

The Sunday Times Parent Power 2006 — The top preparatory schools*

Rank	Rank		Name	Town	Key Stage 2, level 5			Total	Gender of entry
	2006	2005			2003	2004	2005		
1	-	The Haberdashers' Aske's Boys' Preparatory School	Elstree	298	290	298	886	Boys	
2	1	City of London School for Girls Preparatory Department	London	280	296	300	876	Girls	
3	2	Guildford High School Junior School	Guildford	286	292	290	868	Girls	
4	9	Notting Hill and Ealing High School, Junior Department GDST	London	272	284	296	852	Girls	
5=	6	James Allen's Preparatory School	London	266	288	287	841	Mixed	
5=	10	South Hampstead High School (Junior Department) GDST	London	278	279	284	841	Girls	
7	3	Bromley High Junior School GDST	Bromley	274	276	288	838	Girls	
8	5	Putney High Junior School GDST	Putney	290	258	286	834	Girls	
9	12=	St Albans High School for Girls (Wheatthampstead House)	St Albans	278	270	285	833	Girls	
10	-	Bancroft's Preparatory School	Woodford Green	272	280	278	830	Mixed	
11	7=	Oxford High School GDST, Junior Department	Oxford	273	283	260	816	Mixed	
12	15	Hale Preparatory School	Altrincham	285	244	275	804	Mixed	
13	14	Alleyn's Junior School	London	267	272	260	799	Mixed	
14	4	Bute House Preparatory School for Girls	London	278	275	244	797	Girls	
15=	22	Holy Cross Preparatory School	Kingston upon Thames	261	265	267	793	Girls	
15=	11	The Lady Eleanor Holles School Junior Department	Hampton Hill	278	263	252	793	Girls	
17	36	Croydon High School Junior School, GDST	South Croydon	235	278	269	782	Girls	
18	26=	Royal Grammar School Junior School, Newcastle	Newcastle upon Tyne	230	278	268	776	Mixed	
19	12=	Kensington Preparatory School	London	249	278	243	770	Girls	
20	39	Heatherton House School	Amersham	250	252	265	767	Girls	
21	18	St Mary's School, Hampstead	London	243	287	235	765	Mixed	
22	20	Nottingham High School for Girls Junior Department GDST	Nottingham	242	270	249	761	Girls	
23	31=	St Catherine's School Junior Dept, Bramley	Guildford	228	251	278	757	Girls	
24	-	The Grange Junior School	Hartford	241	267	246	754	Mixed	
25	21	St Helen's Junior School	Northwood	243	264	245	752	Girls	
26	-	University College School Junior Branch	London	247	265	236	748	Boys	
27	40	Wimbledon High School Junior Department GDST	London	244	245	257	746	Girls	
28=	-	Bury Grammar School (Girls) Junior Department	Bury	216	269	258	743	Girls, mixed prep	
28=	43=	The Abbey Junior School, Reading	Reading	249	263	231	743	Girls	
30	38	Bolton School Girls' Division Junior School	Bolton	260	248	234	742	Girls	
31	26=	Sutton High School Junior Department GDST	Sutton	255	224	262	741	Girls	
32	46	St Swithun's Junior School	Winchester	244	234	261	739	Mixed	
33	42	The Queen's School Lower School	Chester	244	236	255	735	Girls	
34	29	Unicorn School	Richmond-upon-Thames	239	240	255	734	Mixed	
35	67=	Norfolk House School	Birmingham	222	234	272	728	Mixed	
36	-	Halstead Preparatory School for Girls	Woking	254	212	261	727	Girls	
37=	30	Cheadle Hulme Junior School	Cheadle	246	254	226	726	Mixed	
37=	50	Merchant Taylors' School (Juniors)	Liverpool	243	219	264	726	Boys	
37=	33=	Streatham and Clapham High School Junior Dept GDST	London	256	229	241	726	Mixed	
40=	37	Blackheath High School Junior School GDST	London	253	252	217	722	Girls	
40=	24=	Eggbaston High School for Girls Lower School	Birmingham	253	245	224	722	Girls	
42	54	Sydenham High School Junior School GDST	London	227	245	248	720	Girls	
43	133	The Gleddings Preparatory School	Halifax	220	263	235	718	Mixed	
44	67=	City of London Freeman's School, Junior School	Ashted	214	246	256	716	Mixed	
45=	51	Eton End PNEU School	Slough	231	212	272	715	Mixed	
45=	87	Ipswich Preparatory School	Ipswich	245	220	250	715	Mixed	
47	-	Nottingham High School	Nottingham	273	229	212	714	Boys	
48	35	St Anne's Preparatory School	Chelmsford	231	252	226	709	Mixed	
49	-	Royal High School Bath Junior Department GDST	Bath	233	265	209	707	Girls	
50	64	Central Newcastle High School Junior Department, GDST	Newcastle upon Tyne	210	247	249	706	Girls	
51	-	Surbiton High Junior Girls' School	Kingston-upon-Thames	219	215	271	705	Girls	
52	66	Rydes Hill Preparatory School	Guildford	259	182	263	704	Mixed	
53	47	Heathfield GDST School, Junior School	Pinner	250	246	204	700	Girls	
54=	79=	Rose Hill School	Tunbridge Wells	244	217	235	696	Mixed	
54=	58	Rupert House School	Henley-on-Thames	223	235	238	696	Mixed	
56=	110	Caterham Preparatory School	Caterham	183	247	264	694	Mixed	
56=	53	King Henry VIII Junior School	Coventry	251	227	216	694	Mixed	
58=	56=	Arundale School	Pulborough	192	250	251	693	Mixed	
58=	63	St Helen's College	Uxbridge	270	201	222	693	Mixed	
60=	-	Exeter Junior School	Exeter	218	256	218	692	Mixed	
60=	65	The Portsmouth Grammar Junior School	Portsmouth	249	216	227	692	Mixed	
62	114	Ursuline Preparatory School, Warley	Brentwood	201	217	272	690	Mixed	
63=	43=	Forest Preparatory School	London	198	259	229	686	Mixed	
63=	41	Sarum Hall School	London	236	224	226	686	Girls	
65=	78	The New Beacon	Sevenoaks	194	248	242	684	Boys	
65=	49	Cliff School	Wakefield	117	293	272	682	Mixed	
66=	31=	Newbridge Preparatory School	Wolverhampton	230	227	225	682	Girls	
68	79=	St John's Priory School	Banbury	250	185	247	682	Mixed	
69	48	Berkhamsted Collegiate Preparatory School	Berkhamsted	226	235	220	681	Mixed	
70=	56=	Highgate Junior School	London	183	258	239	680	Mixed	
70=	107=	Shrewsbury High School Junior Department GDST	Shrewsbury	206	241	233	680	Girls	
70=	75=	Sussex House School	London	194	243	243	680	Boys	
73	85=	Derwent Lodge School	Tonbridge	258	224	196	678	Girls	
74	73=	Maltman's Green School	Gerrards Cross	218	229	229	676	Girls	
75=	62	Gidea Park College	Romford	262	207	203	672	Mixed	
75=	98	Seaton House School	Sutton	178	254	240	672	Girls	
77	83=	Wilmslow Preparatory School	Wilmslow	228	225	217	670	Girls	
78	59	Abercorn School	London	241	263	165	669	Mixed	
79=	73=	Highfield Priory School, Preston	Preston	229	222	215	666	Mixed	
79=	122	The Queen Elizabeth Grammar School Junior School	Wakefield	201	211	254	666	Boys	
81	129=	The Knoll School	Kidderminster	188	225	250	663	Mixed	
82	104	St Hilda's School, Harpenden	Harpenden	191	205	263	659	Girls	
83=	55	The Froebelian School	Leeds	217	200	240	657	Mixed	
83=	102=	Twickenham Preparatory School	Hampton	229	222	206	657	Mixed	
85	75=	Green Hill School	Evesham	139	300	216	655	Mixed	
86	111=	Pownall Hall School	Wilmslow	209	228	214	651	Mixed	
87=	79=	Rowan Preparatory School	Esher	226	191	232	649	Girls	
87=	60	Stockport Grammar Junior School	Stockport	214	209	226	649	Mixed	
89	-	Homefield Preparatory School	Sutton	227	209	212	648	Boys	
90	-	Surbiton Preparatory School	Kingston-upon-Thames	188	251	208	647	Boys	
91	85=	Westville House School	Ilkley	214	227	205	646	Mixed	
92=	99=	St Hilary's School, Godalming	Godalming	199	225	221	645	Mixed	
92=	70=	Stamford Junior School	Stamford	246	222	177	645	Mixed	
94=	127	Palmer's Green High School, Junior Department	London	263	185	196	644	Girls	
94=	92	Warwick School Junior School	Warwick	226	199	219	644	Boys	
96=	96=	Ipswich High School Junior School GDST	Ipswich	222	209	212	643	Girls	
96=	111=	St Joseph's Convent School, Reading	Reading	200	230	213	643	Girls, mixed pre prep	
98	94	Stroud School	Romsey	216	223	202	641	Mixed	
99	142=	Alderley Edge School for Girls Junior Department	Alderley Edge	237	182	220	639	Girls	
100	205=	Cherry Trees School	Bury St Edmunds	217	201	220	638	Mixed	
101=	70=	Durston House	London	215	241	181	637	Boys	
101=	95	Kent College Preparatory School	Tunbridge Wells	221	203	213	637	Girls	
103	102=	Norwich High School for Girls GDST Junior Department	Norwich	216	209	209	634	Girls	
104	-	Dulwich College Junior School	London	230	192	211	633	Boys	
105	153	Wells Cathedral Junior School	Wells	199	190	243	632	Mixed	
106	115	Bramcote Preparatory School	Scarborough	210	207	214	631	Mixed	
107	77	Sheffield High School Junior Department GDST	Sheffield	197	231	201	629	Girls	
108=	117=	Lanesborough School	Guildford	169	228	231	628	Boys	
108=	90	Loughborough Grammar School, Junior Department	Loughborough	247	191	190	628	Boys	
108	131=	St David's College	West Wickham	181	200	247	628	Mixed	
111	134=	St George's College Junior School	Weybridge	191	208	228	627	Mixed	
112	72	Copthill Preparatory School	Stamford	195	237	193	625	Mixed	
113=	33=	Elm Green Preparatory School	Chelmsford	223	259	140	622	Mixed	
113=	-	Widford Lodge	Chelmsford	211	197	214	622	Mixed	
115	89	Dolphin School	Reading	219	190	212	621	Mixed	
116	158	Birkdale Preparatory School	Sheffield	205	207	208	620	Boys	
117	117=	Vernon Lodge Preparatory School	Brewod	246	226	147	619	Mixed	
118=	151	St Bernard's Preparatory School, Slough	Slough	172	202	244	618	Mixed	
118=	145=	St Martin's Preparatory School, Grimsby	Grimsby	246	165	207	618	Mixed	
120	119=	Carrus School	Banbury	242	184	190	616	Girls	
121=	156=	Brighton and Hove High School Junior School GDST	Hove	202	209	204	615	Girls	
121=	-	Clifton College Preparatory School	Bristol	201	210	204	615	Mixed	
123=	163=	Abbey Gate School, Chester	Chester	137	237	240	614	Mixed	
123=	124=	Greenfield	Woking	236	148	230	614	Mixed	
125	83=	Beechwood Park School	St Albans	201	208	204	613	Mixed	
126	88	Pilgrims' School	Winchester	197	221	194	612	Boys	
127=	141	Heywood Preparatory School	Corsham	267	180	164	611	Mixed	
127=	-	Waverley House PNEU School	Nottingham	239	250	122	611	Mixed	
129=	170	Duncombe School	Hertford	206	190	212	608	Mixed	
129=	137	Woodford Green Preparatory School	Woodford Green	208	180	220	608	Mixed	
131=	28	St Christina's School	London	263	218	126	607	Girls, mixed pre prep	
131=	-	St John's School, Northwood	Northwood	191	206	210	607	Boys	
133=	181=	Grange Park Preparatory School	London	200	213	193	606	Girls	
133=	-	Greenbank School, Cheadle Hume	Cheadle Hume	172	195	239	606	Mixed	
135	163=	Birkenhead High School GDST, Junior Department	Birkenhead	159	233	212	604	Girls	
136=	96=	Carleton House Preparatory School	Liverpool	161	219	223	603	Mixed	
136=	192=	Durlston Court	New Milton	194	194	215	603	Mixed	
138=	191	Bablake Junior School	Coventry	175	199	227	601	Mixed	
138=	116	St Francis College	Letchworth Garden City	198	200	203	601	Girls	
138=	123	St Michael's School, Southend	Southend-on-Sea	180	228	193	601	Mixed	
141	176	White House Preparatory School	Wokingham	157	213	226	596	Girls, mixed nursery	
142	168=	Stormont School	Potters Bar	228	200	167	595	Girls	
143	124=	Lochinver House School	Potters Bar	175	200	219	594	Boys	
144=	168=	Elleray Prep School (Windermere St Anne's)	Windermere	206	205	182	593	Mixed	
144=	91	Mayfield Preparatory School	Walsall	194	212	187	593	Mixed	
144=	129=	Northwood Preparatory School	Rickmansworth	211	175	207	593	Boys, mixed nursery	
144=	99=	RGS The Grange	Worcester	220	193	180	593	Mixed	
144=	107=	Sherrardswood School	Welwyn	214	209	170	593	Mixed	
149	244=	Windrush Valley School	Chipping Norton	201	151	240	592	Mixed	
150	142=	Bronte House (Woodhouse Grove Prep School)	Bradford	225	186	180	591	Mixed	
151	-	Truro School Preparatory School	Truro	193	214	181	588	Mixed	
152=	179	Brentwood Preparatory School	Brentwood	191	177	217	585	Mixed	
152=	209=	Vita et Pax School	London	130	213	242	585	Mixed	
154=	121	Lyndhurst School	Camberley	176	220	188	584	Mixed	
154=	225=	Yarrells School	Poole	204	180	200	584	Mixed	
156=	159	Bristol Grammar Lower School	Bristol	209	155	218	582	Mixed	
156=	199	Castle Court School	Wimborne	185	186	211	582	Mixed	
156=	181=	The Manor Preparatory School	Abingdon	193	160	229	582	Mixed	
156=	205								