



**WELCOME  
TO  
CAMDEN SCHOOL  
FOR GIRLS!**









# *'Onwards and upwards'*

## Our school motto



The school was founded in 1871 by Frances Mary Buss. She was one of the great pioneer's of women's education. You will see her blue plaque on the side of the school building in Sandall Road.



# Founder's Day

- We celebrate Founder's Day on the last day of Spring Term and remember Frances Mary Buss as well as all the benefactors and past headteachers of our school.
- Students create and wear a posy composed of a daffodil and other flowers. The daffodil was Miss Buss's favourite flower.
- The whole school celebrates with some wonderful songs and we listen to speeches from the Headteacher and the Head Girls and Head Boy. It's a very special occasion.





# Founder's Day





# Key members of staff



**Ms Kitcatt  
Headteacher**



**Ms Derrar  
Deputy Headteacher &  
Designated Safeguarding Lead**



**Ms Toman  
Assistant Headteacher**



**Mr Graham  
Deputy Headteacher**



**Ms Man  
Deputy Designated  
Safeguarding Lead**



**Ms Pringle  
SENDCo**

# Year 7 Head of Year and Form Tutors



**Ms Manas**  
**Head of Year 7**



**Ms Pinder**  
**7C**



**Ms Geilinger**  
**7M**



**Ms King**  
**7M**



**Ms Garcia**  
**7T**



# Our friendly Reception team

- Ms Chohan, Ms Caufield & Ms Clark (right) are here at Reception to welcome you and help you with any questions you might have.





# The School Building



**Each day will start in your form room with your form tutor.  
Don't worry you will quickly learn to find your way around!**





# The School Library



**Our School Librarian, Ms Green, is always on hand to help. Our pet gerbils live in the library as well and enjoy the attention at break and lunch time!**





## Music facilities



# Science labs





# Art & Pottery





## MUGA court & gym



Our recently refurbished state of the art multi usage games area (above)

We also have a fantastic gym and use Canteloves Park which is just a short walk away.





# School Hall

On a Monday the whole of Main School (Years 7 – 11) meet in the Main Hall for an assembly. Year 7 will have their own assembly once a week too.



# Sixth Form House



**Our Sixth Form is in a separate building and it is mixed boys and girls. You will see the Sixth Formers during the school day as they also have lessons in Main School.**





# Outside space for break time



**Table tennis, picnic benches, spinning chairs – so much to discover!**







**The subjects you will study include English and drama, mathematics, science, geography, history, modern foreign languages, theology and philosophy, art, music, design technology (food, resistant materials and textiles), ICT, physical education and personal, social, health and economic education. In modern languages you will study French and Spanish in parallel for the first half term. You will decide which language to study from after half term. In Year 8, all students study Classics and at the end of Year 8 students are offered the choice for Year 9 of studying Latin or continuing study of classical civilization.**



# Productions





# LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS!





# School Trips

The Design Museum, The Roundhouse and The Docklands are just some of the trips that have taken place recently. We hope to be able to organise some exciting trips for you as well. The school also offers trips further afield, for example, to Devon.





# King's Cross





# The Docklands





# Lord's Cricket Ground





# The Roundhouse





# Devon





# Visitors

Astronaut Nicole Stott





# Fundraising

Fundraising for those in need is very important at CSG. Some of the organisations we have helped include Crisis at Christmas, Refuge, The Stroke Association, Lepra, Young Minds, Save the Children & The British Heart Foundation.





# Fundraising - PINK Week

Every October the school turns **pink** in aid of Breast Cancer Care. In 2019 over £3,000 was raised. It's lots of fun!





# Macmillan Coffee morning

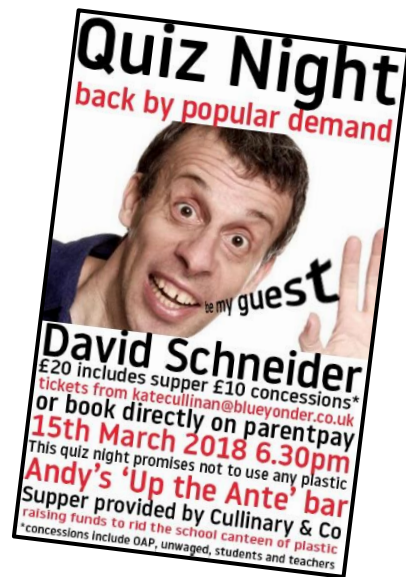






Camden School  
Community Association

CASCA is the school's parent and community association. Every year they organise events to raise money for the school including the Jumble Sale, the Quiz Night, Dramstock!, the Table Top Sale and SummerFest. CASCA also organise the annual Dance-a-Thon (pictured right)





## Some sound advice from our current Year 7s

If you get lost - that's fine!  
On my 3rd day I walked into the wrong classroom for DT because I thought there was only one DT at one time: Then I found out there were more!

My advice is not to be scared or sad if there isn't many/any of your friends from primary school in your form - there are so many other people you can be friends with, and it's probably good because if there are loads of people in your form that you know you won't expand and meet new people.

Join as many clubs as you can they are really fun!

Make friends in different forms as it is good to know that you have others outside your class.

Be yourself and be kind and sociable to everyone you meet!

You might not stay with the friend/friends you make on the first day but keep trying!! You will definitely find someone who is loyal to you and wants to be your friend!



Try not to get too worried about your first day/week as everyone is very supportive and friendly. Also, if you have a problem make sure to go to any member of staff you feel comfortable with especially form tutors as they are always happy to help

I would also recommend trying your hardest at all the schoolwork you do and all the schoolwork you are given, and make a good first impression

My advice is try and talk to as many people as you can in first few weeks because it will be easier when everyone is new than if you don't.

1. Just be yourself.
2. Make friends in different forms as it is good to know that you have others outside your class.
3. Try as many clubs as possible as you can make friends through that.

Try to be optimistic and join lots of clubs because then you meet lots of new people not only in your year but also in the years above which is really nice

Try talking to people and get comfortable with them, it doesn't matter if you don't have friends who you know. Try to be nice to everyone and have a good reputation towards the teachers. There is nothing to really worry about, just be you and have fun



**We look forward to  
seeing you in  
September!**



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