



# Welcome to York Steiner School

Where  
Children  
Love to  
Learn



[www.yorksteinerschool.org](http://www.yorksteinerschool.org)



“The school is well led. Leaders’ vision is principled and is shared by staff, who are proud to work at the school.”

“York Steiner School is a community of warmth, tolerance and nurture. Pupils here feel safe and, to a very high degree, happy.”

“The school is ambitious for its pupils. Pupils are encouraged to aim high and strive to be the best person they can be. The school’s curriculum instils a spirit of curiosity and enquiry in pupils.”





# What is a Steiner Education?

Our schools and early years settings are part of an international movement inspired by the educational ideas of Rudolf Steiner. Starting with one school in Germany in 1919, there are now over 1000 schools and early years settings worldwide in 90+ countries.

We have a strong academic core with the focus on exciting hands-on learning which engages children holistically at each stage of their development. Formal learning starts at age six in line with most countries around the world, allowing time for the younger child to develop through play, imitation and self-exploration.

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## Who are we looking for?

Someone who can create and nourish a long term relationship with the children in their care.

A teacher who values autonomy within the support of a tried and tested curriculum that nourishes the whole child: Head, Heart and Hands.

Forward-thinkers who want to equip children for the 21<sup>st</sup> century as collaborative, resilient and creative contributors.

Passionate educators who embrace Rudolf Steiner's insights and understanding of child development.

People who understand that the child will always come before the result.





## Beautiful York

Our school is set in the Fulford area of York – just a short walk through a leafy lane brings you to the Millennium Bridge on the River Ouse where you can walk along the banks to the city centre in ten minutes.

Close by is a meadow on the way towards Fulford Ings, where children from Kindergarten upwards take weekly nature walks to observe the changing seasons, while Rowntrees Park just over the bridge, is the perfect place for a quick play after school.

We're also a short walk to busy Bishopthorpe Rd with its independent shops and on-street cafes.

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