

The Camelot

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The Power of the Parent/Carer

Each parent/carer is key to the school's success and key to the success of your child.

What we do to praise and engage our parents/carers:

- Welcome your feedback at any opportunity—there will be an additional mid year feedback opportunity available next week
- Invite you to attend courses and workshops linked to better understanding of our shared challenge of raising our children
- Thank you for your successes and roles in educating your children; in ensuring they are daily at school and on time; supporting with the completion of daily reading and weekly homework tasks as set

What is the key way that the school feeds back to our parents/carers

 Through using termly Parents Evening appointment times to share a planned message of communication on the key successes and focus for your child's education going forward.

It is therefore essential that every parent/carer attends a ten minute appointment time with their child's class teacher next week at the following:

Spring Term Parents Evening—Wednesday 22nd January between 1.30—6.45 p.m.

At this appointment, teachers will be sharing children's work across English, Maths, Science, History, Geography as well as agreeing targets for their work for the next two terms of the academic year ahead. Any parent/carer not attending an appointment should see Mr Robinson to arrange a different time as non attendance means the key to unlock a child's educational success will be acknowledged as being lost at this stage of the year and this is not encouraged.

Year 6 Residential Trip—June 2020

Should any parent/carer wish for their Year 6 child to be included in the above, they must make sure they attend one of the briefings regarding the trip. These briefings will take place at 2.00 p.m; repeated at 4.00 p.m. and repeated again at 6.00 p.m. on next Wednesday 22nd January in Mr Robinson's office next to the Year 6 classrooms. See you there.



Clubs are now £2 a session or £20 a term

Please sign up for any of these sessions by the new date of Monday 20th January.

The school will continue to seek additional funding to provide a range of free clubs but we need your support to the clubs that give us the ability to extend our wider offer to our children.

Key Dates coming up

School will close at 12.45 p.m. next Wednesday 22nd January for Parents Evening

Wednesday 22nd January Spring Term Parents Evening 1.30 – 6.45 p.m.

Tuesday 28th January—

the next exceptional Camelot celebration—all parents/ carers invited to Afternoon Tea with our special guest—2.45 p.m.

<u>Friday 14th February—Staff Training Day</u> The first half term therefore ends on Thursday 13th February

New After School Provision



For 2020, before the school can relaunch a new after school provision, our After School Club will be run at our neighbouring school, St Francis School, accessed further along Bird in Bush Road. There will be a 'Walking Bus' (staff supervision of children to the club) that will take Camelot children both at 3.30 p.m. and after clubs finish at 4.15 p.m. as well as a reduced charging system to support parents/carers only requiring shorter hours provision.

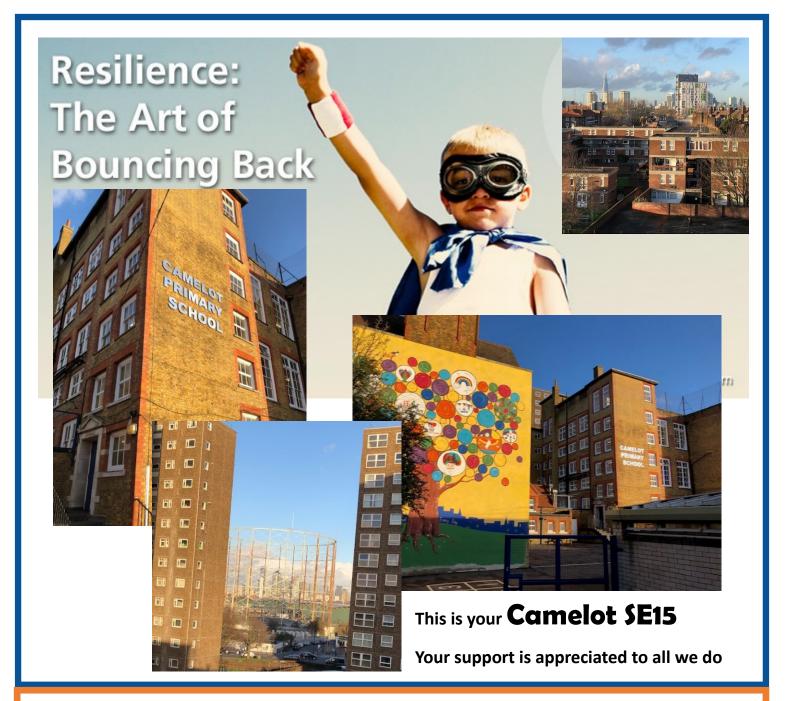
All contact details are on the flyer above

The lead contact is Trevor who is contactable on 07740 292 379

Additional charges for 2020

Please note that the school will be required to implement new charges for the following from January 2020 as there is now no additional school funding to support these areas of school life:

<u>Breakfast club provision (from 7.45—8.45 a.m. every day)</u> - £4 a day <u>After School clubs (from 3.30—4.15 p.m. across the week)</u> - a charge of £2 a club will be charged (support available—please speak to Miss Lou)



The joy that being *Artist* brings!







Year 4 Vesuvius were our first children arriving for their new Art lessons with Miss Chandler. We aim to share with you the children's artwork over the weeks and months ahead.