

Find the best value private schools near you

Revealed: The best independent schools in your area by their grades and fees



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The Telegraph Money's second annual value-for-money league table

St John's Preparatory and Senior School (<1mi.)

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LOCATION Enfield	AGE GROUP 3 to 19
RELIGION Christian	GENDER Mixed
NUMBER OF PUPILS 432	FEE/GRADE RATIO i Very good

While extracurricular activities and top-class facilities are a big part of why parents opt for public schools, for many it is academic prowess that is the most important factor.

Telegraph Money's second annual value-for-money league table crucially – assesses whether the most expensive schools lead to the top grades.

Snapshot of The Telegraph Money's second annual value-for-money school tables: Full list of all schools can be found on www.telegraph.co.uk/money/best-private-schools-near-you-fees-area-pass-rate/

Mill Hill School Foundation (6mi.) ↕		St Edmund's College (15mi.) ↕		St John's Preparatory and Senior School (<1mi.) ↕		Queenswood School (2mi.) ↕	
FEES (ANNUAL) £25,800	TOP GRADES 37.5%	FEES (ANNUAL) £21,735	TOP GRADES 28%	FEES (ANNUAL) £16,500	TOP GRADES 53.9%	FEES (ANNUAL) £28,380	TOP GRADES 30.6%
LOCATION Barnet	AGE GROUP 3 to 19	LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 3 to 19	LOCATION Enfield	AGE GROUP 3 to 19	LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 11 to 18
RELIGION None	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Roman Catholic	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Christian	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Methodist	GENDER Girls
NUMBER OF PUPILS 1,731	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Below average	NUMBER OF PUPILS 878	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Well below average	NUMBER OF PUPILS 432	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Very good	NUMBER OF PUPILS 443	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Well below average
Haileybury and Imperial Service College (8mi.) ↕		St Columba's College (9mi.) ↕		Queen's College, London (12mi.) ↕		Channing School (8mi.) ↕	
FEES (ANNUAL) £32,355	TOP GRADES 45.2%	FEES (ANNUAL) £19,338	TOP GRADES 33%	FEES (ANNUAL) £23,985	TOP GRADES 50.3%	FEES (ANNUAL) £24,870	TOP GRADES 53.8%
LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 11 to 18	LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 4 to 18	LOCATION Westminster	AGE GROUP 4 to 18	LOCATION Haringey	AGE GROUP 4 to 18
RELIGION Church of England	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Roman Catholic	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Church of England	GENDER Girls	RELIGION Unitarian	GENDER Girls
NUMBER OF PUPILS 903	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Below average	NUMBER OF PUPILS 760	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Below average	NUMBER OF PUPILS 606	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Fair	NUMBER OF PUPILS 1,000	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Good
Brampton College (7mi.) ↕		Sherrardswood School (10mi.) ↕		Royal Russell School (23mi.) ↕		Haberdashers' Girls' School (7mi.) ↕	
FEES (ANNUAL) £24,425	TOP GRADES 44%	FEES (ANNUAL) £19,017	TOP GRADES 18.7%	FEES (ANNUAL) £22,560	TOP GRADES 46.7%	FEES (ANNUAL) £23,745	TOP GRADES 74%
LOCATION Barnet	AGE GROUP 15 to 19	LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 3 to 19	LOCATION Croydon	AGE GROUP 3 to 19	LOCATION Hertfordshire	AGE GROUP 4 to 18
RELIGION None	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Christian	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Anglican/Church of England	GENDER Mixed	RELIGION Christian	GENDER Girls
NUMBER OF PUPILS 206	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Fair	NUMBER OF PUPILS 488	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Well below average	NUMBER OF PUPILS 1,131	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Fair	NUMBER OF PUPILS 1,161	FEE/GRADE RATIO ⓘ Very good