

Trinity College Examinations - Epsom College



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School entrance



Mackinder Building – main classroom block



Dining room



25 metre heated indoor swimming pool

Description & location

Founded in 1853 under the royal patronage of Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's husband, Epsom College is one of the country's leading co-educational schools, producing more doctors than any other school in the UK. The college is set in extensive landscaped grounds, close to the world-famous Derby Race Course and 15 minutes' walk from the centre of the small, lively town of Epsom.

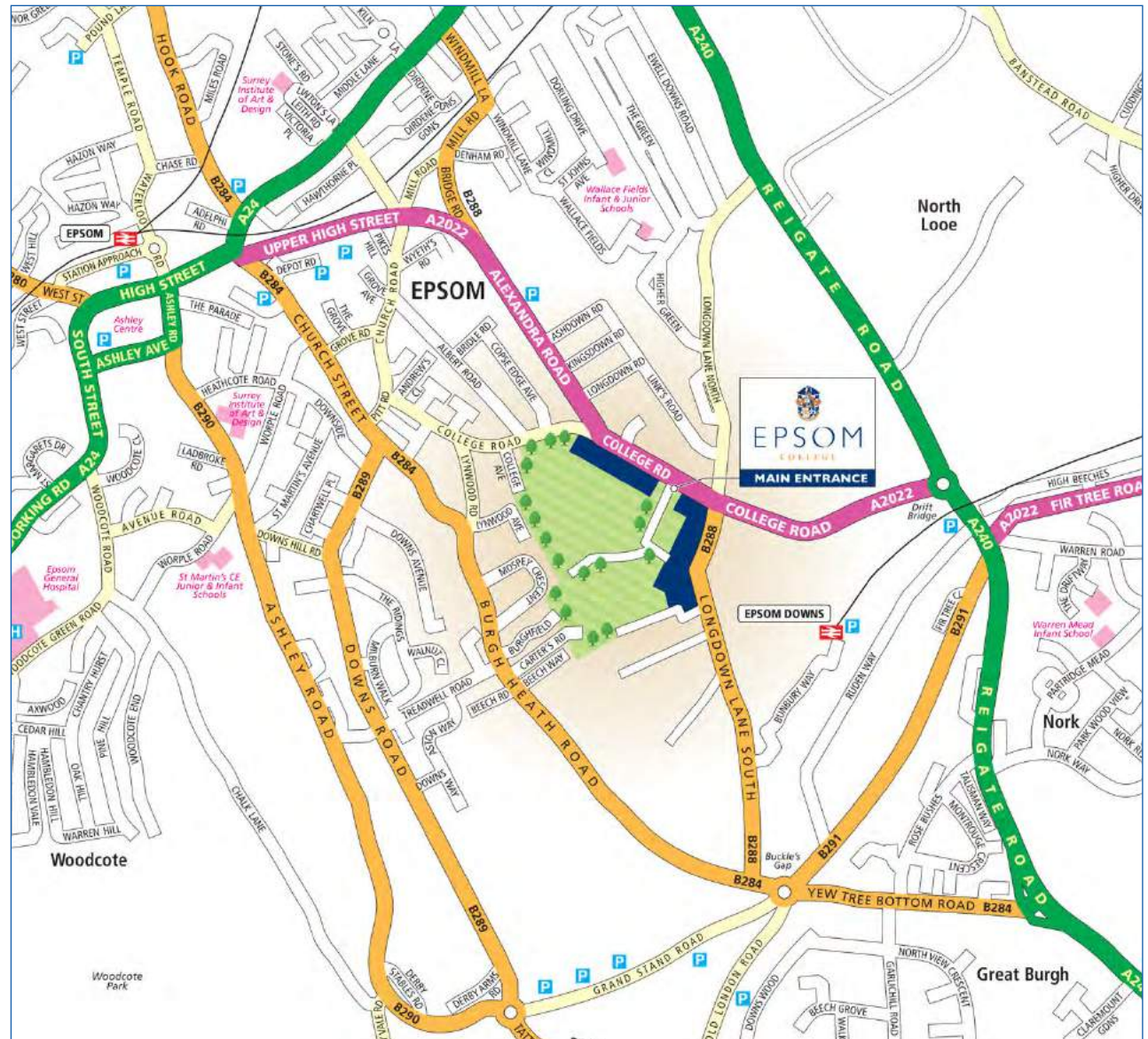
Epsom is 22 km from central London, with fast and frequent trains to Victoria station (journey time 30 minutes). Heathrow and Gatwick airports are less than 45 minutes by coach.

Recent developments at the college include the multi-million pound Mackinder Building, whose first-class teaching facilities are used by TVSS. Sports facilities are excellent: there is a large and fully equipped sports centre (opened by Queen Elizabeth II, the school's patron, in 1989) comprising two sports halls, squash courts and a 25m indoor heated swimming pool. There are also 18 tennis courts and extensive sports fields for outdoor games.

TVSS has access to the college's well-equipped computer suites for students to send/receive emails and access social networking sites.

All facilities at the college are within a few minutes' walk of each other.

Epsom location



Campus main buildings

Houses

C Carr	G Granville	Rn Robinson
Cr Crawford	H Holman	R Rosebery
Fa Fayer	P Probert	Wh White
F Forest	Rv Raven	W Wilson

Campus

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| 1 Dining Room | 10 Library | 18 Biology |
| 2 Main Hall | 11 English | 19 Tuck Shop |
| 3 Information Technology | 12 Quad | 20 Mackinder Building |
| 4 Drama Studio | 13 Chemistry | 21 Classics |
| 5 Council Room | 14 College Store | 22 Theology & Philosophy |
| 6 Design Technology | 15 Modern Languages | 23 Mathematics |
| 7 Sixth Form Centre | 16 Careers & Learning Support | 24 Indoor Rifle Range |
| 8 Common Room | 17 Physics | 25 CCF Headquarters |
| 9 Royal Medical Foundation | | |



Sports facilities & playing fields



Contact details

Students will be accommodated in the above boarding houses, and will be told to phone home as soon as possible after arrival to notify their parents which house they are in. We know that most students bring their own mobile phones, but telephone numbers in boarding houses are listed above should parents wish to use them.

To reduce disruption, we recommend that students telephone their parents rather than vice versa. Except in an emergency, students are not permitted to use their mobiles during classes and when participating in organised activities. If parents need to phone their son/daughter, the best times to call are 13:30 – 14:00 and 17:00 – 18:00 UK time.

Bedrooms

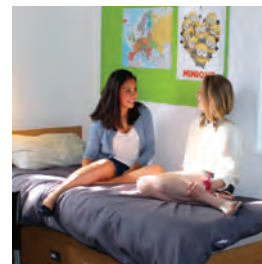
Most students are accommodated in single or twin study bedrooms. There are some mini-dormitories with 3-5 beds. Up to four boarding houses are used by TVSS, depending on student numbers, with 30-60 students in each. All boarding houses are less than five minutes' walk from the college's main buildings. All have attractive common rooms with TV/DVD. Holman and Forest boarding houses were renovated throughout in 2014.

Sheets and duvet covers are provided by the college and changed once a week. Personal laundry is provided weekly and returned within 48 hours. Common areas and bedrooms are cleaned daily, Monday to Friday. Showers/baths are available to students on the ratio of 1:4 or 1:6, depending on the boarding house.



Boarding House ^

^ Crawford



Sample weekly menu

Students eat in the recently refurbished central dining hall. Meals are self-service, with a three-course lunch and three-course dinner menu. There is a vegetarian option for all meals. Packed lunches are provided for the full-day excursions and packed dinners for the half-day trips to London. There is an outdoor BBQ on campus each week.

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Breakfast – Cereals, fruit juices, yoghurt, fruit and:						
Boiled eggs Baked beans Scrambled eggs Fried Bread Sausages	Boiled eggs Baked beans Fried eggs Fried Bread Bacon	Boiled eggs Baked beans Scrambled eggs Tinned tomatoes Sausages	Baked beans Croissants Assorted pastries Sausages Bacon Fried eggs Mushrooms Tomatoes Hash Browns	Boiled eggs Baked beans Fried eggs Hash browns Sausages	Boiled eggs Baked beans Scrambled eggs Tomatoes Sausages	Boiled eggs Baked beans Poached eggs Mushrooms Bacon
Lunch – Salad bar, soup of the day, bread rolls and:						
Balti chicken curry	Fish	Beef burgers	Full Day excursion Packed Lunch: Sandwich choices: Cheese & Ham Sausage & Egg Cheese & Pickle Tuna Mayonnaise Chicken & Bacon or roll choices Cheese, Ham Chicken & sweetcorn 1 bag of crisps 1 piece of fruit 1 biscuit bar 1 bottle mineral water	Chicken Kiev	Roast lamb	Sweet & sour pork
(v) Balti vegetable curry	(v) Vegetable nuggets	(v) Veg burgers		(V) Vegetable kiev	(v) Lentil roast	(v) Sweet & sour vegetables
Rice Onion bhaji/naan bread Poppodums Curried cauliflower	Lamb hot pot Chips Pea/mushy peas Sweetcorn	Burger buns Mixed salad Potato salad Coleslaw		Green beans Baby carrots New potatoes	Buttered cabbage Peas Roast potatoes Gravy	Egg noodles Leek stir fry Broccoli New potatoes
Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings	Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings	Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings		Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings	Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings	Pasta bar with meat & vegetarian sauces Baguette bar Jacket potatoes with hot & cold toppings
Trifle Yoghurt with fresh fruit	Chocolate chip sponge Chocolate sauce Yoghurt with fresh fruit	Peach delight Yoghurt with fresh fruit		Strawberry jelly Yoghurt with fresh fruit	Chocolate mousse Yoghurt with fresh fruit	Bakewell tart Cream Yoghurt with fresh fruit
Dinner – Salad bar, pasta bar (Cornish pasty bar on Fridays), jacket potatoes and:						
Salmon Paté Jumbo sausage (v) Quorn sausage Baked beans Carrots Mash	Antipasta Spaghetti bolognaise (v) Quorn bolognaise Garlic bread Mix vegetables Roast courgettes	BBQ Burgers Sausages BBQ chicken Vegetarian choice Served with buns, salad, ketchup etc.	Prawn cocktail Roast turkey (v) Roast mixed vegetables Stuffing / gravy Roast parsnips / peas Roast potatoes	Seafood Cocktail Ciabatta Pizza (v) Vegetable pizza Tossed mixed salad Coleslaw Lattice fries	Pate & toast Poached fish (v) Mixed beans croquettes Mashed potato Peas Parsley sauce	Florida cocktail Pizzaiola steak (v) Quorn fillet Mushrooms Peas New potatoes
Iced banana cake Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions	Chocolate mousse Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions		Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions	Chocolate Éclairs Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions	Millionaire shortbread Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions	Flapjack Yoghurt Fresh fruit portions

WEEK 1	
THURSDAY 02/07	
	2.1, 3.1, 4.1 arrive
PM	Placement Testing (to 16.00 coach) / Induction + Campus Activities
EVE	Placement Testing (to 19.30 coach) or Ice Breaker Activities 19.00 – 20.00
FRIDAY 03/07	
AM	Placement Testing / Induction Programme
PM	Classes 1-3: 14.00 – 16.00 4-5: 16.25 – 17.45
EVE	Welcome Party 19.00 – 21.00
SATURDAY 04/07	
Classes	
PM	Campus Activities
EVE	BBQ (1) 19.00 – 20.00 'Olympics' 20.00 – 21.30
SUNDAY 05/07	
PM	F/D BRIGHTON by coach inc. Sea Life Centre (PL)
EVE ☕	Junior & Senior Quiz 19.00 – 20.30
MONDAY 06/07	
PM 💻	Campus Activities + AER + ART + PFA + ICT
EVE	Disco (1) 19.00 – 22.00
TUESDAY 07/07	
Classes	PRE – MOL/BM
PM	H/D LONDON by train & underground inc. British Museum or Museum of London & shopping in Oxford Street
EVE	Packed dinner in boarding houses House Social Activities 20.30 – 21.30
WEDNESDAY 08/07	
Classes	POST – MOL/BM
PM 💻	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT
EVE ☕	Treasure Hunt 19.00 – 20.30

WEEK 2	
THURSDAY 09/07	
Classes	PRE – NG/NPG
PM	H/D LONDON by train & underground inc. National Gallery or National Portrait Gallery & shopping in Covent Garden
EVE	Packed dinner in boarding houses House activities or preparation for Talent Show 20.30 – 21.30
FRIDAY 10/07	
Classes	POST – NG/NPG, PRE – CAN
PM 💻	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT Team Sports Competitions Heats
EVE ☕	Karaoke (1) 19.00 – 21.00
SATURDAY 11/07	
	F/D CANTERBURY by coach inc. Canterbury Cathedral (PL)
EVE	BBQ (2) 19.00 – 20.00 Team Sports Competitions Finals 20.00 – 21.00
SUNDAY 12/07	
	Optional F/D LONDON by train (PL) (Train: £9.45 Child (15 years & under), £18.90 Adult. Big Bus Tour £13 Child (15 years & under), £32 Adult) or Campus Activities
EVE ☕	Junior & Senior Film Night or Exam Revision 19.00 – 21.00
MONDAY 13/07	
Classes	POST – CAN
PM 💻	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT Preparation for Talent Show
EVE	Talent Show 19.00 – 21.30
TUESDAY 14/07	
Classes	2.1 FBK 2.1 TVSr
PM	2.1 Examinations. Exam Day Campus Activities
EVE	Leavers' Certificate Presentation 19.00 – 20.00 Farewell Disco (2) 20.00 – 22.00
WEDNESDAY 15/07	
Classes	2.1 depart
PM	Campus Activities
EVE ☕	Quiz 19.00 – 20.30

Course Programme

Normal class times	
Student morning meeting	08.45 – 09.00
Teachers' morning meeting	08.45 – 09.00
Classes 1-3	09.05 – 11.05
Classes 4-5	11.30 – 12.50

Meal times	
Breakfast	08.00 – 08.40
Morning Break (afternoon break on testing days 16.00 – 16.20)	11.05 – 11.25
Lunch	12.55 – 13.30
Dinner	18.00 – 18.45

Normal campus activity times	
Session 1	14.15 – 15.00
Session 2	15.15 – 16.00
Session 3	16.15 – 17.00

H/D class times	
Classes 1-3	08.30 – 10.30
Morning Break	10.30 – 10.50
Classes 4-5	10.50 – 12.10
Lunch	12.10 – 12.40

☕ = Coffee Bar
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 2.1 TVSr = TVS Reports due

Specialist Recreation Activities	
AER	Aerobics/Zumba
ART	Art/Craft
DAN	Dance/Musical Drama
💻 ICT	Information Communication Technology

WEEK 3	
THURSDAY 16/07	
Classes	2.2 arrive
PM	Placement Testing (to 16.00 coach) Induction or Campus Activities
EVE	Placement Testing (to 19.30 coach) or Crazy games 19.00 – 20.30
FRIDAY 17/07	
Classes	PRE – NHM/SM
PM	H/D LONDON by train & underground inc. Natural History Museum or Science Museum & shopping in South Kensington
EVE	Packed dinner in boarding houses House Social Activities 20.30 – 21.30
SATURDAY 18/07	
Classes	POST – NHM/SM, PRE - OXF
PM	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT
EVE	BBQ (3) 19.00 – 20.00 Themed party 20.00 – 21.00
SUNDAY 19/07	
PM	F/D OXFORD by coach inc. visit to College (PL)
EVE	Junior & Senior Film Night or Exam Revision 19.00 – 21.00
MONDAY 20/07	
Classes	POST – OXF, 3.1 TVSr
PM	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT
EVE	'Fashion Rocks!' 19.00 – 21.00
TUESDAY 21/07	
Classes	3.1 FBK
PM	3.1. Examinations Exam Day Campus Activities
EVE	Leavers' Certificate Presentation 19.00 – 20.00 Farewell Disco (3) 20.00 – 22.30
WEDNESDAY 22/07	
Classes	3.1 depart
PM	Campus Activities
EVE	Quiz 19.00 – 21.00

WEEK 4	
THURSDAY 23/07	
Classes	PRE – MOL/BM
PM	H/D LONDON by train & underground inc. British Museum or Museum of London & shopping in Regent Street
EVE	Packed dinner in boarding houses House Social Activities or Preparation for International Night 20.30 – 21.30
FRIDAY 24/07	
Classes	POST – MOL/BM, PRE - GRN
PM	Campus Activities + AER + ART + DAN + ICT
EVE	BBQ (4) 19.00 – 20.00 Team Sports Competitions Finals 20.00 – 21.00
SATURDAY 25/07	
PM	F/D LONDON GREENWICH by coach inc. National Maritime Museum & shopping in Oxford Street (PL)
EVE	Dodge Ball Competition 19.00 – 20.30
SUNDAY 26/07	
	Optional F/D LONDON by train (PL) (Train: £9.45 Child (15 years & under), £18.90 Adult. Big Bus Tour £13 Child (15 years & under), £32 Adult) or Campus Activities
EVE	Film Night or Exam Revision 19.00 – 21.00
MONDAY 27/07	
Classes	POST – GRN, 2.2, 4.1 TVSr
PM	Campus Activities + Preparation for International Night
EVE	International Night 19.00 – 21.00
TUESDAY 28/07	
Classes	2.2, 4.1 FBK
PM	4.1 & 2.2. Examinations Exam Day Campus Activities
EVE	Leavers' Certificate Presentation 19.00 – 19.30 Farewell Disco (4) 19.30 – 22.00
WEDNESDAY 29/07	
Classes	2.2, 4.1 depart
	END OF SUMMER SCHOOL


Course Programme

Normal class times	
Student morning meeting	08.45 – 09.00
Teachers' morning meeting	08.45 – 09.00
Classes 1-3	09.05 – 11.05
Classes 4-5	11.30 – 12.50

Meal times	
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There is one full-day and one half-day excursion each week included in fees. Entrance charges are included. Full-day excursions are by coach; half-day excursions to London are by train.

There are two optional excursions at Epsom, which students pay for if they wish to participate. Recreation activities on campus are available for students not wishing to go on the optional trip.



Inclusive excursions - Provisional

F/D = full day excursion
H/D = half day excursion

Friday Wednesday	H/D LONDON	British Museum & shopping in Oxford Street	or	Museum of London & shopping in Oxford Street
Saturday	F/D CAMBRIDGE – including visit to a college			
Wednesday	H/D LONDON	Science Museum & Westminster/South Bank	or	Natural History Museum & Westminster/South Bank
Saturday	F/D BRIGHTON – including Sea Life Centre			
Thursday	H/D LONDON	National Gallery & shopping in Covent Garden	or	National Portrait Gallery & shopping in Covent Garden
Sunday	F/D LONDON GREENWICH – including National Maritime Museum & shopping in Oxford Street			
Saturday	F/D CANTERBURY – including Canterbury Cathedral			

Optional excursions - Provisional

Sunday Sunday	LONDON – train £9.45 Child (15 years & under), £18.90 Adult. Big Bus Tour £13 Child (15 years & under), £32 Adult. (Prices provisional)
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