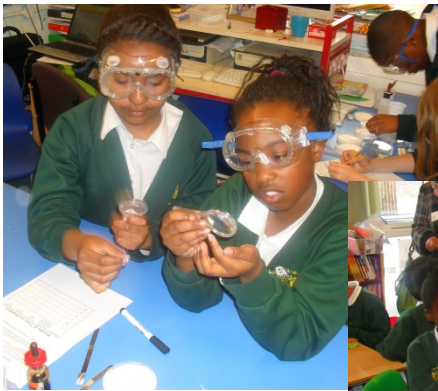




ST MICHAEL AT BOWES CE JUNIOR SCHOOL Year 3 admission for September 2021





OUR VISION STATEMENT

‘An Inclusive Christian Community
building on firm foundation for
successful lives.’





MISSION STATEMENT

St Michael at Bowes is a Church of England school, which reflects Christian values

- ▶ We believe that every child should have a happy, safe, secure and disciplined environment in order that all children may thrive and reach their full potential
- ▶ We are committed towards an environment that reflects our Christian values and provides equal opportunities for all members of the school community
- ▶ We strive for continual progress and development with the purpose of improving standards, raising attainment and enhancing the quality of teaching and learning

RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL

- ▶ St Michael at Bowes is a Rights Respecting school. We use the United Nations Convention on the Rights of a child (UNCRC) and our Christian values to underpin our ethos



RESPECT

CARING

CO-OPERATION

FAIRNESS

HONESTY

RESILIENCE



OUR SCHOOL



- ▶ We cater for the needs of children between 7 and 11 years old
- ▶ 12 classes, 3 for each of the junior age range
- ▶ 48 languages other than English are spoken
- ▶ Work with other school via EPHA, ELC and HEP
- ▶ Teachers and support staff work closely together
- ▶ Inclusion Manager
- ▶ Clubs
- ▶ Parent Pay/school meals no longer free until on FSM
- ▶ Maintenance Fund
- ▶ We are very much a family that works together in partnership and work very closely with the neighbouring school; Tottenham infants.

OUR SCHOOL DAY

- ▶ Breakfast club starts: 7.45 a.m.
- ▶ School starts: 8.30 a.m.
- ▶ Gates in the playground will open at 8.15 a.m.
- ▶ End of the school day: 3.15 p.m. (**Mondays to Thursdays**)
- ▶ **School closes at 1.00 p.m. on FRIDAYS**
- ▶ Super Stars Sports After School Club at Tottenham 3.15 p.m. - 5.45 p.m.
- ▶ On Fridays, clubs run either by staff or outside agencies for pupils who need to remain on the premises until 3.15pm. There will be a charge for these, which will vary depending on the club (Between £5-£7)

OUR CURRICULUM & LEARNING

- ▶ We teach all the National Curriculum (2014) subjects
- ▶ Half termly topics. History and Geography led
- ▶ MFL - French taught through iLanguages scheme
- ▶ Language of the term - celebration of community languages
- ▶ Learning well scaffolded and supported to allow all pupils to thrive and make good progress from their starting points
- ▶ Interventions and challenge groups
- ▶ PE - two hours per week. Additional sporting events throughout the year and sports clubs after school.
- ▶ Swimming - Year 5
- ▶ Home learning. Some weekly (deliberate practice, pre-reading), some termly (projects and home learning grid)

Last available KS2 data

- ▶ **Well above National** in Reading, Writing and Maths. **Top 3% of primary schools in the country.**
- ▶ SMAB performed extremely well in the overall performance table of 95 schools in Enfield at the end of KS2 SATS 2019
- ▶ **1st** in Writing
- ▶ **2nd** in Reading
- ▶ **3rd** in Maths



Y6 SATS

WORKING TOGETHER



- ▶ Aim to provide a happy and safe environment in our school, where effective learning can take place for all of our pupils
- ▶ Good behaviour is encouraged, valued and rewarded (Bragsters and Class Dojos)
- ▶ Behaviour policy
- ▶ Work closely with home and school (Home Learning)
- ▶ Learning Mentor and pastoral support
- ▶ Children's photographs



SCHOOL LINKS

- ▶ Linked to two churches St Michael at Bowes and St Cuthbert's
- ▶ Regular Parent Forums and other opportunities to come into school
- ▶ Parent support in the classrooms
- ▶ Friends of Tottenhall and St Michael at Bowes Association (FOTSA)
- ▶ Partnership with home (Class Dojo - online app)



ATTENDANCE



- ▶ Regular and punctual attendance
- ▶ Absence - The office must be notified giving the reason in writing or by phone call on the first day of absence
- ▶ Holidays not to be taken during term time - School may issue a fine

UNIFORM

- ▶ Children are required to wear full uniform every day
- ▶ Black shoes and plimsolls for PE
- ▶ PE kit - bags can be purchased from the uniform shop
- ▶ All items of clothing and personal property must be clearly labelled
- ▶ No Jewellery or nail varnish
- ▶ Kenzie school uniform supplier in Wood Green- 0208 889-6025 (Click and collect service) kenzieuniforms.co.uk
- ▶ Uniform sales and Open Day held in July (if safe to do so)

INDUCTION

- ▶ Headteacher visit to Tottenham
- ▶ Year 2 visit St Michael at Bowes
- ▶ Year 3 class teachers visit Tottenham
- ▶ Newsletter after summer half term for Year 2 parents
- ▶ Tea/coffee morning for parents/carers to meet the Year 3 teachers
- ▶ Uniform purchases *on school site*
- ▶ ONLY on the first school day back, *Thursday 2nd September 2020*, Y3 will start at 9.00 a.m.
- ▶ Children will receive their welcome card and information pack

N.B. meetings may need to be virtual depending on lockdown restrictions

ADMISSIONS POLICY

- ▶ Children who are in public care for whom this is the nearest school
- ▶ Children of practising Anglican families in the area of St Michael at Bowes or St Cuthbert's Church
- ▶ Children of practising Christian families in the same area
- ▶ Sister or brother who attend the school
- ▶ Children of families practising another world faith
- ▶ Nearest distance from school
- ▶ Two or more applicants who have equal rights -
 1. Children who attend Tottenham Infants
 2. Closest proximity to school
- ▶ LA (online) and school forms to be completed and handed in by Friday 5th February 2020 at 1.00 p.m. at the latest.
- ▶ Parents will be informed of places by the end of the spring term.

ANY QUESTIONS?

**Please attend one of the
Q&A sessions 1st or 2nd
February 2021 and/or
complete online form to
submit questions.**

Links are in the admissions letter on the school website.



VIRTUAL TOUR OF THE SCHOOL

