



# The Camelot

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### ***Parent/Carer Communication for Camelot Primary***

*On Wednesday 1st May parents/carers met with Mr Robinson to formally start our monthly parent/carers communication opportunities. Thank you to those parents/carers who attended this event and who have agreed to help encouraging others to consider attending on our next event on Wednesday 5th June 2019.*

*Parent/Carer feedback is appreciated in so many areas of school life and going forward we are proposing seeking views and comments on the following which will help shape our future as well as the school's wider offer:*

- the school's behaviour policy*
- the opportunity for parents to have their say on the issue of possible sanctions/detention/internal exclusions that may be recommended going forward*
- the school's curriculum offer—what can be offered to our children in terms of the agreed priorities for our school. More music; more Art; more PE etc..?*
- Parent/Carer views on key Camelot issue such as uniform, costs of trips and food*

## **European Elections 2019—Thursday 23rd April**

### **Nursery and Reception classes to be shut**

One impact of Brexit negotiations not being resolved before the holidays is that it is likely that the UK will be involved in voting for our Members of the European Parliament (MEPs). The date of these elections will be Thursday 23rd May and Camelot School Early Years areas will be used as the local polling station for this area. We have written to Nursery and Reception parents/carers already but to confirm to everyone that these two year groups and this area of the school will be closed on this date.

### ***A reminder re Ramadan***

*“During Ramadan, fasting is expected practice for adults but every year we have children who would also like to fast. After receiving advice from The Muslim Council of Great Britain, we were informed that a person must be physically, mentally and emotionally ready to fast. As children are still growing in all these areas they are not deemed to be grown enough.*

*Therefore we only allow fasting while at school for religious reasons in Year 6 and only with written consent from the parents/carers.”*

## Camelot School is built on some exceptional people



**Constance Bevis**

Please can we introduce Constance to our school community and both thank her for all she does for our school and children as well holding her up as a motivation to all our parents/carers and community.

Constance is our volunteer librarian and someone who has been coming into Camelot for two years now.

Constance is one of those rare people who are happy to just give back to their community with a heart of joy and giving and we are all so grateful to receiving this gifts from her.



**Carlos Signuero**

If you don't believe us, ask to come and try his exceptional school dinners.

Camelot is blessed to have a school chef as dedicated as Carlos and we are all so grateful for his hard work and commitment to producing exceptional lunches for us all on such a tight budget.

Thank you Carlos and we look forward to lunch tomorrow!



Don't forget early closing for all pupils to support teachers additional curriculum planning time.

**Friday 24th May**

School closes at 12.45 p.m. on the above date

## Important dates and events for the school going forward

**Friday 24th May**                      **School closes at 12.45 p.m. for half term**

**Tuesday 4th June**                **School reopens for final 2018/19 half term**

**Wednesday 5th or Thursday 6th June**      **Eid—End of Ramadan**  
(children celebrating Eid are entitled to one day authorised absence from school with prior written authorisation of the Headteacher)

**Tuesday 2nd July**                      **End of Year Parents Evening**

**Tuesday 16th July**                  **Sports Day Year 1 to 6—Burgess Park**

**Friday 19th July - End of academic year 2018/2019 - 12.45 p.m.**

### Camelot Nursery School



Open morning Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May

9.00 a.m. -10.30 a.m

Applications for September are now open

For children who were born between 1.9.15 and 31.8.16

### 30 hours free provision

Our 30 hour offer links to your child's continuing education at Camelot School from 2020 when they will join the school's Reception year group.