

Cornwallis House



Built in 1848, this large Victorian family home provides arguably the most impressive setting of all Cranbrook School's boarding Houses. The school acquired the premises in 1931.

With views over Cornwallis Field on one side and the glorious gardens, astro-turf and the town's famous smock mill on the other, the view is compelling.



The House has retained its atmosphere and warmth into the 21st Century and it aims to create a homely feel where all the boys are safe, happy and can excel in all areas of school life.

Cornwallis has a comfortable, traditional feel with the Allen Room's walls laden with House photographs of past and present generations. Cornwallis is a House with a long and distinguished history and a very strong sense of identity which unites all who have been associated with it.



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The heart of the House lies in the current bunch of Cornwallisites. They seem to relish the traditional feel of the House and use it as a basis for fostering our legendary House spirit! Whether the boys are in a dormitory or a room, everyone's privacy is respected. All members of the House are expected to be considerate and courteous.

The House is a home from home; a bustling, studious and cheerful place where everyone finds their niche. Feature of the House include formal dinners, inter-House sports and the perennial Christmas Panto—a big hit with the whole school!

