



Scarborough
College



WELCOME

FROM HEADMASTER MR GUY EMMETT

I am delighted to welcome you to Scarborough College.



We are a thriving boarding and day school, steeped in history, in a beautiful location, enjoying close proximity to the North York Moors, the Wolds and the Yorkshire Coast.

At Scarborough College we believe that all pupils have hidden talents, and through our exciting curriculum your child will be inspired to discover a love of learning, develop a 'can do' attitude and become the best possible version of themselves.

We offer an outstanding education in a climate of aspiration, from the Pre-School at 3 years old, through GCSEs and the International Baccalaureate Diploma at Sixth Form; as well as offering an exceptional range of extra-curricular activities. Our nationally recognised Yorkshire Grit programme is a vital part of the curriculum designed to ensure that pupils are challenged beyond the classroom and become resilient, collaborative, compassionate and adventurous individuals.

The recent inspection report emphasises that Scarborough College is a family. Our staff are committed to providing an individualised journey for every pupil.

Thank you for taking this opportunity to read about the wonderful things we have to offer. I would encourage you to visit the College to see for yourself. On my first visit, I did not want to leave; I was inspired by the incredible warmth, exceptional friendliness and family ethos of this great school. I knew this was a place where my own children would flourish and I am sure that you will feel the same when you visit.



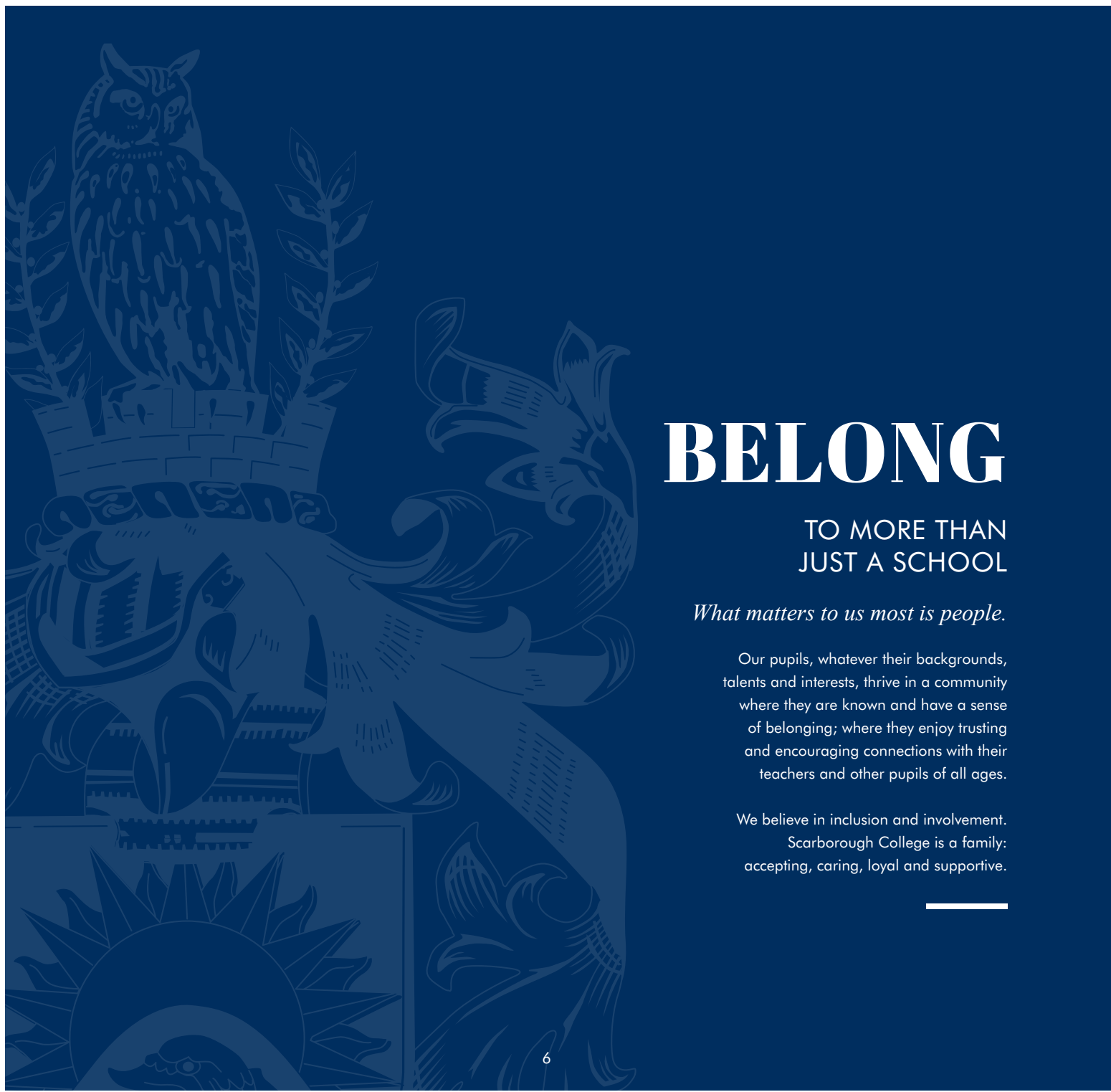
120 YEARS

OF HISTORY AND SUCCESS

A passport for life.

Steeped in tradition and history, since its foundation in 1896, Scarborough College has provided a life changing education to boys and girls based on high standards, a climate of aspiration and a commitment to providing an individualised journey for every pupil.

In the 21st Century, pupils belong to a high-achieving school in an inspirational and beautiful location that celebrates its rich past whilst looking to the future as a genuine leader in independent education.



BELONG

TO MORE THAN
JUST A SCHOOL

What matters to us most is people.

Our pupils, whatever their backgrounds, talents and interests, thrive in a community where they are known and have a sense of belonging; where they enjoy trusting and encouraging connections with their teachers and other pupils of all ages.

We believe in inclusion and involvement.
Scarborough College is a family:
accepting, caring, loyal and supportive.

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SELF DISCOVERY

NURTURING SUCCESS OVER TIME

Stepping outside of comfort zones.

One thing is inescapable at Scarborough College: the exposure to challenge.

Pupils of all ages are regularly encouraged to step outside of their comfort zones - intellectually, physically and socially.

These experiences set the College journey apart from other schools. From their very first day our pupils are supported to embark upon a voyage of self-discovery which makes the most of their strengths and talents, whilst enabling them to conquer their fears and overcome their doubts.

Scardeburgians are confident yet modest, with a 'can-do' attitude to life that enables them to become successful people in the broadest sense of the term, both in school and beyond.



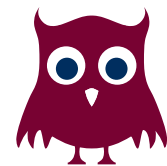
ONE SMALL BIG STEP

STARTING A JOURNEY OF MANY MILES

Caring for the youngest of our community members.

The rich and diverse world of our Pre-School is where the journey starts. Our youngest community members enjoy the guidance of highly experienced and qualified staff, dedicated to make this journey enriching, varied, adventurous and fun.

Step by Step, we guide our Little Owls to soar higher, instilling values of cooperation, politeness and kindness and we watch them flourish. Proud parents, we ensure you manage to see it all via continuous feedback, communication and participation to provide a nurturing and stimulating environment for your child.



MORE THAN ONE CLASSROOM

THE WORLD OF THE LITTLE OWLS

Showing the way and then stepping out of it.

Within state-the-art and purpose-built facilities, we are able to offer a varied programme that includes weekly swimming, French, music lessons, PE, off-site visits, cooking lessons with the school chef and other activities. We firmly believe that this approach will allow children to blossom and get them ready for big school.

The Prep School is only a glance away and we make sure the transition is just the right dose of exciting and wondrous. By celebrating the school's international character, eating in the main dining hall with the other students and other immersive activities, the children become genuine members of the Scarborough College family.



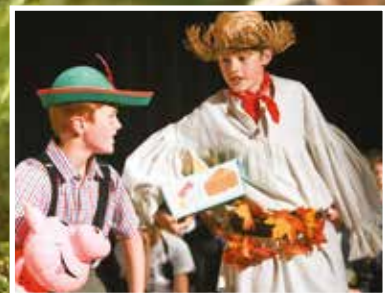
SPECIALIST TEACHING

DISCOVERING AND DEVELOPING TALENT

Encouraging our pupils to find strengths wherever they may lie.

The journey continues at the Prep School, where we provide invigorating and enlivening experiences on a daily basis. Continuing to take learning beyond the classroom for forest school education and a sense of adventure, our Prep School is an environment where we nurture confidence, resilience and values.

In small classrooms, free to develop our unique brand of education, we offer a varied curriculum that is taught by subject-specialist teachers. This allows for a learning experience where pupil and teacher can delve into areas of interest, developing a deeper understanding of the different subjects, whilst ensuring the best foundation for the next steps.



EXCEEDING EXPECTATIONS

TRACKING AND ACHIEVING ACADEMIC POTENTIAL

Getting to know our pupils – as learners, actors, athletes, musicians and children.

With a teacher-to-pupil ratio of 1:8, we maintain constant focus on our pupils.

Rigorous and proven tracking structures closely monitor their academic progress, ensuring we make the most of their potential.

In addition to academic progress, and alongside classroom-based subjects, we provide a daily schedule of sports, music, arts and drama.

The Prep journey focuses on developing skills such as empathy, teamwork and critical thinking and we encourage parents to become part of this, and to become part of the Scarborough College family. Join us on sports days, matches, shows and much more to provide the inspiration and support that will help your child to embrace every opportunity and rise to every challenge.

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

INDIVIDUALISM SHAPED OVER TIME

Creating opportunities for all to shine.

The transformative pupil experience of our Senior School has been under constant development over the past 120 years. Although its core elements have remained unchanged, the focus has always been on individualism and a commitment to excellence in everything we do.

Pupils achieve outstanding academic outcomes within a culture of aspiration and ambition. Their talents are discovered and nurtured, and they are constantly challenged through a climate of support and appreciation.



DISCOVERING
EXCELLENCE IN
EVERY CHILD.



THE INSIDE TRACK TO UNIVERSITY

THE INTERNATIONAL AND ACADEMIC WORLDS OF THE IB

Discovering the full range of intellectual inspiration.

Offering over forty different academic courses, our Sixth Form is a proven pathway to fantastic university placements at Oxbridge, the Russell Group universities and top universities abroad.

An IB-only school and member of the Round Square schools, Scarborough College has consistently been ranked among the top International Baccalaureate schools over the past ten years.

We expect our Sixth Form students to lead from the front, be independent thinkers and assume ownership of their own learning. In this intellectual environment, we enable our students to explore their own passions and discover the full range of their academic capacity.



ONCE YOU HAVE TRAVELLED

YOU DISCOVER THAT THE VOYAGE NEVER ENDS

Meet the future leaders of our communities.

Along with stunning boarding facilities for our international and UK boarders, the Sixth Form students enjoy their own study centre, common room and Sixth Form café.

Specialist university application support is on hand to assist the students and prepare them for the next steps on their journey.

Scarborough College's atmosphere of academic endeavour, inclusion and internationalism is what pushes our students to become rounded, compassionate and driven individuals who are ready to enter the world and make a positive difference.

The same difference that each and every Scardeburgian has made through leadership, Yorkshire Grit and desire; further shaping the school, its past and its future.

SPORT

A LONG TRADITION OF SPORTING EXCELLENCE

Teaching confidence, resilience, teamwork and leadership

Starting at Pre-School and throughout life at Scarborough College, sport plays a central role. Pupils are given the opportunity to represent the school and their Houses in a wide variety of sports. From aspiring internationals to those picking up a new sport for the first time, our exceptional team of coaches provide the necessary skills to maximise sporting potential.

Sport is an integral part of Scarborough College's ethos of all-round development; we place great emphasis on participation, active involvement and competition. We expect players to conduct themselves to the highest standards of sportsmanship, both on and off the pitch. Regular competitive fixtures encourage this conduct and teach players to win without arrogance and lose with good grace. For our main team sports: rugby, cricket, hockey, netball and rounders; we have the use of excellent facilities such as all-weather pitches, a modern sports hall and a range of playing fields.



PERFORMING ARTS

DARE TO DREAM

Encouraging collaborative performance; celebrating creativity and talent.

Passion for Performing Arts is at the heart of our community. Music and drama are important and enjoyable parts of the curriculum and beyond. Drama activities start in the Pre-School and children progress throughout the College with unique opportunities to showcase their talents. A full school production is one of the highlights on our calendar. Shown in our 400-seat theatre, this major production brings together elements of stage management, costume design, sound, lighting and performance.

Music is part of the curriculum up to Year 9 and can be studied at GCSE and IB-level. The purpose-built Music department has practice studios and a wide range of instruments to explore. Students may choose to receive private tuition from our experienced and professional instrumental and vocal tutors. Musical events range from classical concerts and opera workshops to contemporary musical theatre visits where pupils of all ages and abilities perform.

Scarborough College is proud to offer a full LAMDA programme. Children as young as five can join and the programme runs into the Senior School and up to coveted Gold Medal standard.



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ALWAYS ON HAND

GUIDANCE FROM AN EXPERT TEAM

Our students stand out from the crowd.

Our students benefit from the constant guidance of an expert team of tutors and advisors, our leavers depart to the most competitive universities not just in the UK, but across the world.

One-to-one university application mentoring and careers advice ensures our students are ready and able to impress all those they meet on the road to their first choice destination.



BOARDING

A CARING AND HOMELY ATMOSPHERE

Blending tradition with a modern twist.

Scarborough College has been providing a high-quality boarding experience for boys and girls since Queen Victoria was on the throne, so we think we can rightfully claim to be experts in the field!

The charming and nostalgic architectural exteriors of our houses encase high-spec interiors purposefully designed for boarding in the 21st Century.

A TRUE HOME FROM HOME

WHERE THE HEART IS

Making the most of time spent together.

Smaller houses that incorporate residential staff and their families provide a boarding experience where pupils of all ages and nationalities feel truly at home.

This keeps us true to our pledge to create educational journeys where every pupil is known individually and is appreciated for who they are. With busy weekends packed with sports and fun activities, boarders are able to make the very most of their time together, discovering new interests and passions that a 'day school' could never unearth.

Living just ten minutes' walk from the beach and the town provides a further exciting life beyond school.



YORKSHIRE GRIT

NURTURING AND PROMOTING THE
REGION'S ICONIC VIRTUES AND VALUES

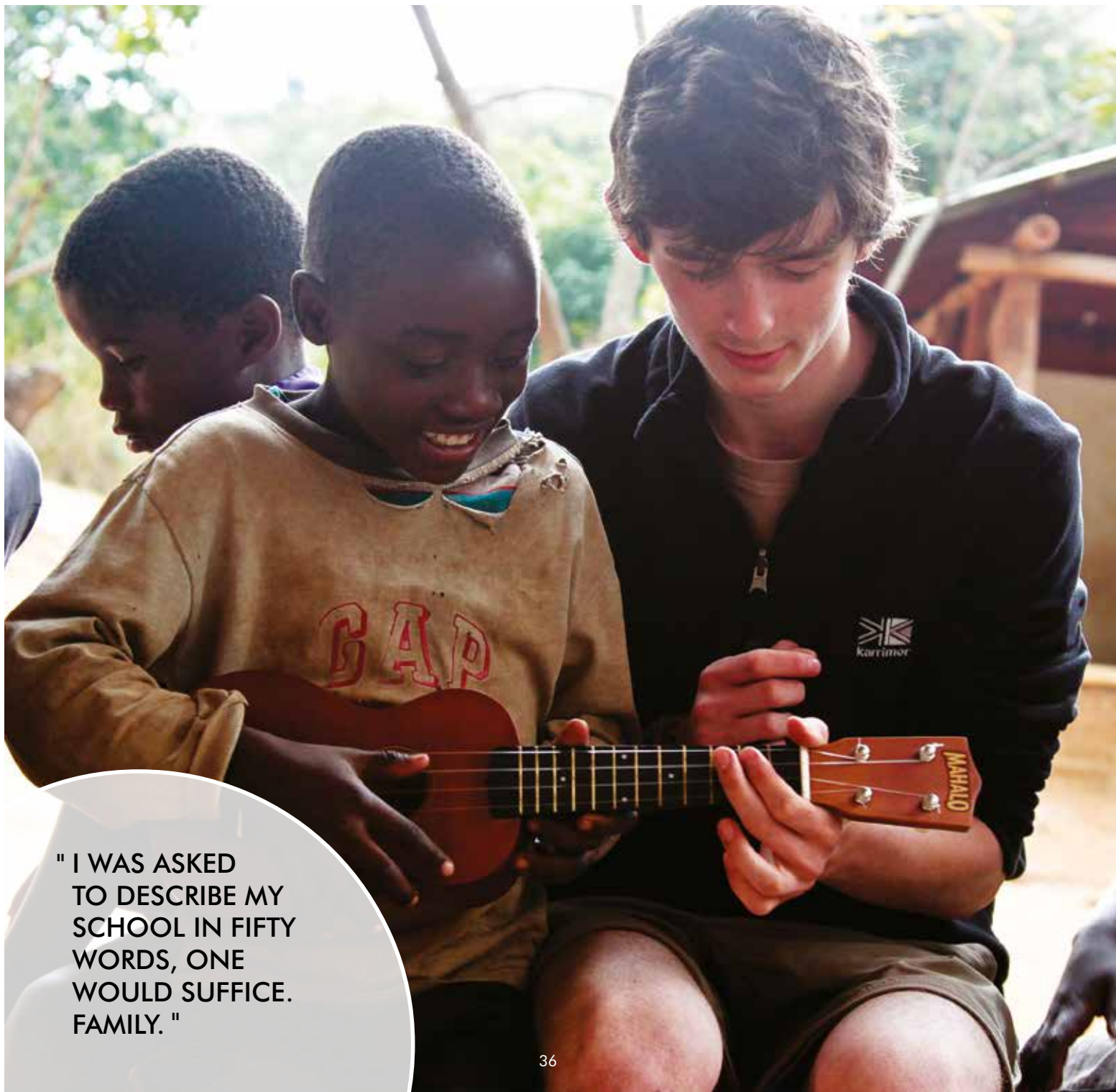
Engaging with the environment that created a legacy of resilience and determination.

The Yorkshire Grit programme, designed for our Year 7 to 9 pupils, is an off-timetable programme dedicated to instilling and developing the natural and historical values of the land and the people around them.

Named after the solid and immovable sandstone of the area, Yorkshire Grit is the proud legacy of the naturally hardy, tough and determined Yorkshire people and their stories.

Once a week, we take our pupils out of the comfort zone of the classroom in order to engage with the environment and challenges that our unique and beautiful region has to offer. Pupils spend their afternoons building rafts and learning how to surf.

We take them rock-climbing, teach them public speaking and introduce them to mindfulness. We believe that these experiences build and develop true Yorkshire Grit and, therefore, rounded young people who can cope in situations that will test their resolve and their strength of character.



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DUKE OF EDINBURGH

EXPANDING HORIZONS AND INSPIRING YOUNG PEOPLE

For young people who want to fulfil their dreams and achieve greatness.

Scarborough College is proud to be a licensed D of E test centre and with our geographical location, it is hardly surprising we continue to break records with the number of Awards achieved by our pupils. With the North Yorkshire Moors and Howardian Hills as our garden, we start Bronze training during Year 9.

In addition to various expeditions at home and abroad, the D of E offers many volunteering opportunities, skills and physical activities. Major expeditions have seen our pupils touch down in Borneo, Malawi and the Himalayas. Closer to home, our pupils volunteer at Junior Schools, Reading Booster Clubs and other projects.

The Bronze Award becomes available to students in Year 9 and the majority of students begin the Award in Year 10. The expedition training programme runs throughout the Autumn Term and expeditions start during the Easter holiday, running until the end of August.

Destinations for the expeditions include Wales or the Lake District for the Gold groups, the Yorkshire Dales or North York Moors for the Silver groups while the Bronze groups take to the East Yorkshire Wolds or North York Moors.



WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

- Visit our website and check our social media channels to see what goes on day-to-day
- Contact our Registrar with any questions and arrange a personal visit
- Come and see us in action on one of our Open Days
- Let your son or daughter come on a 'Taster Day' or even a 'Sleepover'

Contact our Registrar on
+44 (0)1723 360 620 or email
registrar@scarboroughcollege.co.uk

SCHOLARSHIPS

AND BURSARIES

Scholarships are offered and awarded for those pupils who have reached an outstanding level in various different aspects of school life. These can be applied for at the time of initial entry to the school and for those already with us, they can apply as they move to Year 7 and the Sixth Form.

Scholarships can be applied for under the following categories: Academic, Sport, Performing Arts and All Rounder.

All applications are considered by the Scholarships and Bursaries Committee and are not means tested.

Bursaries, also known as Financially Assisted Places, are available to those families who need financial assistance, and are not dependent on a child's ability. There is a full means testing application to complete and these are submitted to the College's Scholarships and Bursaries Committee to review and consider. The Committee meet regularly each term and whilst we try our best to help all families, we are unable to help everyone.

The Scarborough Scholar is an annual campaign which we offer to local families. The aim is to be able to identify, help and welcome talented children to the College who may not otherwise be able to experience what we have to offer. Applications are open until late October with the assessment day in November. All applications in the Scarborough Scholar are all dependent on both the child's ability and are means tested.

Once you have completed a Registration Form, paid the Registration Fee and been for a personal visit, you will be invited to complete the necessary paperwork and assessments for either a Scholarship or Bursary.

Please contact our Registrar for more information or to apply.



FUTURE PLANS

£4 million boarding development underway

Our boarding homes are being refurbished and nearing completion, bringing the student accommodation up to date with luxurious triple, double and single rooms including en-suite facilities for our Sixth Formers.

In addition, we are upgrading our common room areas and private study rooms: ensuring spaces that are cosy and welcoming on the one hand and spaces to focus the mind on the other. This will expand our boarding provision, opening up the opportunity for more boarders and the chance to enjoy flexi and weekly boarding too.

£2 million sports facilities developments

Working with the local council and building developers we are creating a full athletics track and facilities, updated changing facilities, offices, briefing rooms, upgraded sports hall and new tennis and netball courts. These will be shared with students and the local community, clubs and associations.

Scarborough College Foundation

Soon to be launched, the Scarborough College Foundation is an initiative aimed at raising money for the long-term benefit of the College and our students, ensuring that the facilities continue to grow and flourish in the future.

HOW TO FIND US

Scarborough has a direct rail link with York. York is 1 hour away by car. Hull and Middlesbrough are just over 1 hour away. London is 3 hours by train.



ROAD

Scarborough is easily accessible from the A64.



AIR

Humberside Airport and Leeds Bradford Airport are both 1 hour 40 minutes away by car and Manchester airport is 2 hours 20 minutes, making them all within easy reach.



SEA

The ferry terminal in Hull is approximately 1 hour 30 minutes drive away. (Sailings from Rotterdam and Zeebrugge).



RAIL

Regular trains run from London and Edinburgh, change at York for Scarborough. Coast to coast lines run daily, calling at all major cities; Liverpool, Manchester, Leeds, York and Scarborough.

Scarborough College is approximately 5 minutes by taxi from the station.



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