

Special provision – provision for pupils with particular religious, dietary, language or cultural needs



 **CUNDALL MANOR SCHOOL**

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This information is taken from and contained within the Boarding Policy document

1. Statement of Boarding Principles and Practice

Practice

Care and meeting needs: Every aspect of the organisation of the boarding house is devised with the care of boarders in mind. More specifically, each boarder has an individual care plan, where records of triumphs, concerns and incidents are recorded in order to build up as full a picture as possible of the boarder's needs, and the action taken to meet those needs.

3. Boarders' Health and Well-Being

Promotion of physical health

All parents complete a child information sheet as part of the sign-up procedure for the school. This includes any details which are specially food related, such as allergies and intolerance. The school ensures the kitchen staff and School Nurse are aware of such individual needs, and these are recorded on the Schoolbase data management system.

Care of those with chronic conditions and disabilities

House staff will make every effort to accommodate pupils with existing medical conditions, and to help pupils manage them when necessary.

8. Provision and Preparation of Food and Drinks

Hot meals which cater to pupils' individual dietary requirements, whether these be for medical, religious or cultural reasons, are supplied by the kitchens at least twice a day. All breakfasts have a cooked element as part of the choice available.

Food is provided for those arriving late and missing meals due to activities. Packed meals are provided for those on trips as required.

Juice, biscuits and fruit are provided as part of the school day at break times.

A ready supply of fresh fruit, snacks, toast, hot/cold drinks are available during each evening. These are prepared by the House Parents, who have been trained to Level 2 in Food Safety.

Water is available at all times.

16. Equality of Opportunity

The House Parents strive as far as possible to ensure that boarders, regardless of race, colour, nationality, ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, disability, political views or religious beliefs, have equal access to high-quality accommodation and care, and are treated as individuals with individual needs, in line with Cundall Manor's Equal Opportunities Policy.

They will also make academic staff aware of any issues that may affect access to the curriculum, and endeavour to help where possible with necessary mitigations.