

Bedfordshire Middle Schools

Providing a creative curriculum tailored to the needs of our 9–13 year old students



Some of our middle school highlights: • 67 extra-curricular activities held a week • won the Under 13 & Under 12 Football County Cup • worked with the Science Museum to develop a Classroom of the Future • Won Year 7/8 Girls Football Team County Cup 2008 & South Bedfordshire Champions 2009 • Year 5 Skills Rally Champions 2008 • Flute Choir came 1st in the Bedfordshire Music Festival • held a debate in the House of Commons • put on a PE display involving over 150 pupils • took part in the UK Junior Maths challenge • went skiing in France • Athletics District Championships winners for 18 years • held a Gifted & Talented history day at Cambridge University's Archaeology Department • Under 13 & Under 11 boys & girls Sportshall Athletics District Champions 2008 • took a day trip to Boulogne • played in a concert at the Royal Albert Hall • made giant bugs for a Cecil Higgins Museum display • went to Kingswood Activity Centre • won the Year 5/6 Girls Indoor Football Team league • enjoyed an Ancient Greeks in-school activity day • gave 1000 T-shirts to a village in Ethiopia • won the Year 7 Netball District League • went trawling on the Solent • took part in tree-planting initiatives • won Best Local School Float in the Bedford River Festival parade • held a singing & music workshop • Year 8 Rugby 2009 & Hockey 2008 District Champions...

"the range of extra curricular activities is extensive, broadening pupils' horizons and making a significant contribution to their personal development"

"outstanding opportunities to participate in sports' activities help pupils lead healthy lifestyles"

"there is commitment to providing a range of opportunities that enrich the lives of pupils including visits abroad, visiting speakers and theatre groups"

"pupils enjoy school life and are enthusiastic about the very wide range of extra-curricular and enhancement activities available to them"

"an impressive extra-curricular programme contributes greatly to the learning and enjoyment of many pupils"

Bedfordshire Middle Schools Ofsted Reports 2007–2009



Bedfordshire's three-tier education system was introduced to provide schooling in mid-sized local facilities that matched the physical, social, emotional and academic development of our children during their middle years. Through our middle schools, pupils gain access to a huge range of extra-curricular activities from Year 5. Therefore, our 9–13 year old students can enjoy developing and learning a wide variety of new skills all tailored to their needs, helping them develop their confidence within a smaller community and a secure environment.

Our Bedfordshire Middle Schools are currently under threat.

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