



The Camelot

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Parent/Carer Survey 2022

Next week, all parents/carers will be sent an email with a link to the school's 2022 Parent/Carer Survey.

This survey is an essential part of Camelot School life and every year the priorities of the school; the decisions taken about staffing and playtimes and homework and how we spend our money and so much more are significantly influenced by the responses we receive in the Parent Survey.

This year, the survey will be online only and this is of concern to the school as in previous years we have not received as good a level of response from online surveys than paper version but....

next year, 2023 will be Ofsted Inspection Year for Camelot School and Ofsted inspectors only use online surveys. Camelot School is an exceptional school with many exceptional qualities but we rely on parents/carers telling others/inspectors/those who may not understand our unique school and therefore getting into the habit of doing this through the completion of an online survey will be so important for us going forward. Thank you

Exceptional News for Camelot School

Our Reception Class this September 2022 will be biggest Reception Class for over five years. At a time when our neighbouring schools are seeing their pupil numbers being reduced for a variety of reasons, it is great to see Camelot School going from strength to strength as the proven Peckham Primary School of choice in this area. There are some additional places in this Reception class and other year groups at this time and if you have family and friends keen for their child to attend Camelot you are encouraged to speak to Mr Robinson about this.

#ProvenPeckhamPrimary

Parent Governor Elections 2022

In May 2022, the school will have elections for a new Parent Governor.

Parent Governors significantly support the life of the school in fulfilling the roles and responsibilities requested of them. A full training programme is offered so no prior knowledge or experience is needed. Most important is the availability to attend meetings during and after the school day. Please consider whether you would be willing to stand and look out for the nominations letter next week. Thank you

Camelot Nursery from September 2022... continuing on the most exceptional offer in Southwark*

**Our Nursery offers free places for 35 hours a week,
5 days a week to every nursery aged child.**

**+ an exceptional everyday free healthy lunch everyday and all part of the
Camelot School family!**

Apply now via the school office or by contacting 07931615568

Why is Camelot School

#theonlyschool

- 35 hours free Nursery education for all pupils
- Free holiday provision for targeted pupils
- All pupils to receive a permanent laptop loan
- 3G astroturf football on site with qualified staff
- Uniform grants available for all pupils entitled to FSM/NRPF

Why is Camelot School

#No.1inLondon

- Camelot distributed the most food parcels to its families in Lockdown 2021 for the charity, School Food Matters
- The only primary school in Southwark with an Ofsted inspector as their headteacher.. and he evaluates the school as 'exceptional... everyday!'

Why is Camelot School

#exceptionaleveryday

- ⇒ ***"The lovely support during lockdown. Online learning. Being there for parents' children and community. Dedication, motivation, communication. Updated member of staff always there to help. Sense of belonging, caring attitude. Great teamwork by all."*** (Parents Survey 2021)
- ⇒ ***"They seem to have surpassed my expectations and all i can say is that they should keep up the good work. Camelot is a school I'd recommend any day, any time."***

CHAMPS 2022

For any queries
please contact
Mr Imran on
07931616456



Summer CHAMPS
2022 is planned
although a change
in funding means
we are in a 'fight' to
be able to continue
offer the same
provision to you all



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Camelot School
is the only
school in
Southwark
offering
free holiday
provision to its
pupils



New additions
to CHAMPS
included Cycle
Training & Hip
Hop Dance!



The plan is with necessary
funding support that we
invite Reception aged
children this Summer 2022

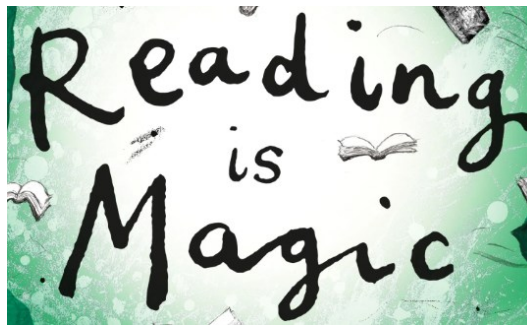


How is your child getting on with their **Reading?**

Are they beginning to read more with your support and interest at this time?

Are you noticing the benefits of any reading routine that you have introduced into their lives?

Do you notice their increased enjoyment of reading with you as you dedicate time to share listening to them reading as well reading them stories?



Flexible work opportunity supporting children with additional educational needs

Would you be interested in working at Camelot School as and when the needs of the school require additional adult support/ a temporary contract over the weeks and months ahead.

If this could be you, please contact Miss Raven in the school office or on email at sraven@camelot.southwark.sch.uk to complete a short application form and to complete a DBS clearance.

This work is likely to start in the next few weeks and to be required across the term ahead. Work will suit part-time and full-time applicants and will be paid in line with Southwark Council Teaching Assistants pay rates.

Camelot School is committed to the Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and we expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All posts are subject to pre-employment checks. References will be sought and successful candidates will need to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

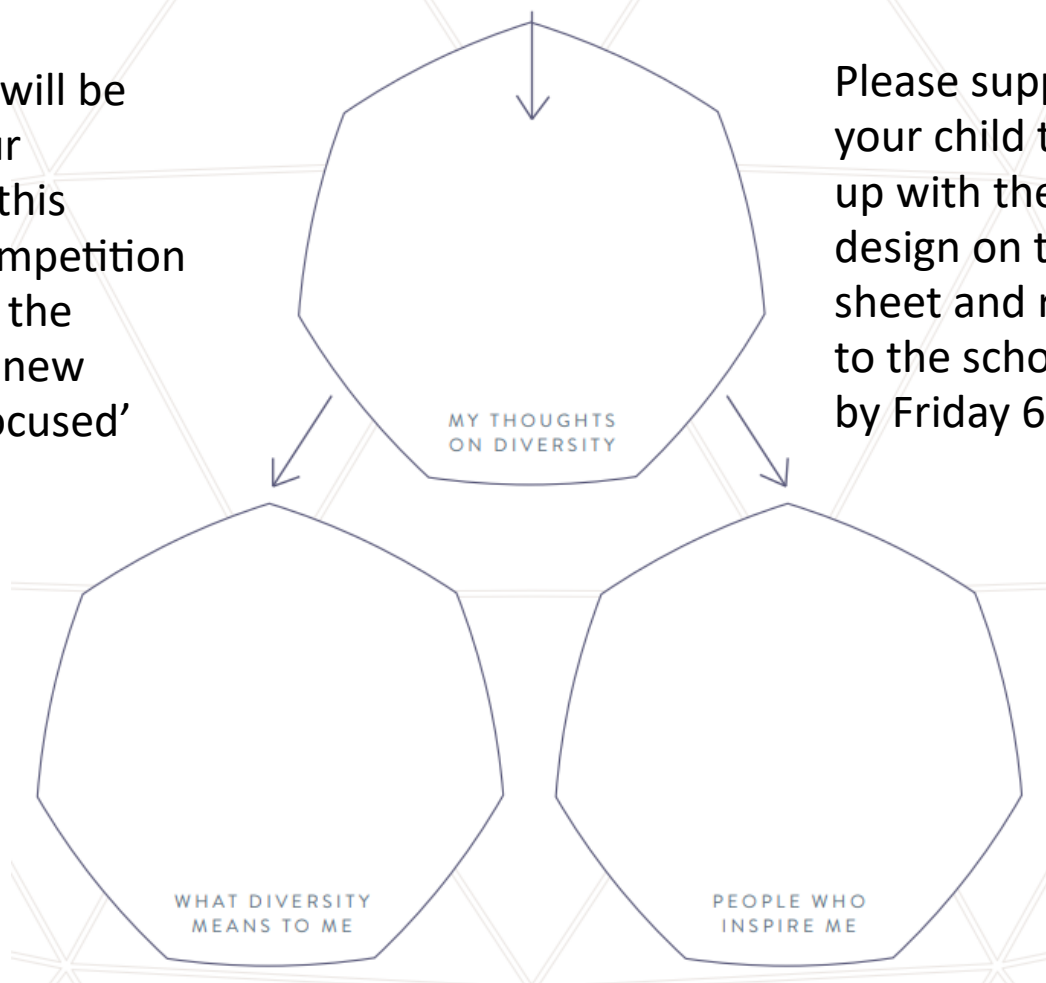
Design your Diversity 50p Coin

Think about what you'd like to say about diversity; what does it mean to you, and are there any people who champion diversity that you find inspiring?

Use this sheet to explore your ideas for your design. You can make sketches, write notes, or even stick down images you have found that made you think about diversity.

The school will be entering our winners of this national competition celebrating the design of a new 'diversity focused' 50p coin.

Please support your child to come up with their own design on this sheet and return it to the school office by Friday 6th May



Design your Diversity 50p Coin

Your child's name:

Year Group:



Please add a design or wording that you think celebrates British Diversity.. but maybe with a Camelot/ North Peckham community perspective.

Camelot School is the lead school for Southwark for promoting an education for our children that is racially literate and which certainly celebrates the diversity of our community.

#exceptionaleveryday

Please remember holidays are not expected to be taken during the 190 school days of a child's annual educational entitlement

Camelot School Term and Holiday dates

Academic year 2022/2023

Autumn term 2022

- Friday 2nd September 2022* to Friday 21st October 2022 (36 school days)
Half Term Monday 24th October 2022 to Friday 28th October 2022
- Tuesday 1st November 2022 to Friday 16th December 2022 (33 school days)
Mid-term Inset Day Friday 25th November 2022

** Please note Friday 2nd September is a planned transition day with an end of summer party after school for all children after their summer holidays. Pizzas and ice creams planned.*

Spring term 2023

- Tuesday 3rd January 2023 to Friday 10th February 2023 (29 school days)
Half Term Monday 13th February 2023 to Friday 17th February 2023
- Monday 20th February 2023 to Friday 31st March 2023 (30 school days)

Summer term 2023

- Monday 17th April 2023 to Friday 26th May 2023 (30 school days)
Half Term Monday 29th May 2023 to Friday 2nd June 2023
- Tuesday 7th June 2023 to Wednesday 19th July 2023 (32 school days)

Total number of days for children in school: 190

Inset Days: 5 days for staff only

Thursday 1st September 2022

Monday 31st October 2022

Friday 25th November 2022

Monday 6th June 2023

+ Twilight training – 1 session per term