



Wargrave House

'The Autism Specialists'



Wargrave House

School

(5-16)

*On a journey together,
learning about life*

**'Wargrave House
is an exceptional
school'**

OFSTED 2014

**"The quality and
consistency of care
that residential
pupils receive is
outstanding"**

OFSTED Residential
Inspection 2017

**'Students love
coming to school'**

OFSTED 2014

**"Wargrave House is a service
that enables some very
vulnerable young people to
develop a sense of
belonging, ownership and
community that enhances
their wellbeing and self-
esteem which results in very
positive outcomes for
students and their families."**

NAS Accreditation 2018



'This school is amazing, staff are wonderful and totally understanding with our son's needs . .'

Parent Comment

The school provides day and residential places for children aged 5—16. The aim of Wargrave House is to provide a 'Whole School' approach where the goals and the strategies are the same for teachers, carers and parents and continuity between day staff and evening staff is a priority. The 24-hour curriculum integrates residential activities during early morning and evening, in addition to daily classroom practice, and is facilitated through close liaison between day and residential staff. In this way we aim to ensure equality of opportunity in access to all aspects of the curriculum regardless of the nature and degree of disability of the child with autism.

Each child, therefore, is regarded as an individual with his/her own singular and special needs. This ensures that their own personality, ability and interests are catered for so as to promote and enhance the spiritual, moral, cultural, intellectual and physical development of the students at the school and in society.

All students follow a broad, balanced and relevant curriculum which incorporates all National Curriculum subjects. The school has identified two essential areas of the curriculum which embrace all other curriculum areas and which are seen as priority areas for development in students with autism - these are Communication and Personal Social Health and Economic Education (PSHEE).



Wargrave House at a Glance!

- ◆ Ofsted Outstanding Provider
- ◆ Learning environment based on 24 hour curriculum
- ◆ Extensive range of education, social and care provision based on individual student needs
- ◆ Small classes (maximum 8) with high staff to student ratio
- ◆ Speech and Language Therapy
- ◆ Sensory Integration Occupational Therapy
- ◆ Nordoff Robbins Music Therapy
- ◆ Rebound Therapy
- ◆ Nationally accredited academic and vocational courses
- ◆ Professional staff trained to deal with challenging behaviour
- ◆ Calm, purposeful atmosphere
- ◆ Behavioural, Emotional and Social Therapeutic (BEST) curriculum
- ◆ Extensive range of sporting, outdoor education and recreational activities
- ◆ Emphasis on healthy lifestyles
- ◆ Full time school health nurse
- ◆ Comfortable, well decorated & equipped accommodation

We are here and happy to help!

‘Children and young people grow in confidence and independence as a result of the time at the school’

Ofsted 2016

‘Staff at all levels are committed to improving the experiences of children and young people at the school’

Contact

The key to a successful placement is collaborative working. As the lead manager for 5—16 department, I welcome the opportunity to support our young people and their families. Please feel free to contact me if you need advice, guidance or support.

Enquiries

If you are interested in finding more out about our school and our services, would like to arrange a visit or require any post diagnosis support, advice or information about autism please ring

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