



Ripon Grammar School

Tuesday 13 May 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian

Ripon Grammar School Open Evening for Prospective Year 7 Students and Parents for September 2026

We would like to invite you to our school Open Evening on **Thursday, 19 June at 5.30pm** for those current Year 5 children and their parents who may be considering joining Ripon Grammar School in September 2026.

The event will involve a tour of the school and the various subject areas, where teachers and students will be on hand to answer questions and to give a taste of each subject, as well as a presentation by myself and Mr Barber, who will be our Head of Year 7 for this cohort, and existing students.

Representatives from NYC will also be available in the school library to answer any queries you may have about the selection process.

There will also be an opportunity afterwards to speak to the boarding staff for those interested in taking up a boarding place.

In order to ensure a pleasant and informative experience, we will be running two sessions simultaneously on the evening to avoid overcrowding in the hall. All parents and children are invited to arrive at 5.30pm. Some parents will tour the school first whilst others will be invited to the school hall for our talk and presentation. There will be a changeover at 6.30pm and further details will be provided on the evening.

The evening will require significant organisation and is likely to be busy. Therefore, I would ask that you arrive promptly to ensure the evening runs smoothly. In the meantime, if you have any general queries please email our Admissions Officer, Mrs Drummond at drummondp@ripongrammar.com

A reminder that testing for Ripon Grammar School entry takes place on the morning of Saturday, 13 September. Full details about selection tests are available at [North Yorkshire School Admissions](#)

Yours sincerely

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