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Tier 4 Visa Applications

As a Highly-Trusted Tier 4 Sponsor with the United Kingdom Visas & Immigration (UKVI), Moorland School are able to raise the necessary CAS number and documentation for Tier 4 Visa applications quickly and efficiently.

Moorland School has long had a strong and reputable reputation with the UKVI, and can raise CAS numbers and the relevant paperwork within 24 hours of receiving the necessary administration and fees. Our dedicated staff team are acutely aware of the importance of such matters, and will work diligently to support you through your visa application. Historically, and currently, Moorland School has raised the necessary CAS administration for students from countries such as Kenya, Nigeria, Ghana, Botswana, South Africa, Japan, Hong Kong, China, Taiwan, Thailand, Singapore, Australia, New Zealand, Vietnam, Indonesia, U.S.A., as well as many other countries and territories including the U.A.E. and Bolivia, to name but a few.

Airport Transfers

Our unique location affords Moorland School all the benefits of a quaint, country setting while still offering easy access to metropolitan centres and transport links. Getting to and from Clitheroe is direct and easy for international students. We are equidistant from three airports, Liverpool Airport, Leeds Bradford Airport, and Manchester International Airport. Manchester International Airport can be accessed by the nearby Clitheroe Train Station (7min from the school) with daily trains taking just 60min to reach the airport.

We provide a free airport collection and drop off service for students. All drivers are cleared with DBS. Our drivers also ensure that children are guided within the airport too. Whether this is helping them check-in for departure or meeting them upon arrival.

Many airlines offer an 'Unaccompanied Minor Service' for students travelling alone. Where this has been booked and paid for by parents, please ensure that this is communicated to the School Office so that our drivers are able to meet the extra requirements of the airlines regarding departure and arrival.

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Cultural and Social Adaptation

Being an international school, we have various practices in place to make every student feel at home here at Moorland.

We understand that it may take some time to acclimatise and so we ensure a 'buddy' system is in place to help new students find their feet. We pair our international students with an established student who will act as a friend and guide for their introductory weeks, guaranteeing that they have someone to turn to for assistance at all times.

Our Pastoral Manager, Houseparents and staff are all briefed on specifics for each individual international student and are on hand to help with matters of homesickness, settling and transition; our small, familial setting allows a bespoke service of care and attention for all our students.

As a whole school, we understand, embrace and celebrate important dates from other cultures and religions inclusive of fasting, prayer and dietary requirements. It is key to our ethos to make every student feel as close to home as possible. Students are actively encouraged to engage in contact with home on a regular basis and parents/ carers have direct access to our team at all times.

No student at Moorland will ever feel alone or unheard, there is always someone on hand to listen, advise and care.

English as a Second Language and Learning Support

Upon arrival at Moorland, students are fully evaluated to assess their individual educational needs or gaps in their learning. We are able to identify gaps that may exist due to cultural differences and ensure our learning programme is tailored to allow the student to succeed within the UK curriculum.

In addition to their studies, we have a personalised programme of support and assistance for those who are learning English as a new language and require additional learning support. If required, we can deliver bespoke timetables to students, with additional English lessons in their daily routines.

Our full time SENDCo ensures that all students are understood on a personal level. We understand that with a language barrier it can be difficult for students to socialise and adapt, however with our experienced approach our staff quickly and easily help new students integrate with their peers.

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APPLICATION PROCESS

NURTURING EXCEPTIONALLY TALENTED CHILDREN

The School offers FIVE full-time programs: The Pre-vocational Course (Level 1) for students entering academic years 5 through to 6; the Vocational Course (Level 2) for students entering academic years 7 through to 9; the Pre-Professional Vocational Course (Level 3) for students entering academic years 10 through to 11; the Professional Vocational Course (Level 4) for students entering academic years 12 through to 13; and the Diploma in Dance Education at Foundation Degree level. Students may also take A levels/BTEC qualifications.

Applications must be submitted by December 31 to be considered for the next school year. Applicants will be notified by email, as to whether or not they have been selected to attend the final audition. The auditions are specifically for students who are hoping to be selected for the full-time programs. At the end of the scheduled auditions, selected students will be informed of the outcome by April of that year.

Classes begin in September for those accepted onto the full-time program and continue to July.

Financial assistance may be offered at the Schools discretion. An application will be available following a successful Preliminary audition.

Applicants are required to complete the on-line registration and upload their video footage by the closing date.



Why study with Moorland Ballet Academy?

As a part of Moorland Private School, Moorland Ballet Academy is able to offer students a truly unique range of opportunities including a comprehensive boarding package.

We ensure we deliver a programme that combines a first-class education with unrivalled ballet coaching and tutelage of the highest level within excellent facilities.

The Moorland Ballet Academy is housed within one campus, which is nestled amidst beautiful rural grounds in the small market town of Clitheroe, Lancashire.

This safe haven provides safety, security, modern facilities, spacious learning areas as well as a genuinely homely feel. Our students are all able to focus on their studies and their development, free of the distractions of urban noise and other disturbances.



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