



# The Marchant Holliday School



**We are an Independent, Residential Special School with charitable status, approved by the DfE for Boys aged from 5 to 13 years, who present with Behavioural, Emotional & Social Difficulties (including aspects of Autistic Spectrum Disorder & other conditions)**



“Child protection awareness is given a high priority ... Pupils say they feel safe, secure and are well cared for. They feel valued and respected and are confident that the care staff are supportive.”

Ofsted 2013

The School is set in 17 acres of its own grounds in beautiful rural surroundings near Wincanton in Somerset. It is close to the A303 and readily accessible from all parts of Southern England, the Midlands and Wales. There are mainline railway stations nearby at Templecombe and Castle Cary.



**We accept referrals from Children's Social Care and Local Authorities from across London, the South and South West of England, as well as from the Midlands & South Wales.**

**Whilst the majority of our boys board fortnightly, we can be flexible in our provision. We are prepared to take short term placements and offer a number of day placements. We will also consider crisis or emergency referrals and exceptional cases.**

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**“Pupils feel safe and at ease; they benefit from the warm and positive relationships established with their staff that are experienced and committed to deliver good quality care and support.” Ofsted 2013.**

**Our boys make significant academic and behavioural progress and we work together to ensure that they reach their full potential to become confident contributors to their community. A good proportion of our leavers successfully return to mainstream education.**



**The school has both Learning Support and Behaviour Support specialist teachers, who work with the boys on a 1:1 and small group basis. Any boy experiencing a specific learning disability or behaviour management difficulty can develop the many skills needed to achieve academic, social and emotional success. This enables inclusion at school level (with full access to the curriculum), and healthy re-connection with family & community**

**We ensure the boys have access to a range of support services if required, including speech and language therapy, physiotherapy and occupational therapy. Independent child counselling services are also provided at the school.**



**Our experience shows that in learning to relate to others, communicate effectively and appreciate others, boys can grow to become valued members of society.**



**We ensure that the boys are happy, safe and enjoy the process of learning during their time at the school. We place emphasis on developing their self esteem, confidence and a sense of physical and emotional well-being.**



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