



A BRIEF HISTORY OF PRINCE HENRY'S

- In 1603 Thomas Cave left £250 pounds to people of Otley to form a school...provided the people of Otley matched this amount.
- They did, and in 1608 the Royal Charter was signed to form a school – Prince Henry's.
- Lessons began in 1611 in temporary accommodation.
- In 1614 the school opened on a new site in Manor Square
- In 1874 the school closed and remained closed for 44 years.

PRINCE HENRY'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

- The official re-opening of Prince Henry's Grammar School occurred on Wednesday 18th September 1918.
- The first headteacher of the reopened school was Walter Robinson
- The school was initially located in the 'Mechanics Institute' and had just 117 students
- In 1927 the school moved into a new building (the current site) on Farnley Lane.

COMMEMORATE THE PAST 100 YEARS

- There will be a series of events throughout the year:
- Open Days
- Reunions
- Lessons
- Story telling
- Exhibitions
- More details to follow.
- We invite you to email us and share your story of your time at Prince Henry's – 100years@princehenrys.co.uk