



## Applying for Free School Meals back as a priority action for all

### Marcus Rashford to fight on after new school meals plea rejected

12 hours ago

Coronavirus pandemic



Footballer Marcus Rashford is pledging to continue his campaign to see free

Camelot School and Southwark Council continue with making every effort to campaign for additional support for all our children at this time. One way we are championing is looking to extend the government's Free School Meals Voucher scheme into the half term and Christmas holiday periods ahead.

For this reason, it is essential that every parent/carer completes their own application to assess whether your child may be entitled to this support which has recently been provided at £15 per week per qualifying child.

## Who qualifies? Advice from the government

### Who can get free school meals?

Your child can get free school meals if your combined annual household income is below £16,190 (as assessed by HMRC) and you get one of the following benefits:

- income-based: income support or jobseeker's allowance (not eligible if on contribution based jobseeker's allowance)
- income-related: employment support allowance (not eligible if on contribution based employment support allowance)
- universal credit
- income support
- the guaranteed element of state pension credit
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- child tax credit only.

### No recourse to public funds (NRPF) parents

During the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, some children of groups who have no recourse to public funds (NRPF) are eligible for free school meals.

Your child may also get free school meals if you get any of these benefits and your child is both:

- younger than the [compulsory age for starting school](#)
- in full-time education

If your child is eligible for free school meals, they'll remain eligible until they finish the phase of schooling (primary or secondary) they're in on 31 March 2022.

## School responses to Tier 2 London situation

Please note, there will be further tightening of practices across the school over the coming weeks to ensure we remain open for your children. This will include the following:

- **requesting all parents/carers wear masks when dropping off and picking up their children**
- barriers across Bird in Bush Road to increase the size of the area for parental waiting at the end of the school day
- Further restricting parent/carer access to school office—we may ask that you remain outside the office as we deal with any queries

**In addition, to support the school making plans for next half term we will close next Friday 23rd October from 12.15 p.m. We ask that all parents/carers make plans to collect their children after they have eaten their school lunch.** Children will then be expected to complete work in their Google online Classroom—please note we will be over a 100 school laptops for the half term holiday to support with online learning and before the school reopens on Tuesday 3rd November after the half term break.



## School Development Plan 2020-2021

## Camelot School 2020-2021

## School Development Plan

## Parent/Carer feedback

**Name of School:** Camelot Primary School

**Address:** 135 Bird in Bush Road, Peckham, SE15 1QP

**Unique Reference Number:** 210 – 2085

**Local Authority:** Southwark

**Headteacher:** James Robinson

**Deputy Headteacher:** Madeline Eastwood

**Assistant Headteacher:** Alanna Hume

### Proposal for approving complete School Development Plan 2020-21:

September 2020:	Staff, pupil, parent consultation opportunities Pupil baseline and establishing post Covid school structures Completion of SDP first draft and staffing decisions
October 2020:	SDP discussion with Governors Curriculum and Standards Committee and Chair Pay Committee adoption of Pay Policy and Appraisal Policy to complement SDP Presentation of key objectives of SDP to Curriculum and Standards Committee Finalisation of SDP for completion of teachers' appraisal cycle
November 2020:	Presentation of final SDP to Full Governing Body Full circulation to staff and parent/carers body linked to new Parent Survey
From Spring 2020:	First review of SDP timescales Curriculum and Standards Committee Agenda item to discuss review Headteacher Mid Year Review including review of SDP
From Summer 2020:	Second review of SDP timescales Curriculum and Standards Committee Agenda item to discuss review
From July 2020:	Appraisal against SDP targets and aspirations

## Camelot School's Five Strand School Development Plan below

### Strand 2: Development of our Black History Curriculum Enrichment

Part of Curriculum Educational  
Entitlement of all pupils in line with new  
Government expectations for primary  
curriculum

Incl. reviewing existing Camelot  
curriculum offer and provision

Curriculum relevance and personal  
relevance to raise self-esteem and with it  
achieve better pupil standards

### Strand 4: The School's Inclusion Provision for all its pupils

Meeting the needs of disadvantaged  
children in our school community through  
identification and focus on lessening their  
barriers to learning

Incl. Safeguarding and Pupil Safety

SEN

PPF/NRPF pupils

Behaviour, Attitudes, Mental Health of all  
pupils across the school

### Strand 1: The School's Raising Standards Agenda

Focus on Online Learning and Covid  
recovery plan priority linked to  
Teaching and Learning and Standards  
agenda

Incl. professional development for all  
staff to support their understanding of  
how to respond in a Covid recovery  
year

Standards agenda versus pressures of  
re-integration of pupils and in a time of  
increased anxiety

Acknowledging the most vulnerable  
and disadvantaged backgrounds will be  
among those hardest hit

### Strand 3: English Development for all Pupils (Phonics, Reading, Writing)

Respond to the current standards across  
the school and ensure all children's wider  
Literacy skills are developed and  
accelerated

Incl. Early Reading strategies and home  
reading

Phonics for all including KS2 pupils

Writing development

### Strand 5: Early Learning in a Post Covid Year

Responding to the identification that our  
youngest may have suffered the most  
through a Lockdown education, impacting  
on their school readiness

Incl. links to Language Development  
to Early Reading acquisition and awareness  
Physical Development opportunities  
and their Personal, Social & Emotional  
Development



# The loan of a school laptop if a Lockdown Education is needed

Any parent/carer who would need a school laptop should a local or national lockdown be called so that your child can access the school's online classroom is asked to text the school office mobile on 07931 616456

**Please just text your Child's Name and Year Group... e.g. 'James, Year 6'**

Only parents/carers needing to reserve a school laptop need send a text.

Priority for the allocation of school laptops will be from Year 6 pupils down.

Exceptional activities for our children at this exceptional time

## Camelot School October Bake Off

**Wow! Thank you to all for our exceptional Camelot School Bake Off Entries...**



An exceptional thanks to all our bakers... a sample of the exceptional cakes are photographed above.



# A reminder to Parents/Carers re previous messages about qualifying for Free School Meals support

## Southwark free healthy school meals—Free school meals during COVID-19

### Is my child eligible for free school meals?

If you're receiving particular benefits, your child/children may be entitled to receive a free school meal. [More information about who is eligible for free school meals](#) is available on the government website.

### How to apply

- if your child is eligible for free school meals, contact your child's school by telephone or email and request a Free School Meal application form (it may be called a Pupil Premium application form)
- once eligibility is verified, the school will be informed and you should begin to receive vouchers or other form of meal provision

It's important that you register for free school meals if you think your child may be eligible. As well as ensuring your child receives free meals provision, it will also enable your child's school to receive additional funding via the Pupil Premium, totalling £1,320 per child. This additional government funding is used by the school to help children to make the best possible progress they can and to provide additional resources and educational experiences that they may not otherwise have access to.

## Black History Learning with a difference

Camelot School believes it is one of the only schools in the UK that hasn't stopped its normal to do a month of Black History in October.

At Camelot School, the norm is a Black History enrichment curriculum taught to our children every day. Any parent/carer interested in seeing what we are doing on a daily basis is directed towards their child's online classroom page



**Camelot School – The best Primary School for Black British children in the UK**

**#bestblackbritishschool**

Are our children Black British? Discuss

Pupil Self Esteem... a statement to raise this

Curriculum Links.... consider and identify the links from EYFS to KS2

How do we create an early start... looking through the eyes of a 3 & 4 year old... what are we missing?

Our community... what/how can we use our community to expand aspirations

Visits and visitors... who can we invited and where can we visit to extend our provision further?

Tackling racism... what can we do in our school – what should be the foci of our discussions and what can we do in school to tackle racism

Celebrating cultures... planning time (children/classes are given time to plan a country, incl. International Dressing Up; plan a song; buy T-shirts/cloth to make and paint/print flags/colours)

Staff food celebration on Inset Day – food sold to parents/carers??

School Council tasks... something to participate in the working party

Camelot School has a School Development Plan priority strand for this area; a staff working party working to develop ideas to promote a Black History Enrichment Curriculum as well as dedicating whole staff Inset training day time to the aspiration that amongst other things Camelot School will be the best Primary School in the UK for Black British pupils...  
**that's our normal!**  
**#exceptional everyday**  
**Camelot style!**



## Camelot Primary School Lunch Menu – Week 1

Key - Halal H / Free Range FR / Red Tractor RT / Wholegrain W / MSC Certified M

	Choice of main dishes	Sides available and Dessert
Monday	Homemade haddock and salmon pie Egg noodles with sweet and sour vegetables Jacket potatoes filled with tuna, sweetcorn or cheese	Red cabbage and runner beans <i>Plain yoghurt and sweet dates</i>
Tuesday	<b>Sizzling lamb tacos with traditional toppings</b> Vegetable medley with cous cous Mixed vegetables and tomato pasta	Garden broccoli and cauliflower <i>Autumn fruit salad with vanilla sauce</i>
Wednesday	<b>Beef meatballs with spaghetti</b> Bean and mushroom stroganoff with spaghetti Tuna, tomato and vegetable pasta	British farmed peas and carrots <i>Seasonal fruit salad</i>
Thursday	Roast chicken with roasted potatoes and gravy Omelette popovers with roast potatoes Vegetable quiche and feta salad	Organic root vegetables <i>Homemade Mandarin jelly</i>
Friday	Chickpea and vegetable biryani with rice Assorted nan breads Slow-cooked Jacket potatoes filled with baked beans and cheese	Mixed seasonal vegetables <i>Eve's pudding and custard</i>

The following is available daily – wholemeal, white and pitta bread / water and milk

A selection of salads including Greek salad, avocado salad, asparagus salad and prawn cocktail salad



## Camelot Primary School Lunch Menu – Week 2

Key - Halal H / Free Range FR / Red Tractor RT / Wholegrain W / MSC Certified M

	Choice of main dishes	Sides available and Dessert
Monday	Lamb Goulash with brown rice Tomato and red lentil lasagne Slow-cooked jacket potatoes filled with tuna, sweetcorn or cheese	Mixed seasonal vegetables <i>Banana and cinnamon rice pudding</i>
Tuesday	Greek-style baked cod with potato wedges Lentil, potato and spinach Thai curry Mixed vegetable and tomato pasta	Garden broccoli and cauliflower <i>Seasonal fruit salad and yoghurt</i>
Wednesday	<b>Sweet and sour tofu stir fry with noodles</b> <b>Crisp jacket potatoes with cheddar cheese and beans</b> Tuna, tomato and vegetable pasta	Sweetcorn and peas <i>Shortbread and satsuma segments</i>
Thursday	Finest British Beef lasagne Tomato and red lentil lasagne Garlic bread	Organic roast carrots <i>Baked apple with cinnamon</i>
Friday	<b>Italian lamb meatball polpettone with basmati rice</b> Slow-cooked jacket potatoes filled with baked beans and cheese	Peas and low-sugar baked beans <i>Semolina with raisins</i>

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## Camelot Primary School Lunch Menu – Week 3

Key - Halal H / Free Range FR / Red Tractor RT / Wholegrain W / MSC Certified M

	Choice of main dishes	Sides available and Dessert
Monday	Creamy chicken korma with brown rice Red lentil and sweet potato Balti with brown rice Assorted Nan breads	Steamed broccoli Chunky cauliflower <i>Apple and rhubarb crumble and custard</i>
Tuesday	Salmon ratatouille with white pasta Mixed bean and root vegetable fried rice Tuna, tomato and vegetable pasta	Garden peas and sweetcorn <i>Low fat fruit yoghurt</i> <i>Fresh fruit</i>
Wednesday	<b>Grilled chicken with jellof rice</b> Vegetarian hotpot with rice Pitta bread with falafel and humus	Root vegetables <i>Banana pancakes and fruits</i>
Thursday	Mixed bean and root vegetable stew Herb cous cous Tomato and vegetable pasta	Organic roast carrots Green beans <i>Semolina with blackberry compot</i>
Friday	<b>Lamb moussaka with garlic bread and mixed salad</b> Veggie sausage pasta bake Tuna, tomato and vegetable pasta	Garden peas <i>Carrot cake and fruits</i>

The following is available daily – wholemeal, white and pitta bread / water and milk

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# A new term.. and new menu items

Our new weekly  
menu item is  
highlighted in  
yellow

Our children's  
favourite each  
week is  
highlighted in  
green



# Camelot School Term and Holiday dates

## Academic year 2020/2021

### Autumn term 2020

- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2020 to Friday 23 October 2020 (37 school days)  
*Half Term Monday 26 October 2020 to Friday 30 October 2020*
- Tuesday 3 November 2020 to Friday 18 December 2020 (35 school days)\*

### Spring term 2021

- Tuesday 5 January 2021 to Friday 12 February 2021 (29 school days)  
*Half Term Monday 15 February 2021 to Friday 19 February 2021*
- Monday 22 February 2021 to Wednesday 31 March 2021 (28 school days)

### Summer term 2021

- Monday 19 April 2021 to Friday 28 May 2021 (29 school days)  
*Half Term Monday 31 May 2021 to Friday 4 June 2021*
- Tuesday 8 June 2021 to Wednesday 21 July 2021 (32 school days)

**Total number of days for children in school: 190**

### Inset Days: 5 days for staff only

Wednesday 2nd September 2020  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020\*  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021  
Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021  
Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

### Public holidays

- Christmas Day – Friday 25 December 2020
- Boxing Day – Monday 28 December 2020
- New Years Day - Wednesday 1 January 2021
  - Good Friday - Friday 2 April 2021
  - Easter Monday - Monday 5 April 2021
- May Day Bank Holiday - Monday 3 May 2021
- Spring Bank Holiday - Monday 31 May 2021

Please remember that children are only at school for 190 days each year and after the events of current times we cannot reiterate the importance of 100% school attendance and for all children to attend school every day.

Any plans to remove a child from their entitlement need to be discussed first with Mr Robinson and the request put in writing before a decision is communicated that would support any such plans.

Parents/carers are not supported to book flights or make plans before the school has authorised any decision.

Any unauthorised absence will incur a fine of £60 per parent/carer.

Sorry, not our rules!

\* Variation due to implementing government guidance on schools opening

# RELEASE YOUR POTENTIAL

## JOIN SOUTHWARK RUGBY CLUB

Training every Sunday  
10.00 - 12.00 at our pitches in  
Burgess Park - SE5 0JB

Oh Yes! IT'S  
**FREE**



[www.southwarktigers.com](http://www.southwarktigers.com)

Local to Camelot and free for all children to join



# Family Activities with the London Wildlife Trust this Autumn

## **Tents, Tales and Bushcraft**

**Monday 26th and Tuesday 27th October 10am-3pm**

Two days learning survival skills in our wild garden. Shelter building, fire lighting, foraging and stories.

## **Fire Burn and Cauldron Bubble**

**Saturday 31st October 10am-3pm**

Eye of newt and toe of frog! Investigate the cool and slippery animals in our wildlife garden. Make potions, lanterns and bubble up something in our cauldron.

## **Wonderful Woodlands**

**Sydenham Hill Wood**

**Sunday 15th November 10am-3pm**

A family discovery day in the wood. Find out about its plants, animals and history. Have fun with activities and games in the woods.

## **The Holly and the Ivy**

**Saturday 12th December 10am-3pm**

A day to explore the world of evergreen plants. Make a wreath and other festive decorations.

*All events are held at the Centre for Wildlife Gardening, 28 Marsden Road SE15 4EE except Wonderful Woodlands which is at Sydenham Hill Wood. Free family learning is for Southwark residents only and limited to one course per family per academic year. For further information and to book go to the London Wildlife Trust website: [www.wildlondon.org.uk/events](http://www.wildlondon.org.uk/events)*

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