

BADMINTON SCHOOL

Badminton
School

A leading independent day and boarding school for girls aged 3–18

Girls Non-denominational

About School

Badminton School is an independent day and boarding school for girls aged 3–18, located in Bristol in South West England. The School is conveniently situated approximately 20–30 minutes by car from Bristol Airport and around 10 minutes from Bristol city centre, with easy access to Bath and other major UK cities. It offers a supportive and inclusive environment, combining academic excellence with a wide range of sports, arts and extracurricular activities.

Badminton is recognised for its strong academic performance and is regarded as one of the leading girls' schools in the UK. Consistently high A Level results open the door to a wide range of leading universities and music conservatoires around the world. Students are encouraged to grow as individuals, explore their own interests and pursue their ambitions both academically and beyond the classroom, while developing the confidence to embrace new challenges.

The School aims to create a supportive and inclusive community where every girl is valued, known and encouraged by the staff around her. With around 460 pupils, Badminton benefits from a close-knit community and relatively small class sizes, allowing teachers to give individual attention to each student. Respect, kindness and support for others are central to the School's ethos.

Admission involves assessments based on the student's year of entry, which may include English, Mathematics and Cognitive Ability, together with an interview and school reference. International students may be able to take assessments through authorised test centres. If you have any questions about the entrance assessment, application process or requirements, feel free to contact Scholar Gateway for further guidance.

University Destination

• Oxford	24.8%	• Durham	8.7%
• Cambridge	21.7%	• Edinburgh	7.1%
• UCL	10.4%	• Bristol	5.9%



Entry Process

11+ and 13+ Entry

	11+ Entry	13+ Entry
Entry point	11+	13+
Registration deadline	31 October 2026	31 October 2026
Entrance assessments	11+ (English, Mathematics and Cognitive Ability)	13+ (English, Mathematics and Cognitive Ability)
Interviews	February 2027	February 2027
Results letters sent out	1 March 2027	1 March 2027
Acceptance deadline	4 March 2027	4 March 2027

Entry dates are subject to change. Please refer to the school's website for the most up-to-date information.

Students

460

Total Students

185

Total Boarders

Percentage of Boarder stay over the weekend 40%
Percentage of International Students 18%

Year 4–6 | 7–13

Day Fees/term

£ 5,850 – £ 6,945

Senior School
UK/EU & International
Full boarding

£ 10,965 – £ 13,695

Information in year 2026

Educational

Programmes offered

- GCSE/IGCSE
- A Levels

School Ranking

 THE TIMES SCHOOLS GUIDE 2026 #8 UK Independent Schools (Girls)	 THE SUNDAY TIMES SCHOOLS GUIDE 2026 #12 Boarding Schools (Girls)	 THE TIMES GOOD SCHOOLS GUIDE 2026 #13 UK (Girls)
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Academic Results

GCSE	9–7 (A*–A)	9–8 (A*–A)	9–9 (A*–B)
	72.8%	53.6%	90.3%
A-LEVEL	A*–A	A*–B	A*–C
	74.8%	91.3%	98.6%

16+ Entry

	2027 Entry
Application deadline	31 October 2026
Entrance assessments	January 2027
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For the latest updates, please visit the school's website.