



# Ripon Grammar School

## SELECTION TESTS - INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

### Selective testing at Ripon Grammar School for current Year 8 students to join Year 9 in September 2024

**Testing takes place: Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2024**

For further information contact: Mrs Judith Dale, Examinations Officer  
email: [admissions@ripongrammar.com](mailto:admissions@ripongrammar.com)

- Assessment tests are conducted in mathematics (non-calculator and calculator tests forty minutes each), English (comprising a comprehension test and an essay, one and a quarter hours) and science (one hour).
- The tests are based on the national curriculum for your child's year group and the term during which the assessment is being held.
- Students will sit the tests under examination conditions.

The thirteen places will be allocated consistent with the national admissions code.  
(For further information please contact the North Yorkshire School Admissions Office.  
Tel: 01609 533679 Email: [schooladmissions@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@northyorks.gov.uk)).

- Parents will be advised of their child's results in writing as soon as possible following the assessment testing and will be advised whether or not they have been successful in securing a place at Ripon Grammar School.
- A current school report will be requested if your child is offered a place at Ripon Grammar School following testing.
- For potential boarding students:
  - A 'Suitability for Boarding' form will be required. The form will be used to assess your child's suitability for boarding at Ripon Grammar School.
  - Please note that the revised admissions code makes clear those applicants for day and boarding places are to be considered as distinct and separate groups and that **a boarding place cannot be converted into a day place**. Notice to withdraw from boarding will result in the loss of a place in the school.

*Founded in Saxon Times, re-founded in 1555*

**Headmaster:** Mr Jonathan M Webb, MA  
**Address:** Clothholme Road, Ripon, North Yorkshire HG4 2DG  
**Tel:** [01765] 602647 **Email:** [admin@ripongrammar.com](mailto:admin@ripongrammar.com)  
**Website:** [www.ripongrammar.co.uk](http://www.ripongrammar.co.uk)