

Kelly College – Nr. Tavistock, UK

A friendly, thriving, independent, co-educational boarding and day school in Tavistock, Devon, overlooking Dartmoor National Park.

Kelly College provides an excellent and fulfilling all-round education. Children can achieve their true potential within a balanced and supportive environment, developing their individual talents.

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Key Facts

LOCATION

- Nr. Tavistock, Devon, UK
- Population: 11,000 (Tavistock)
- Nearest Airport: : Exeter / London Heathrow

SCHOOL TYPE

- Private, co-educational
- Day & Boarding

SIZE

- 360 students

ACCOMMODATION

- Homestay & Boarding

UNIFORM

- Compulsory

AGE RANGE

- 9 -18

EFL LESSONS

- Some lessons included



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- ICT suites and Sixth Form centre
- Large, well-stocked traditional library
- Well equipped science laboratories
- Drama & Theatre studios
- Creative art studios
- Design Technology workshops

SPORT FACILITIES

- All-weather pitches
- Water sports facilities
- Sports hall
- Extensive playing fields
- 25 metre heated indoor swimming pool

SWIMMING PROGRAMME

- Kelly College has an international swimming reputation and a proven track record over the last 25 years has helped produce some 50 international swimmers and 12 Olympians.

Academic Approach:

Kelly College aims to develop as fully as possible the academic potential of each of its pupils, from the most talented - two recent sixth formers gained six A grades at A level, as well as places at Oxford and Cambridge - to those with more modest abilities. In recent years, every leaver who has wished to proceed to Higher Education has been successful in obtaining a place to do so. Classes are kept small - the average class size up to GCSE is around twenty and in Sixth Form fifteen - ensuring that the individual pupil has the attention from members of staff that is necessary to ensure sound progress is being made.



Outside the Classroom:

At Kelly we offer a wide range of opportunities for pupils to benefit from education outside the classroom. As well as sports, clubs and societies, our position on the edge of Dartmoor and close to the sea means that we can offer a wide range of adventure activities which broaden and develop skills such as leadership, responsibility, self-reliance, commitment and teamwork – in essence, Preparation for Life. Kelly pupils benefit from being able to work towards the Bronze, Silver and Gold Duke of Edinburgh Awards and from us having one of the best Combined Cadet Force contingents in the South West.

Boarding at Kelly College:

Kelly is a school with a strong boarding ethos which welcomes both boarding and day pupils. We aim to provide a safe and supportive environment where boarders are able to develop social and other life skills within comfortable and relaxed surroundings. Each House is a secure and structured community within Kelly College.

