



La Retraite RC Girls' School

Firmly rooted in our local community and with 140 years of experience in Catholic education, La Retraite is underpinned by its long history of academic excellence and strong values.





OUR ETHOS

01 “To act justly”

02 “To love mercy”

03 “To walk humbly with your God”

MICAH 6:8

“Catholic life and mission permeate the entire school, Gospel values are known and lived by all members of the La Retraite community”

Catholic Schools Inspectorate February 2024





PASTORAL CARE & WELL-BEING

"The school guides pupils to achieve excellent outcomes in public examinations and provides high-quality support for their wider well-being."

"Pupils feel happy and safe. They know there is an adult they can talk to if needed"

OFSTED, December 2023



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

“Pupils behave extremely well, both in and out of lessons. The school promotes kindness and respect, which is evident in the interactions between pupils”.

OFSTED, December 2023

Psychology

Philosophy

Pharmacy

Social Work

Business Management

Robotics

Biomedical Science

Therapy

Design

Accountancy

Medicinal Chemistry

Performing Arts

Film Production

Politics

Criminology

Law

Chemical Engineering

Sports Therapy

Interior Design

Media

Nursing

Medicine

Architecture

Neuroscience

Child Care



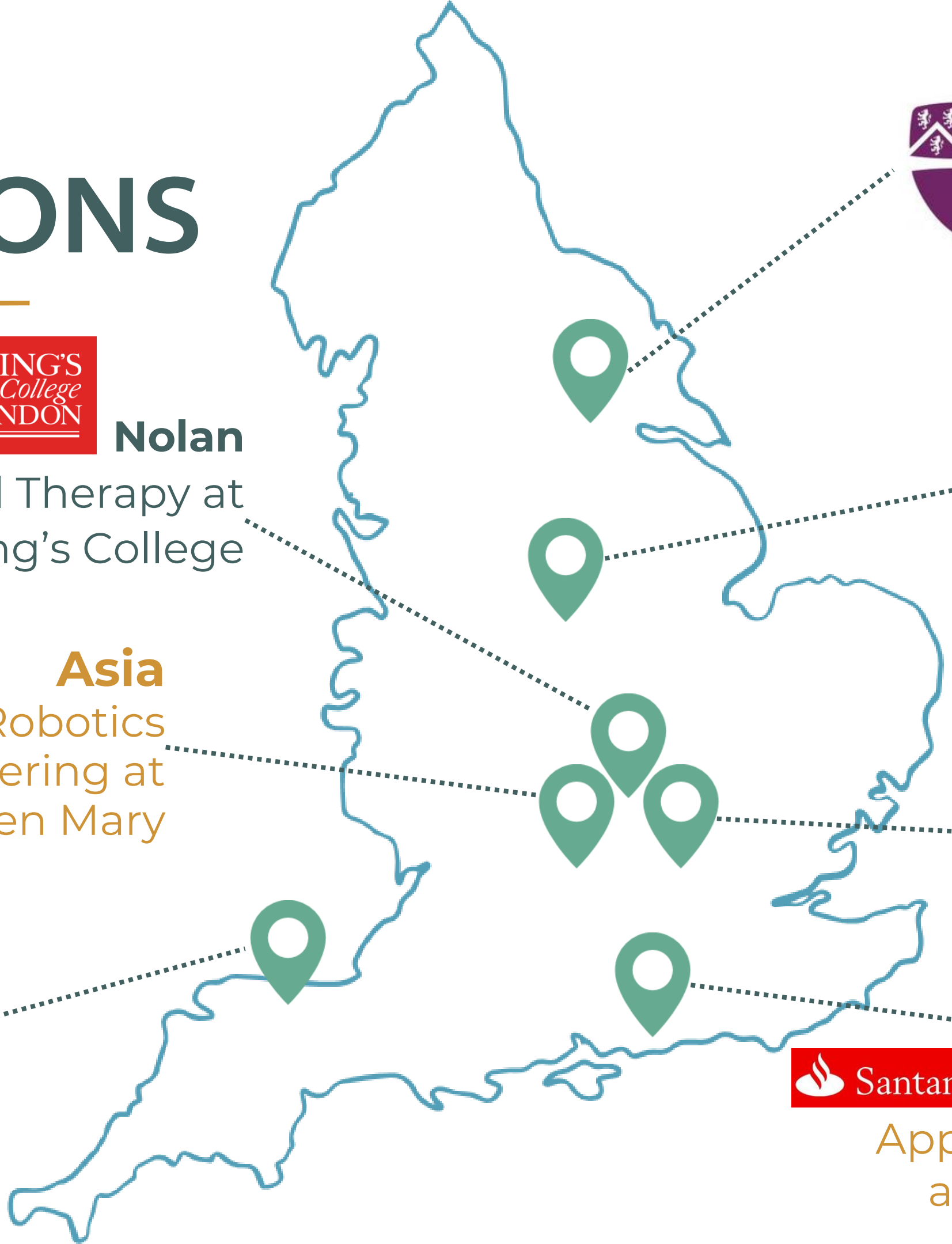
A CUTTING EDGE CURRICULUM



"This school aims for every pupil to reach their full potential. It does so, not only by having high expectations for pupils, but by supporting their individual aspirations and talents".
OFSTED 2023



OUR 2023 DESTINATIONS



Shemia
Economics at
Durham



Nolan
Dental Therapy at
King's College



Glenda
Medicine at
Nottingham



Asia
Robotics
Engineering at
Queen Mary



Angeline
History at
UCL



Diana
Degree
Apprenticeship
at Amazon



Rachel
Degree
Apprenticeship
at Santander



THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

Pushing the highest attainers

In addition to the challenging classroom-based activities, students access a programme of events, workshops, conferences, and trips, including visits to Oxbridge and Russell Group universities, subject-specific conferences, in-house guest speakers, skills and employability workshops, and careers showcases.





TRANSITION

01 **Primary School Visits**

02 **Friendship Afternoon**

03 **Taster Days**

04 **Retreats**

05 **A staggered start**

“Moving from year 6 to year 7 felt like stepping into a bigger world. Making friends from different primary schools has been amazing, and I feel really confident here”

Asyia, Year 7





American Football Club
#NFL



Champions of the
Sherriff's Challenge 2024



Visit to ITV Studios

LIFE CHANGING OPPORTUNITIES

"At La Retraite, the opportunities are endless. From clubs to competitions, and everything in between, there's always something exciting to get involved in. My favourite subjects, PE and ICT, offer resources and experiences that simply don't compare to primary school"

Diaraye, Year 7 Student



Combined Cadets Force

Royal Navy

The Navy Cadets parade every Wednesday at school and students from Year 8, wear their naval uniform all day. It is an amazing opportunity for students to develop leadership, team building and problem-solving skills.





St Matthew's Project
@smpbrixton

Massive well done to @LaRetraiteSW12 on their latest Lambeth Girls' Schools Cup victory in very testing conditions today! ❤️



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