

Royal School Armagh
Preparatory Department
Prospectus



Headmistress' Welcome

Thank you for your interest in The Royal School Armagh Preparatory Department. The Preparatory Department is a special place where children can work and play together in safe and stimulating surroundings. We are proud of our reputation for providing a happy and friendly learning environment where children and parents feel welcome and supported.

At 'RSA Prep', we offer pupils a supportive and happy environment that encourages the girls and boys to enjoy learning, grow in self-confidence and acquire a wide range of worthwhile interests. We believe that school should be a caring place where pupils receive a broad education that fires their imagination and develops their personality.

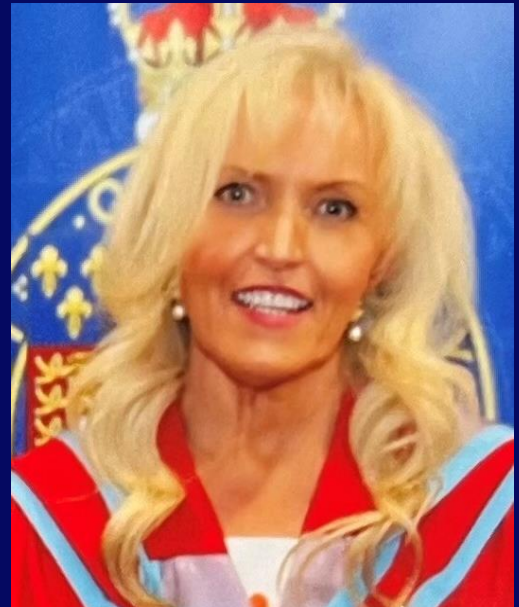


Dr K G G Carson McClenaghan

Meet our Staff



Mr G Montgomery
Headmaster of the Royal School Armagh



Dr K G G Carson-McClenaghan
Head of Preparatory Department



Mrs N O'Hare
Teacher



Miss S Cullen
Teacher



Mrs C Flanagan
Teaching Assistant

Striving for Excellence, Learning for Life, Achievement for All.

At RSA, high academic expectations are complemented by the development of values and skills that give the children firm foundations for adult life. Learning should be fun and we tailor our curriculum to make it interesting, exciting and relevant to young children. Emphasis is placed upon building firm foundations and nurturing a love of learning. We aim to inspire all pupils to do their best and to become more independent learners. The curriculum is taught in small teaching groups and incorporates specialist tuition in Music, Languages, PE, Hockey, Games and Swimming. Our afterschool curricular activities encourage the children to experience something new and widen their horizons.

The Prep children always display such enthusiasm with all their extra-curricular activities, both academic and sporting. They demonstrate exuberance, pride, determination and willingness to participate as team players. 'Team Prep' being their motto.



100%

of pupils achieved a Grammar School place who had applied to sit the transfer test in 2024.

Weekly Activities

All lessons are delivered by teachers and coaches specialised in their field.

- Transfer Tuition
- Class French
- Spanish
- PE
- Hockey Coaching
- ICT
- STEM Club
- Choir
- Speech and Drama
- Music Lessons: Sing, Violin, Brass, Woodwind
- Swimming
- Rugby and Football Coaching
- Tennis (Term 3)
- Cross Country
- Orienteering
- School Residential Trips
- Cycling Proficiency
- Multi-sports coaching





Educational Trips and Visits

The pupils enjoy an annual whole school trip together and we visit local museums and places of interest. In Key Stage Two, we offer the option of visiting Paris, the Share Village and Shannaghmore Outdoor and Recreational Centre. Class trips are scheduled throughout the year to enhance the children's learning links to their World Around Us topics.



RSA Prep are proud to have strong community links within the local area.



Boarding

The Royal School is one of the top boarding schools in Ireland.

The Royal School is one of the best resourced co-educational boarding schools in Northern Ireland. The School's Boarding Department offers superb value for money and welcomes students from all over the island of Ireland and overseas.

We strive to ensure that there is a family atmosphere in the Boarding Department by providing a 'home from home' which we feel is important for children who are leaving home. We offer the option of Boarding from Primary Five onwards.

Boarding options are four or five nights per week or as a full seven days a week boarding school.



Fees

The Tuition Fees are supplied on request from the school office.

A reduction of 10 per cent is allowed for each child after the first, providing the fees are paid by the due date.

For Boarding Charges, please contact the School Bursar.



Small class sizes, big opportunities!

The Headmistress, Dr K G G Carson-McClenaghan would be delighted to personally tell you more about this wonderful school.

The staff are experienced, enthusiastic and caring. ETI commented upon the very high standard of teaching and lesson provision in 2018.



College Hill, Armagh, BT61 9DH, N. Ireland



(028) 37 522807



kcarson317@royalschool.armagh.ni.sch.uk



Find us on Facebook at Royal School Armagh Prep

