



BRAESIDE - A SMALL GIRLS' SCHOOL WITH A BIG VISION

A more personalised single sex education

At Braeside we believe in the value of smaller classes. We are an 'all through' school in Buckhurst Hill for around 170 girls from 2½ to 16. Our class sizes are much smaller than in other schools, and this means we can provide a more personalised education with more individual attention in an environment that enables girls to progress, achieve and flourish.

Not all children learn in the same way and some will excel in a smaller, more nurturing school. With an average of 12 pupils per class (some classes with fewer), we have high staff to pupil ratios and lessons are tailor-made to each individual. Teaching extends and supports, and teachers are able to give extensive feedback.

From the youngest in our Early Years through to the oldest at GCSE level, Braeside girls are valued as unique individuals who contribute to the school community. In our smaller environment the girls become more confident and find it easier to develop the academic, creative and personal skills necessary for life.

By choosing Braeside for your daughter you are choosing a family-owned school with strong traditions, values and morals. Our experienced staff will care not just for your child's academic success but also for her welfare. Respect, moral values and good manners are also virtues that are encouraged and developed.

The broad curriculum is supported by a variety of activities that offer stimulating opportunities for the girls to experience. There is an extensive programme of clubs and activities, with numerous educational trips and residential visits. Breakfast

and after school clubs allow for a 7.30am start and 6pm finish.

The families who choose Braeside for their daughters are attracted by the smaller environment that helps develop the skills needed to face the future with confidence. Each child is prepared for their next stage of her education to suit both her character and academic ability.

In 2015 Braeside joined The Oak-Tree Group of Schools. The four schools - Braeside, Coopersale Hall, Normanhurst and Oaklands - are privately-owned and share the same visions. Braeside pupils have the best of all worlds as while their own school provides a small, nurturing environment, they benefit from regular collaboration with similar-aged pupils from their sister schools.

Shared learning experiences, inter-school competitions and extra-curricular events feature strongly with notable events including the Oak-Tree Year 3 Camp for some 80 pupils, the Oak-Tree Performing Arts Festival for some 330 pupils, the Oak-Tree Art Exhibition for GCSE pupils, the Oak-Tree Fireworks Display 1000 people and the Oak-Tree Summer Ball for parents.

Braeside is a small school, but with access to extensive resources it has a very big vision. ■

THE DETAILS

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