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## Weekly newsletter Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September

Dear parents and carers,

On behalf of the governing body, I am thrilled to share with you our new school vision and values:

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Please see the letter emailed to parents and carers today for more information.

### Meet the teacher

Thank you to all those parents and carers who attended the 'Meet the teacher' meetings this week; I hope you found them useful. If you were unable to attend, the presentations used are saved <a href="here">here</a> on our website. The 'Meet the teacher' for **Nursery** class will be on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 2.45pm and on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September at 2.45pm for **Reception** class.

### Monday 19th September

A reminder that school will be closed on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September to honour the funeral of HM Queen Elizabeth II.

### **Transition for Nursery and Reception**

Nursery's normal school hours will begin on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September: 9.05am-12.05pm for children who are in school for 15 hours and 9.05am-3.05pm for children who will attend school for 30 hours.

### Secondary school transition

To support parents and carers thinking about secondary transition, there is lots of information on our school <u>website</u> and also:

- See the flyer further down in this newsletter for information on open days being held in Camden secondary schools during September and October. There is also a short film about Camden secondary schools <a href="here">here</a>.
- If you are attending an open morning/afternoon with your child, please complete this form and send it to the school office. Only the morning/afternoon absence will be authorised and children are expected to be in school before or after the visit.
- Emmanuel is hosting a 'Meet the parents' event on Wednesday 5th October from 6 to 7pm in the school hall. There will be a panel of children and parents/carers representing their secondary school; providing you with an up-to-date and honest account of their education experience. Please come along and join the discussion. Registration will be in advance via <a href="Eventbrite">Eventbrite</a>. For more information about 'Meet the Parents', see their <a href="website">website</a>.

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### **Polio vaccinations**

A reminder that children aged 6 to 9 years old in London are currently being offered a dose of polio vaccine. Please see <u>this link</u> to see the clinics where this is available. Thank you to Sergio Sawh for this information!

### Attendance

Congratulations to Year 5 for their attendance this week.

Class	Attendance
Nursery	95.17%
Reception	96.10%
Year 1	95.97%
Year 2	97.38%
Year 3	97.61%
Year 4	97.55%
Year 5	98.77%
Year 6	96.11%

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

## Our 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)



Jenuli and Rashann in Nursery, Laolu and Hugh in Reception Anna and Millie in Year 1 Maya and Dhilan Year 2 Oscar and Ava in Year 3 Seb and Anthony in Year 4 Oscar and Luken in Year 5 Anna-Mia and Neveah in Year 6

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## **Diary Dates**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
19	20	21	22	23
Bank holiday Monday – school closed.	Years 1-6 PE – Come to school in PE kit		First Brass Lesson for Year 5 and 6	
			Nursery Meet the Teacher	
26	27	28	29	30
Year 6 Swimming	Year 6 Swimming	Year 6 Swimming	Year 6 Swimming	Year 6 Swimming
Reception Class Meet the Teacher	Years 1-6 PE – Come to school in PE kit			

### **From Mother Helen**

Dear all, the death of HM Queen Elizabeth II has brought up complicated - and maybe surprising - feelings for many, especially as we are still processing our grief from the Covid pandemic. At Emmanuel church we continue to hold a space for quiet reflection and candle lighting, where there is also a book of condolence which will stay open until after the Queen's funeral on Monday. You are welcome to avail yourself of either of these. I am always available to chat through anything at all. Have a very peaceful bank holiday weekend. With my prayers, Mthr Helen.

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Welcome to new families, welcome back to returning ones! Parents and Friends of Emmanuel (PFE) is a registered charity that brings together parents, carers, staff, and the community to raise funds for our school. Last year, we purchased science equipment, instruments, and more - and we're excited for the year ahead!

# HOW YOU CAN JOIN

Parents and carers at Emmanuel are automatically members of PFE. And there are lots of opportunities to get further involved attending meetings, joining committees, volunteering, and more. Come to our AGM to learn all about it.

# **AGM: 30 SEPTEMBER**

9AM at David's Deli

Join us to meet new people, vote in the officers, learn what's planned, and share ideas.

## **HOW YOU CAN HELP NOW**

The PFE participates in online fundraising programs including Amazon Smile. If you've not already, simply visit

www.smile.amazon.co.uk and select
Parents and Friends of Emmanuel
School as your charity. We also use
EasyFundraising; details are on the
school website.





Finally, ask your employer if they offer a charitable matching scheme. That provides a quick and easy way to boost our group's impact!

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# Choosing a secondary school in Camden **Open events 2022**



### Acland Burghley School

Burghley Road, London NW5 1UJ 020 7485 8515 www.aclandburghley.camden.sch.uk



Open evening: Wednesday 21 September from 5.30pm Open mornings: 19, 20, 21, 22 September from 9am Sixth Form: Thursday 24 November, 5.30 to 8pm at William Ellis and Parliament Hill Schools (pre-registration is required - see the school website or www.laswap.camden.sch.uk)

### Hampstead School

Westbere Road, London NW2 3RT 020 7794 8133 www.hampsteadschool.org.uk



Open evening: Tuesday 11 October, 5pm Open mornings; 20, 27 September; 4, 11, 18 October Sixth Form: Thursday 10 November, 5pm

### The UCL Academy

Adelaide Road, London NW3 3AQ 020 7449 3080 www.uclacademy.co.uk



Open evening: Tuesday 13 September and 11 October, 5 to 7pm Open mornings: 16, 21 September and 5 October, 9 to 10.30am. Please call to book appointments.

Sixth Form: Tuesday 1 and 15 November, 5 to 7pm

### Parliament Hill School

Highgate Road, London NW5 1RL 020 7485 7077



www.parliamenthill.camden.sch.uk

Open evening: Thursday 29 September, 5 to 7.30pm Open mornings: 4, 5, 6 October, 9 to 10.30am Sixth Form: Thursday 24 November, 5.30 to 8pm at William Ellis and Parliament Hill Schools (pre-registration is required – see the

### La Sainte Union

Highgate Road, London NW5 11RP 020 7428 4600 www.lasainteunion.org.uk



Open evening: Thursday 22 September, 4 to 7pm

school website or www.laswap.camden.sch.uk)

Open days: By appointment 3-7 October. Advance booking will be required. Please check the school website for further information and booking form.

Sixth Form: Thursday 24 November, 5.30 to 8pm at William Ellis and Parliament Hill Schools (pre-registration is required – see the school website or www.laswap.camden.sch.uk)

### Camden School for Girls

Sandall Road, London NWS 2DB 020 7485 3414 www.csg.school



Open evening: Monday 19 September, 5pm Open mornings: 14 and 16 September 2022, 9am Sixth Form: Tuesday 22 November 2022. Tickets will be available from 1 October 2022. Please check website nearer the time

Banding assessment registration: register online by Tuesday, 20 September, 12 noon

#### Haverstock School

24 Haverstock Hill, London NW3 2BQ 020 7267 0975



www.haverstock.camden.sch.uk

Please check the school calendar or contact the school for the arrangements of Sixth Form events

Open mornings with tour of classrooms: Drop in on any Thursday, 9 to 10am from 15 September to 20 October

### Maria Fidelis School FJC

1-39 Drummond Crescent, London NW1 1LY



www.mariafidelis.camden.sch.uk

Open evening: Thursday 6 October, 4 to 6pm Open mornings: Starting from 13 September every Tuesday from 9.30am to 10.30am

Sixth Form: Please check the school calendar or contact the school for the arrangements of Sixth Form events

### Regent High School

Chalton Street, London NW1 1RX 020 7387 0126 www.regenthighschool.org.uk



Open mornings: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 October at 9am Sixth Form: Thursday 17 November, 4 to 6pm

### William Ellis School

Highgate Road, London NW5 1RN 020 7267 9346 www.williamellis.camden.sch.uk



Open evening: Thursday 29 September, 6 to 8pm Open mornings: 4, 5, 11 October, 9 to 10.30am Sixth Form: Thursday 24 November, 5.30 to 8pm at William Ellis and Parliament Hill Schools (pre-registration is required – see the school website or www.laswap.camden.sch.uk)

### Camden Moving On to Secondary School event for parents of Year 5 and Year 6 pupils

Held on Wednesday, 28 September, from 4pm to 6.30pm at Arlington House, 220 Arlington Road, NW1 7HE.

Please register at Eventbrite (search for 'Camden Moving On')

While most Camden secondary schools still plan to have open events for parents and the details below were correct at the time of going to print, these arrangements could change or the events may be held 'virtually online - please check the school's and Camden Council's website for the most up to date information.



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