

Camden School for Girls





Top 10 non-selective state schools for Oxbridge Admissions

Sunday Times League Table 2021

Top 10 comprehensive and partially selective school in the UK

Sunday Times Parent Power 2022



History of Camden School for Girls

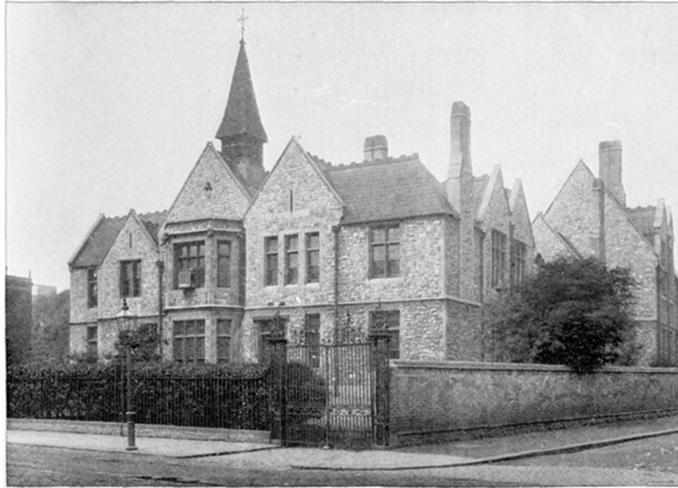
Frances Mary Buss is recognised as a pioneer in girls' education and in teacher training. Her pupils were amongst the first girls to take public examinations and to go to university, and many went on to become pioneers themselves. Her school became the model for girls' schools throughout the country and indeed the world.



History of Camden School for Girls



1871
46 Camden Street



1878
Prince of Wales Road



1956
Sandall Road



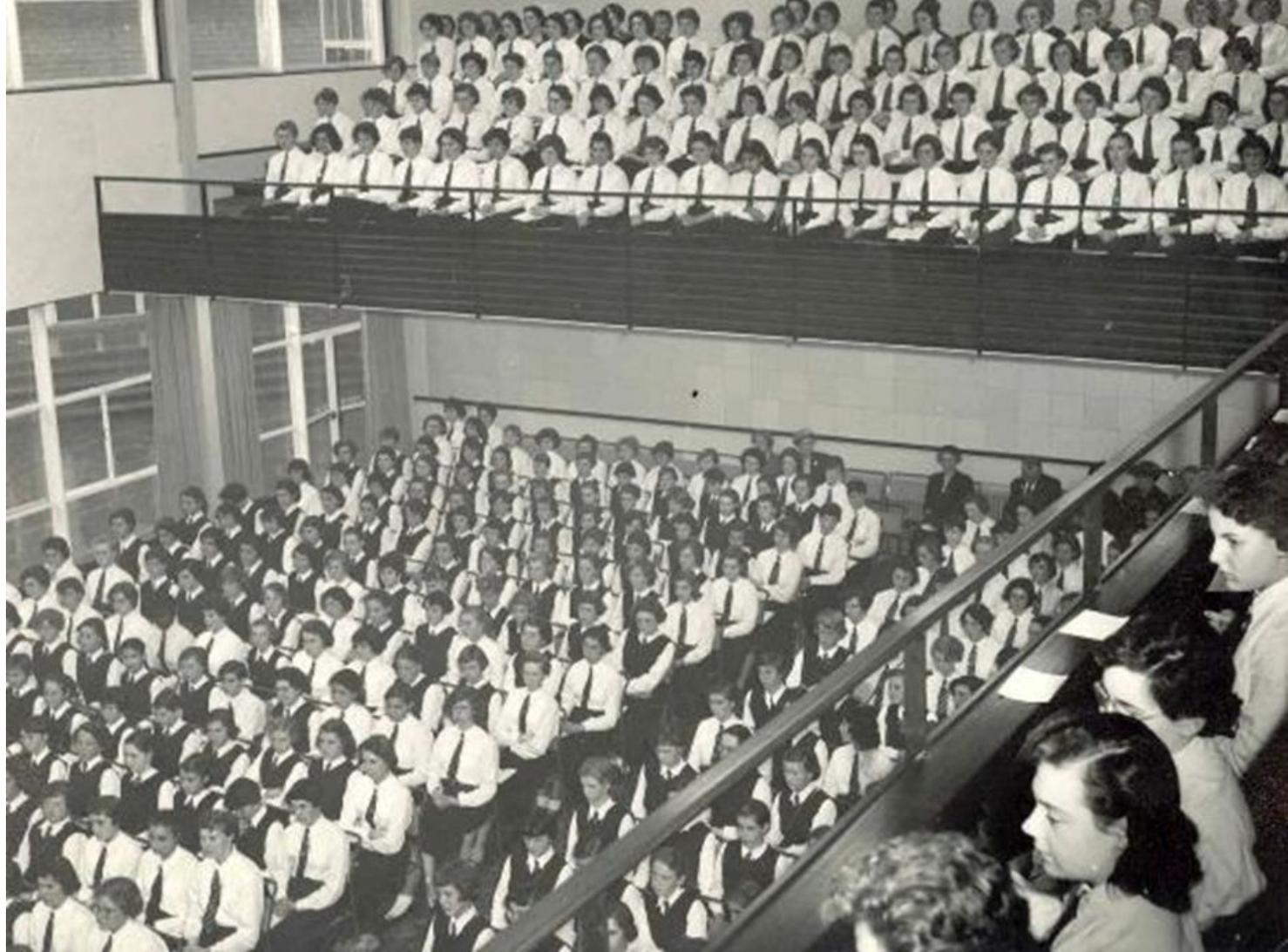
The Clothworkers' Hall
Circa 1900





1956

Opening ceremony at
Sandall Road in the
presence of HRH
Duchess of
Gloucester (Alice)





Curriculum

Key Stage 3

English and Drama

Mathematics

Science

Geography

History

Classics (from Year 8)

Latin (from Year 9)

French or Spanish

Theology

Design Technology

Computing

PE

PSHEE



Curriculum

Key Stage 4 - GCSE

25 Subjects

including Triple Science, Further Maths, Classics, Latin, Ancient Greek, Sociology and many more

Key Stage 5 - Sixth Form

22 A Levels and the EPQ



Camden School for Girls Results 2022

GCSE

- Grades 9-7 59% (National: 26%)
- Grades 9-5 88% (National: 58%)
- Grades 9-4 95% (National: 73%)

Attainment of the top grades is at a record high, higher than both CAGs and TAGs at Grades 9-7, in addition to:

- 23% of all grades at a Grade 9 (7% Nationally)
- 9 students achieved eight or more Grade 9s
- 30 students achieved eight or more Grades 9-8

Progression:

English and Maths: 96% students gained 9 - 4 and 87% gained 9 - 5

Camden School for Girls Results 2022

A Level

- Percentage A* 28% (National 15%)
- Percentage A* - A 56% (National 36%)
- Percentage A* - B 83% (National 62%)

The proportion of students achieving the highest grades is the highest in 5 years of formal examinations, almost doubling our own A*s in 2019.

In addition, we have:

- 29 students achieving straight A* grades
- 89 students achieving straight A* - A grades.

19 of our students who are going on to study at Oxford or Cambridge

22 of our students are going to Art Schools, including Central St Martins and Camberwell.

Pastoral Care

Tutors and Head of Year

Learning Mentors

School councillors

Art Therapist

Educational Psychologist

Mental Health Support Team

Onsite CAMHS counsellor

Education welfare officer



Personal Development

Extensive extracurricular programme

Whole school events

Host of trips

Summer Activities

Competitions - poetry, art, debating, maths,...

Music Ensembles

Sports - athletics competitions, interform sports, boxing,...

Ecology, sustainability and climate



Camden Schools Community Association - CASCA



Camden School
Community Association

The Admissions Process

120 places are offered representing the full range of ability.

Applicants sit a banding assessment and are placed in one of four ability bands.

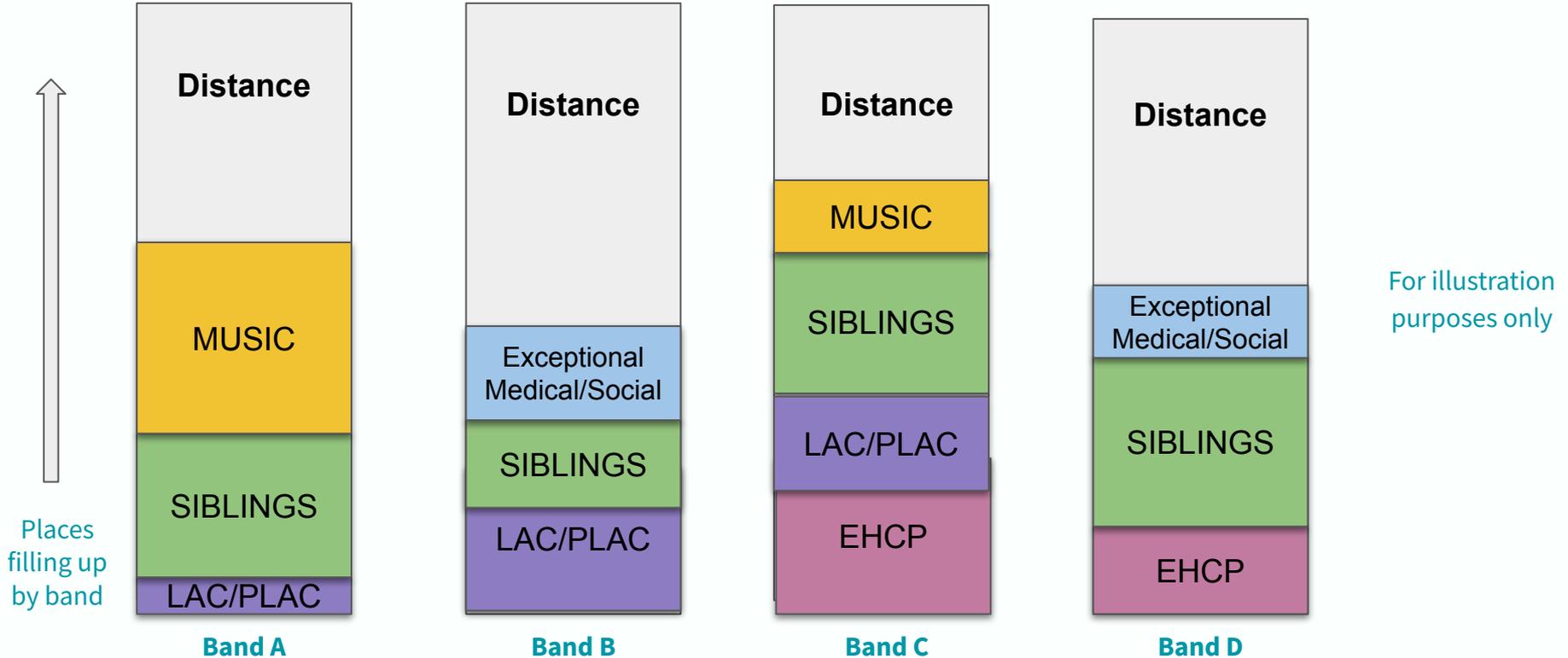
30 places are offered in each band in the following priority:

1. A statement of special educational needs (EHCP)
2. Looked after and previously looked after children
3. Siblings (to qualify the older sibling must be on roll still in September 2023)
4. Exceptional medical or social need
5. Musical aptitude and / or ability
6. Distance

In addition to the banding (and music assessment if relevant) you must complete an e-admissions application. This is where you list your 6 school choices in order of preference. The deadline is October 31 2022.



The Admissions Process visual example



Music Places

8 music places are offered in total. 3 in music aptitude and 5 in music aptitude and ability.

Applicants sit a music aptitude assessment - a multiple choice listening aptitude test in music. Results for the assessment are emailed on Friday 7 October. The 3 highest scoring are offered a place and the next 50 highest scoring are invited to audition.

Auditions last 5 minutes in total and up to 2 instruments can be played. Voice is considered an instrument. The 5 highest scoring out of the 50 who audition are offered a place.

Results from the music auditions are shared on Friday 21 October including waiting lists positions for both the music aptitude and the music aptitude and ability processes and any declined places are filled from this lists in rank order. Anyone on these lists that applies to the school who is not successful is considered under the Distance criterion instead unless applying under a higher criteria.



Key dates

Banding Assessments

- Wednesday 21 September 2pm
- Saturday 24 September 8.15am or 8.45am, 12.15pm or 12.45pm

Register online on school website before deadline **Wednesday 21 September** at midday

Results shared via email on or before Monday 24 October

Music Aptitude Assessments

- Wednesday 28 September 4.30pm
- Thursday 29 September 4.30pm

Results shared via email on or before Friday 7 October. Music Auditions held on 13 & 14 October.

E-admissions application deadline: 31 October 2022. Offers made on 1st March 2023.

Thank you

