

Banding arrangements for 2023 at Camden School for Girls

1. A four band scheme is designed to achieve four approximately equal ability bands.
2. These will be measured by using GL Assessment Cognitive Ability Tests (CATs).
3. We use four assessments, namely the non-verbal, verbal, quantitative and spatial assessments.
4. The time involved is approximately 20 minutes for each of the CATs and additional time for a warm up 'practice', breaks and administration. The total time required is 2 hours.
6. GL Assessment marks the students' scripts. There is no involvement by the school or the Local Authority in arriving at scores.
7. If siblings in one band outnumber places (i.e. exceeded 30), something all but inconceivable, they will still be guaranteed entry and will be placed in the next higher/lower band on an alternating basis.