

Accommodation

At **Otago Boys' High School** both Home-stay and Boarding Hostel accommodation is offered.

Home Stay

All homestay families have been visited and inspected by the homestay co-ordinator before being accepted by **Otago Boys' High School**.

They are checked on a bi-annual basis.

Fees are paid directly to the school each year in advance.

The school will reimburse the homestay.

Accommodation is for 45 weeks in the year. There are four terms of approximately ten weeks each, plus six weeks of holidays.

Students may travel home during vacations but accommodation is contracted for the whole period and no refund can be given.

Homestays provide:

- Full board including three meals per day,
- Own bedroom with study facilities,
- Full laundry facilities (except dry cleaning)

Students must provide their own toiletries, phone cards and be prepared to buy some snack food.

They are also required to pay their own bus fare to school.

If you intend to use Homestay you will need to fill in the Homestay Placement Information sheet contained in the Enrolment Pack.

Enrolment pack: [obhs_international_enrolment_pack.pdf](#)
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All meals are provided and washing is done by the laundry.

Further information about the hostel can be found at:-

[OBHS_School_House_Brochure_08.pdf](#)

O.B.H.S. Boarding Hostel

The boarding hostel is not within the school campus but is a short walk away.

The rooms are dormitory style and it is only in Year 13 that students have their own room.

Approximately 110 boys live in the hostel. They are supervised by a Hostel Manager, Matron, and House Masters.

There are strict rules for leave and curfews. Weekend leave is by signed permission only.

During term holidays the hostel closes and students are placed with homestays for this time.

The cost is slightly higher if you choose the hostel option as there are some additional charges.

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