



King's College

TAUNTON

Occasional Boarding Policy

Responsibility

Individual: Director of Finance and Operations

Review

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At King's College, the ability for day pupils to board on an occasional basis is an important part of School life. However, issues of cost, health and space mean that we must set out the following rules.

Free night

Day pupils are offered, where available, one night's free boarding per week. This free night may not be taken on a Sunday night, except for house events specific to the pupil's own house.

The weekly free night is not transferable to other siblings and if not used in a given week is lost – it may not be carried forward.

Free nights are only available if space permits and are allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

Additional free boarding nights

A day pupil may board for free, space permitting, where the pupil is required to attend a compulsory school commitment finishing after 9.00 pm or starting before 7.30am.

Pupils performing in a School play may board for free on the days of the technical rehearsals and the performances.

As before, additional free nights are only available if space permits and are allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

Paid-for boarding

In addition to the weekly free night, and space permitting, pupils may board for up to an additional two nights (including Sundays) at the prevailing nightly rate.

If pupils board for three or more nights per week (excluding free nights) they will be charged the full boarding fee for that week.

Restrictions

Due to health issues such as a pandemic or other localised restriction, the boarding houses may not be available to day pupils.