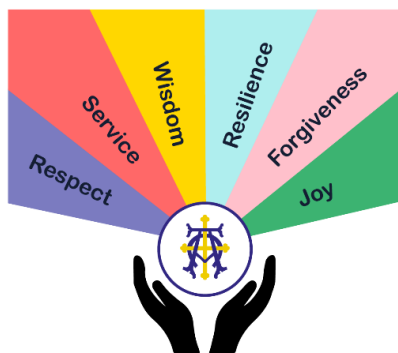


## FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



**‘Life in all its fullness’**

(JOHN 10:10)



Weekly newsletter  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear parents and carers,

I hope you had a lovely half-term holiday and enjoyed the sunny weather. The weather forecast is for the hot weather to continue into next week so please ensure your child has SPF applied before they come into school and they bring a sun hat and their water bottle each day. We are looking forward to an exciting half-term ahead; please do take a note of the dates of the events that will be happening in school before the end of term: <https://www.emmanuel.camden.sch.uk/calendar-page/>

### **Parent and carer workshop - Supporting children displaying challenging behaviours**

On Monday 12 June from 2-3pm in the Omega building, we are hosting a parent and carer workshop led by the Camden Learning Mental Health and Wellbeing team. They will be sharing information on:

- Identifying the root of some challenging behaviours
- Understanding how the brain and body responds in moments when we are triggered
- Proactive and preventative strategies to manage challenging behaviours
- Reflecting on our own childhood experiences and how that might impact on how we respond, as parents, to challenging situations

To register, please click on [this link](#) or email [wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk](mailto:wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk)

### **EYFS Sports Day - Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

We are looking forward to our sports day for Nursery and Reception children on Wednesday at 1.45pm in the Omega playground. On the day, children can come into school wearing navy shorts, trainers and their house-colour t-shirt. We warmly invite all parents and family members to join us on this fun-filled afternoon and children can be collected straight after the event to go home.

### **Windrush Day**

2023 sees the 75th anniversary of the HMT Empire Windrush arriving in Britain on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1948. Windrush Day has become a key symbolic moment in the story of the Black British contribution to this country and the broader post-war migration from across the Commonwealth and beyond that has helped create the modern Britain that we share today. At Emmanuel, we will be marking this important event by talking to children about the history of Windrush, the stories of the people that arrived and how this has affected both their lives and the wider impact it has had on the United Kingdom. If you would like to share a personal story about Windrush, please do get in contact with your child's class teacher; we would love to hear from you! Alternatively, if you wish to celebrate this milestone with your children, please see Camden's resources [here](#); where there is a wealth of information and events.

### **Parent volunteers needed!**

Year 5 are currently studying 'faith and belonging in the local area' in RE; learning about the diverse faith groups that our school community belong to. As part of their learning, it would be wonderful if any parents (from different faith groups) would be willing to come and talk to the class about their faith and belonging. Please do email the office if you are interested in volunteering.

### Free school meals

Please do check to see if your child/ren is/are eligible for free school meals and apply today at [camden.gov.uk/free-school-meals](https://camden.gov.uk/free-school-meals) - it could save you over £500 a year and will give them access to extra support too. If your child is eligible but you prefer to make them a packed lunch, please still sign them up because our school will receive vital funding. This will remain important next academic year when all primary school children are due to receive free school meals funded by the Mayor of London.

### Secondary transition event

Parents of pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6 are invited to the [Camden Moving On to Secondary School Event](#), which is being held at the [Francis Crick Institute](#), in King's Cross, on Thursday, 21 September, with staggered entry times between 4.15pm and 6.45pm. [Register to attend here](#). This event is your opportunity to:

- Receive advice on how to apply and the admissions process from the Camden admissions team
- Find out more about what Camden secondary schools have to offer your child
- Speak with headteachers, student ambassadors and staff from Camden secondary schools

### Polio/MMR Campaign

In response to the findings of the polio virus in sewage in London boroughs last summer, the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JCVI), has advised that all children should be up-to-date with the polio vaccine. Measles cases are also increasing in London and children should be up-to-date with completion of 2 doses of MMR vaccine. The NHS in London is therefore offering polio vaccinations and measles, mumps and rubella (MMR) to unvaccinated or partially-vaccinated children aged 1 to 11. The NHS School Aged Immunisation Team will be contacting the parents of children who are not fully vaccinated to discuss whether your child will be offered a school-based vaccination or a clinic appointment.

### Attendance

Our school target for attendance is 96%. This week, well done to Year 5!

Class	Attendance
Nursery	91.3%
Reception	97.9%
Year 1	94.6%
Year 2	96.7%
Year 3	95.3%
Year 4	94.3%
Year 5	99%
Year 6	97.1%
School	96%

Wishing you and your family a lovely weekend,  
Miss Burns and the Emmanuel team

## 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)**

Gonzalo and Leah in Nursery  
Vinnie and Hugh in Reception  
Elsi and Benjamin in Year 1  
Zoe and Yasmine in Year 2  
Ella N and Paris in Year 3  
Ben K and Gabriella in Year 4  
Sarup and Felix in Year 5  
Susannah and Luci In Year 6





## Diary Dates

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
12	13	14	15	16
		Y1 Phonics Screening Check		
		Y4 Multiplication Check		
		1.45pm EYFS sports day		
19	20	21	22	23
Class photos			Windrush – 75th Anniversary	

## Summer Holiday Playscheme

We are now taking bookings for our Summer Holiday Playscheme.

Book your spot today, scan the QR code on the right!



[www.paceforall.com/forms](http://www.paceforall.com/forms)



9 JUNE 2023

# PFE HAPPENINGS

## ORDER YOUR DOUGHIE'S PIZZAS BY 24 JUNE!

Just a reminder that we are once again offering the amazing Doughie's pizza and cookie dough, with delivery scheduled for FRIDAY, 30 JUNE.



**SEE ATTACHED FLYER TO LEARN MORE AND ORDER NOW:**

**[HTTPS://DOUGHIES.CO.UK/PRODUCTS/EMMANUEL-NW6](https://doughies.co.uk/products/emmanuel-nw6)**



## SAVE THE DATE: THURSDAY, 6 JULY

Emmanuel's much-loved INTERNATIONAL EVENING is back! Mark your diary and start planning what you might like to share from your culture.

## THANKS TO THE STUDENTS WHO SUBMITTED A PFE LOGO IDEA!

JUDGING WILL BEGIN SOON -  
STAY TUNED FOR UPDATES.

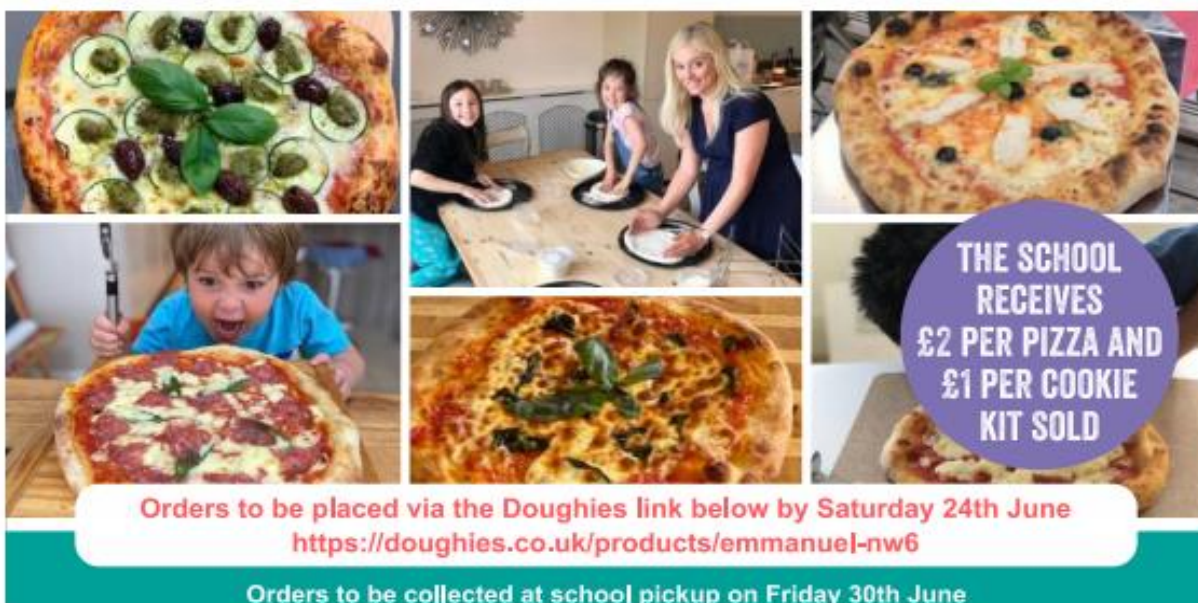




# PIZZA & COOKIE EVENING

## FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

We've teamed up with Doughies for a fun family night in. Order your pizza & cookie making kits and you'll receive everything you need to make artisan margherita pizzas (**regular or vegan**), and warm gooey cookies in your home oven.



Orders to be placed via the Doughies link below by Saturday 24th June  
<https://doughies.co.uk/products/emmanuel-nw6>

Orders to be collected at school pickup on Friday 30th June



**£6.50  
PER PIZZA  
KIT**

**£4.50  
PER COOKIE  
KIT  
(MAKES  
5 COOKIES)**

**EACH KIT MAKES 1 X 12" PIZZA  
AND INCLUDES:**

- 01** 1 Fresh dough ball perfect for baking that evening, or within 48 hours
- 02** 80 grams of special tomato pizza sauce
- 03** 80 grams of fresh, cubed mozzarella (or vegan mozzarella)
- 04** 10 grams of grated Parmesan cheese for an added depth of flavour
- 05** A pouch of stretching flour to help stretch your dough balls

### COOKIE OPTIONS:

- 01**  
**Chocolate brownie**
- 02**  
**Chocolate Chip**
- 03**  
**Oat and Raisin**



**Bring the family together for a fun mealtime activity**

Each kit includes printed instructions, and the Doughies website contains videos and tips to help you stretch and cook the perfect home oven pizza





**BOOK YOUR SESSION NOW ON EVENTBRITE!**



**07 AUG  
—  
01 SEPT**

# **KIDS CULTURE CLUB**

**FOR BOYS & GIRLS  
5-11 YEARS OLD**



## **ACTIVITIES:**

- African Drumming Workshop
- Origami & Calligraphy
- European Sports & Games
- Learning Salsa & Bhangra dance
- Jewellery & Tribal mask making
- African & Asian food tasting
- Kimonos & Saree's Theatre
- Nature exploration
- Tons more world games



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