

FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



Weekly newsletter
Friday 13th March 2026

Dear parents and carers,

We've been working really hard at school this week completing our assessments, the outcomes of which will be shared at our upcoming Parent Consultations on Wednesday 18th and Wednesday 25th March between 3pm and 6pm. As before, these meetings will all be held in the Omega hall. Please book your appointment slot with your child's class teacher using the Arbor app. Mrs Watkins also has some appointments available for you to discuss pastoral concerns, but please be reminded that these are completely optional.

Year 1's Sharing Assembly

This week, Year 1 treated us to a fantastic sharing assembly based on the story of The Three Little Pigs, linking beautifully to their learning in Science about different materials. The class performed wonderfully, acting out the well-known story with enthusiasm and confidence. It was lovely to see the children bringing their learning to life as they showed how the pigs built their houses from straw, sticks and bricks, and what happened when the wolf came along to test their strength! A big thank you goes to the Year 1 team — Ms. Siraj, Miss Meikle and Miss Maria — for their hard work in supporting the children and helping to create such an enjoyable and engaging assembly.

Summer Term Clubs

Just a reminder that club flyers and letters for the summer term are available on [our website](#) and bookings go live on Sunday 15th March at 8.00pm.

Emmanuel's Got Talent

As part of our continued aim to cherish and celebrate the diverse talents and strengths of our children, School Council are hosting Emmanuel's Got Talent again this year! The children in Years 1 to 6 have the opportunity to audition individually or in groups - whether it is singing, dancing, rapping, magic, comedy or gymnastics - whatever they can do in front of an audience for a maximum of 3 minutes. The auditions will take place in their classes on Tuesday 14th April with the top two acts judged by the School Council and their class mates going through to the final on Thursday 23 April. It's the hottest ticket in town and the parents and carers of the finalists will be invited to join. Thank you in advance for supporting your children with taking part in this event.

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

The Emmanuel Team

[Diary Dates](#) – click here for our school calendar

Here is a list of important dates for the Spring Term 2026:

Key:

	PFE events
	In-school events to which parents are invited
	Dates to note

Date	Event	Year group	Location
Tuesday 17 th March	St. Patrick's Day dress up	St. Patrick's House	
Wednesday 18 th March 3 – 6pm	Parent consultations	All	Hall
Thursday 19 th March 9.30am	Brass concert	Year 5 and 6	Hall
Friday 20 th March 2.30pm	Sharing assembly	Reception	Hall
Monday 23 rd March	Trip	Year 4	Camley Street
Wednesday 25 th March 3 – 6pm	Parent consultations	All	Hall
Thursday 26 th March 10am and 2pm	Easter Play	Year 3 and 4	Hall
Friday 27 th March 12.30pm	Finish school	All	

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	PFE events
	In-school events to which parents are invited
	Dates to note
	School closure

Date	Event	Year group	Location
Wednesday 15 th April	Trip to meet MP	School council	Houses of Parliament
Thursday 16 th April	Brass starts	Year 5 & 6	Hall
Friday 17 th April	Crick Workshops	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6	Classrooms
Monday 20 th April	Trip	Year 4	Science Museum
Tuesday 21 st April	NSPCC workshops	Year 2, 5 & 6	Classrooms
Thursday 23 rd April	St. George's Day dress up	St. George's House	
Thursday 23 rd April 2pm	Emmanuel's Got Talent final	Finalists	Hall
Wb Mondays 27 th April	Mock SATs	Year 6	Year 6 classroom
Friday 1 st May	Swimming gala	Some KS2 children	Swiss Cottage pool
Monday 4 th May	Bank holiday	All	
Wb Monday 11 th May	KS2 SATs week	Year 6	Various classrooms
Wb Monday 18 th May	KS1 SATs week	Year 2	Various classrooms
Monday 18 th May	EYFS IEP Meetings	Some EYFS children	Zoom
Wednesday 20 th May	IEP Meetings	Some KS1 & KS2 children	Zoom
Friday 22 nd May	INSET Day	All	
Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th May	Half term	All	
Wb Monday 1 st June	Multiplication tables check	Year 4	Classroom
Wb Monday 8 th June	Phonics screening check	Year 1	Classroom
Wb Monday 8 th June	Assessment week	All	
Saturday 13 th June 2-6pm	PFE Summer Fayre	All	
Monday 15 th June pm**	Outdoor learning	Year 4	Hampstead Heath
Wednesday 24 th June	Class photographs	All	Playground
Thursday 25 th June 9.30am	Brass concert	Year 5 and 6	Hall
Friday 26 th June am	Moving Up Day	All	
Wb Monday 29 th June	Diversity Week	All	
Wb Monday 29 th June	Swimming	Year 4	Swiss Cottage pool
Wednesday 1 st July 4.30 – 6.30pm	PFE International Evening	All	Omega playground
Thursday 2 nd July	Camden Secondary transition day	Some Year 6s	
Friday 3 rd July 2-3pm	Country Dancing	Year 1-6	MUGA
Wb Monday 6 th July	Swimming	Year 4	Swiss Cottage pool
Wednesday 8 th July 2pm & 5pm	End of Year production	Year 5 & 6	Hall
Friday 10 th July	Reports go out	All	
Wednesday 15 th July 2.30pm	Reception Graduation	Reception	Hall
Thursday 16 th July 2-3pm	Leavers' Service	Reception – Year 6	Emmanuel Church
Friday 17 th July 12.30pm	Break up for summer	All	
Monday 20 th July	INSET Day	All	

*Please note that some trips and events will be added over the course of the term

**Please note that this date has recently changed

School visionaries

Congratulations to these children for showing our school vision and values this week:

From Alpha to Omega - life in all its fullness. (John 10:10)



FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



'Life in all its fullness'

(JOHN 10:10)



Nursery: Livia and Eden

Reception: Sana and Zizi

Year 1: Hazel and Kabir

Year 2: Ava and Louis

Year 3: Maxi and Willow

Year 4: Aiden and Maeve

Year 5: Isla and Zoe

Year 6: Vivienne and Ava



PFE

PFE 2026 CHALLENGE – FUNDRAISING RESULTS!

£ Total Raised: **£1,453.30**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

A huge **WELL DONE** to every pupil and their families that took part in this year's PFE Challenge!

How the children raised money includes:

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|  Reading challenges |  Touch typing |
|  Making & selling bookmarks & artwork |  Car washing |
|  Helping at home with tasks & household chores |  Sponsored swimming & running |
|  Sponsored swimming & running |  Selling toys |
| |  Making & selling lemonade |

1st Place – Reception: £434.50

Our young fundraisers led the school with an incredible total – full of energy, enthusiasm and creativity! A big shout out to Herbie and Amelie for both reaching £100.

2nd Place – Year 6: £231.60

Year 6 impressed with their own brilliant mix of activities and commercial endeavours.

Both Reception and Year 6 will receive £60 each to spend on a classroom treat such as special stationery or games.





Amelia's Reading Adventure

Hello!
I'm Amelia, 5 years old,
and I'm on a reading
adventure!
I'm reading every
morning and evening to
help raise money for my
school.
Every little bit of support
means so much to me and
my friends!

As a sweet thank you,
please enjoy a jelly!

Thank you for cheering
me on!



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A message from the The Royal Central School of Speech and Drama

The Royal Central School of Speech and Drama is excited to invite your students to our Saturday Youth Theatre – a fun, practical, and creative space for 6 – 17 year olds to play, make theatre, and meet new friends!

Each week, students explore drama techniques like improvisation, voice, movement, and script work through games and exercises that build confidence, creativity and performance skills in a supportive environment. At the end of term, parents are invited to a sharing to celebrate the student's work.

We are currently offering a **free taster session on Saturday 28th March** so families can experience the class before securing their children's positions for the 9week course from April – June.

We'd love for you to share this opportunity with your students and their families!

Free Taster Session

6 – 11 year olds	11 – 17 year olds
Date: Saturday 28th March	Date: Saturday 28th March
Location: Royal Central School of Speech and Drama, Swiss Cottage, NW3	Location: Royal Central School of Speech and Drama, Swiss Cottage, NW3
Time: 10am –12pm	Time: 1pm – 4pm
Booking Link: https://shortcourses.cssd.ac.uk/book/add/p/275	Booking Link: https://shortcourses.cssd.ac.uk/book/add/p/276
Price: Free	Price: Free

Saturday Youth Theatre Spring Term

6 – 11 year olds	11 – 17 year olds
Date: Saturday 18th April – Saturday 13th June	Date: Saturday 18th April – Saturday 13th June
Location: Royal Central School of Speech and Drama, Swiss Cottage, NW3	Location: Royal Central School of Speech and Drama, Swiss Cottage, NW3
Time: 10am –12pm	Time: 1pm – 4pm
Booking Link: » The Royal Central School of Speech and Drama	Booking Link: » The Royal Central School of Speech and Drama
Course Fee: £250	Course Fee: £275

Bursary Places Available

We are committed to making this opportunity accessible to all families and we have Leverhulme funded **bursary places** are available each term. To be eligible, children must live in England and meet at least one of the following criteria:

- Are from a low income household (below £35,000 annual income)
- Are care experienced or currently in the care of a local authority
- Have a disability
- Have caring responsibilities

www.cssd.ac.uk/short-courses/saturday-youth-theatre.



Easter holiday cycle training for children

Free cycle training sessions for children during the half term break. The training is free of charge and is delivered over two days; however, booking is required to secure a place.

Aimed at children and young people aged 6 and above. We offer **Children Learn to Cycle** for children who cannot balance and want to learn how to balance and **Children Building Cycle Confidence** – for children who can ride and would like to prepare for on road cycling. These sessions will include how to start and stop safely, using gears, signalling and stopping in emergencies.

7 + 8 April 26	Children Building Cycle Confidence	10:00 - 11:00	
	Children Learn to Cycle	11:30 - 12:30	

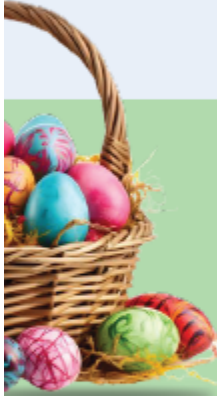
9 + 10 April 26	Children Building Cycle Confidence	10:00 - 11:00	
	Children Learn to Cycle	11:30 - 12:30	

VENUE: Haverstock School, 24 Haverstock Hill. Chalk Farm. NW3 2BQ

For more information, or to book onto a course please email - cycletraining@camden.gov.uk
Please state which set of dates and which course you would like to book, and you will be sent details on how to register.

**Please ensure you bring your own roadworthy bike.
There are some bikes available to borrow. But we cannot guarantee there will be a suitable bike for every rider.**

CAMDENFOODBANK URGENT EASTER DONATION APPEAL



Please help Camden Foodbank to feed local people in food crisis. In the year to March 25, Trussell foodbanks gave out 2.9 million crisis food parcels, **over a million of these emergency food parcels were given out to children.** With food inflation up by over 38% since 2020, many local people have fallen into food poverty. In 2025 Camden Foodbank supported 6,260 people with emergency parcels. **Please help Camden Foodbank this Easter by donating targeted food or money to support local adults and children living in food poverty.**

URGENT FOOD ITEMS !

- Easter Eggs
- Tinned Meat and Fish
- Tinned Vegetables
- Tinned Fruit
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Rice
- Pasta, Pasta Sauce
- Baked Beans
- Long Life Juice
- Long Life Milk
- Tea, Coffee and Sugar
- Cooking Oil
- Cereal
- Toothbrushes & Toothpaste
- Soap & Shower Gel
- Washing Up Liquid
- Laundry Powder
- Toilet paper

• DONATE MONEY THROUGH JUSTGIVING

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/camdenfoodbank>

Please select GIFT AID which will increase your donation.

• FOR CHEQUES / DIRECT DEBITS AND OTHER DONATION

<https://camden.foodbank.org.uk/support-us/donate-money>



JustGiving

• DONATE FOOD IN PERSON

DAY	TIME OPEN	ADDRESS
Tuesday & Friday	11:30am - 3pm	Camden Foodbank, 14 Pratt Mews, London NW1 0AD
Sunday	10am - 12pm	Camden Foodbank, 14 Pratt Mews, London NW1 0AD
Everyday	8am - 10pm	Camden Town Methodist Church, Wesley Hotel Camden Town, 89 Plender Street London NW1 0JN
Everyday	8am - 10pm	Wesley Euston Hotel, 81-103 Euston Street London NW1 2EZ
Thursday	10am - 6pm	St Mary-le-Savoy with St George German Lutheran Church, Sandwich Street London WC1H 9PL
Sunday	10am - 4pm	St Mary-le-Savoy with St George German Lutheran Church, Sandwich Street London WC1H 9PL

• DONATE BY ONLINE SHOPPING

DAY	TIME OPEN	ADDRESS
Tuesday & Friday	11:30am - 2:30pm	Camden Foodbank, 14 Pratt Mews London NW1 0AD

CAMDEN FOODBANK IS CLOSED FOR EASTER FROM 3RD APRIL 2026 AND REOPENS 7TH APRIL 2026.

Please Donate Here



Camden Foodbank 14 Pratt Mews, London NW1 0AD

☎ 07871248704 ✉ info@camden.foodbank.org.uk 🌐 <https://Camden.foodbank.org.uk>

Camden Foodbank registered charity in England and Wales 1213047

HEATH STREET BAPTIST

Join Emmanuel, Heath Street Baptist and students
from Vienna Baptistengemeinde Churches for:

EASTER HOLIDAY THEATRE WORKSHOP



When:
March 30 - April 3 2026



Where:
Emmanuel Church West Hampstead
Lyncroft Gardens, NW6 1JU



Time:
Breakfast: **8:30am** (included)
Workshop: **9am - 5pm**



Age:
8-80 years



Price:
£5 per day

Book your place now:
info@emmanuelnw6.com

Act - Design - Build - Create

For actors, writers, tech and
anyone who loves theatre!



**Performances on Good
Friday and Holy Saturday!**

www.emmanuelnw6.com



Camden's SEND Surgery



Come along to SEND and Inclusion drop-in sessions open to all parents and carers.

SEND officers, managers and services will be available to answer your questions and offer advice about SEND and inclusion in Camden.

Future dates and locations:

Date	Time	Location/School	Address & Map Link
23rd September 2025	10:30 – 12:30	Primrose Primary School	Princess Road, London NW1 8JL
11th November 2025	10:30 – 12:30	Haverstock Secondary School	24 Haverstock Hill, Chalk Farm, London NW3 2BQ
13th January 2026	10:30 – 12:30	Parliament Hill Secondary School	Highgate Road, London NW5 1RL
10th March 2026	10:30 – 12:30	West Hampstead Primary School	Dornfell Street, West Hampstead, London NW6 1QL
28th April 2026	17:00 – 19:00	Harmood School	Harmood Street, Camden, London NW1 8DP
16th June 2026	17:00 – 19:00	St Mary and St Pancras Primary School	81 Werrington Street, London NW1 1QP



Future dates can be found on families.camden.gov.uk/send-local-offer Events and Activities page



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CAMDEN ACTIVITY Program



**CHILDREN
6-12 YEARS OLD**

**THURSDAYS | 5 PM
£4 PER ENTRY**

VENUE

Steve Smith Hall Peabody – Cumberland Market
Redhill Street NW1 4AX

EMAIL FOR WEEKLY SIGN UP
FORM AND REGISTRATION INFO: INFO@TREASUREBOXINGCLUB.COM

NO PARKING Nearest Tube: Great Portland Street, Mornington Terrace, Camden Town and Warren St. Nearest Bus: 88 and 24