at the highest level.

While the scale of activities on offer is a huge benefit, we always make time for children to create their own games and adventures, learning as they play. From kicking a ball around with friends to building dens in The Valley, our safe, secure, 153 acre site is a wonderful playground for children to explore.

For most of our pupils, the best thing about Strathallan Prep is the time spent with friends. Our children form firm friendships from the start, learning and growing together and enjoying unforgettable experiences that will live with them forever



Where we discover new things





Where a warm welcome and lots of new friends await ...

See for yourself

The best way to find out if Strathallan Prep is right for your child is to see it for yourself. We encourage parents and their children to visit during term time to get a real feel for life at Strathallan.

We can also organise Short Stay Immersion Programmes, taster days and overnight stays allowing prospective pupils the opportunity to spend time seeing what it's like to be in Riley House.

We also host a number of Information Mornings on Online Meet & Greet sessions throughout the year and you can find details of these on the Strathallan website



Riley House at Strathallan Prep

Riley House is our home-from-home for both day and boarding pupils, and we work hard to promote a caring environment where we all look out for each other and ensure everyone knows who to ask for help. As a result, our pupils are confident, eager to try new things, polite and well mannered. We listen to them and ensure that they're happy and well looked after every day.

Both boarding and day pupils use our indoor facilities including the main common room, TV lounge, games room, quiet areas and snug. Outside, we have our own sports grounds, play areas and the wooded valley where they can make dens, climb trees and let off steam. Riley dormitories are colourful and cosy, sleeping four to five pupils each, and all meals are taken with the rest of the school in the main dining hall.

Strathallan Prep staff are on hand round the clock to deal with any emergencies, including the school's fully staffed Health Centre with full-time nurses and regular doctors' surgeries and our own live-in Matron who is on call at all times. For the many children who board with us, we make sure they maintain a good connection with home, using school wifi to keep in touch with parents and grandparents whenever they need to. Pastoral care is extremely important, and our recent report from the Care Inspectorate is a ringing endorsement of the high standards we set to make sure our children are well looked after and content when they're in our care.

Entry criteria

Strathallan Prep accepts applications from day and boarding pupils from all over the world. Age is recorded as at 1st September in the year of entry.

To find out more about applications for Strathallan Prep or to arrange a visit please contact: admissions@strathallan.co.uk Tel: (+44) 1738 815003.





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