



# The Camelot

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## Post Ofsted 2018—What happens now?

*Parents/Carers will know that the school was recently visited by Ofsted Inspectors as part of the government's system of checking the standards of education in schools. Such an inspection is extremely important for all schools but it is particularly important for our school after recent years and recent inspection outcomes.*

*A school's aim is to demonstrate to the inspectors that the school is making significant improvements and if standards are still a focus that the school has the capacity and the plans to meet the expectations set by you the parents/carers as well as held by the government for any state run school.*

*Our inspection was a very successful experience for everyone at Camelot and we are very much looking forward to sharing with all our pupils and parents/carers as well as the wider school community the outcome that was decided. It is likely our report will be released next week and we look forward to keeping you informed of any final judgements reached.*

*The inspectors wanted us to pass on their thanks for the enormous amount of parental feedback that they received and which helped them in reaching their conclusions. Over 200 parent surveys were completed and we look forward to sharing the outcomes of these surveys in a separate newsletter.*

*The inspectors left us with this quote to share with you all:*

**“Ofsted know the journey and are grateful for what has been done”**

### Communication to look out for this week

The school will be canvassing Parent/Carer views on plans for changing the school week from April 2018 onwards.

Parents/Carers are asked to look out for the letter explaining the proposals and for ensuring you provide your comments and feedback on plans.

Thank you for your involvement

### Exceptional New School Website

We are pleased to inform you that our new school website has gone live. Your comments regarding the website or how we make further improvements are welcomed.

[www.camelotprimaryschool.co.uk/](http://www.camelotprimaryschool.co.uk/)

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## Uniform Reminders:

Please can parents/carers note the following:

- The school does not encourage the wearing of 'fashion' headwear/hats/caps—warm, woollen headwear only please
- PE kit is a necessity for every PE lesson + a simple blue or black tracksuit—top and trousers
- Please refrain from sending your child in with non uniform items, e.g. shoes, PE kits.



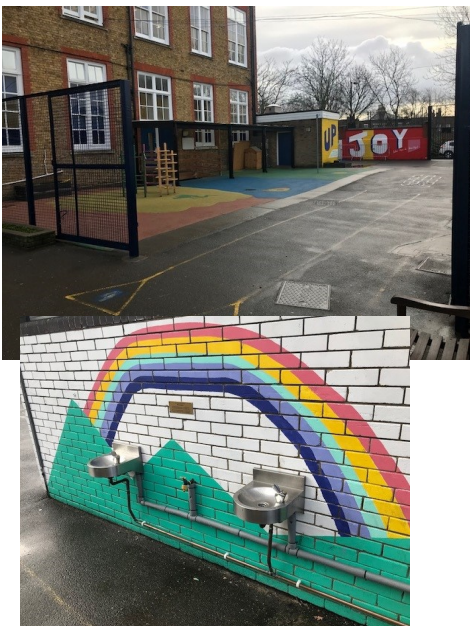
# Look how we've made our school better... 2018 style



We all need book bags for 2018

Only £6.99

New Playground Area demarcated to improve playtime experience for all



The PE kit we want for all



Yes this is a school lunch! 98% of our children are enjoying exceptional quality lunches every day



Our book corners begin to improve and improve as does the Camelot Reading culture... so important to support learning

Exceptional homework from so many children—any more book reviews for Mr Robinson to win a prize. + have you watched any great book films to recommend to us all



We are all noticing increasing exposure of our children to both the benefits and risks of easier internet access. At Camelot, we are taking increased measures to make our children aware of both sides of the internet. Please support next week's Safer Internet Day by attending the training for all parents/carers.

## **Safer Internet Day 2018 will be celebrated globally on Tuesday 6th February 2018**

**Learn how to keep your children safe online!**

Learn of all of the hidden dangers there are on line and how best to keep your children safe.



Please attend our informative,  
interactive session based at the school.

Tuesday 6th February in the Rio Hub.

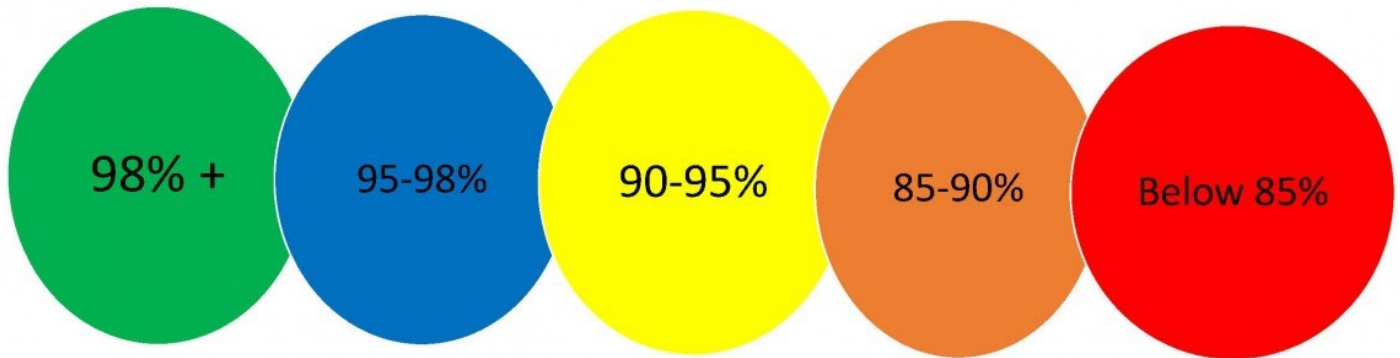
**9:00-10:00 a.m. for all parents/carers with refreshments**  
(Please book with Miss Wilkinson at the school office)





# Attendance Matters

On Time: First Time, Every Time



## What Zone Are You In?

### What the Camelot School zones mean for parents and children?

**Green Zone**—Prize Winners—able to participate in all school events and opportunities linked to exceptional attendance

**Blue Zone**—with exceptional attendance for the rest of the year these children will get into the green zone and will be able to join in the exceptional attendance events

**Yellow Zone**—Attendance improvements needed and school attendance team will monitor to ensure no further issues

**Orange Zone**—child and family situation discussed with the school's educational welfare officer and individual attendance instructions will have to be followed, e.g. all absences needing written authorisation

**Red Zone**—Educational Welfare Officer advises that situation for the child and parent/carer is reviewed to decide what action to take. Court order, parenting orders, fines for attendance all decisions taken in these cases

## Impact of Lateness

Being 15 minutes late each day is the same as missing 2 weeks of school

