
Why go private for primary?

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Academic opportunities and breadth of curriculum

**BELIEVE
ACHIEVE
SUCCEED.**

THE INSIDE SCOOP

From St Catherine's Prep School

GOLD AWARD FOR SCIENCE

We are thrilled to announce that we have been awarded the Primary Science Quality Mark (PSQM) Gold Award (Outreach), the highest award possible!

Mrs. Kelly has been encouraging young Scientists in our Wonderfuls for many years and she has also inspired a number of our girls to follow a career in Science. She taught Natasha now studying Medicine at King's and Simona studying Physics with Astronomy at the University of Leipzig in Germany.

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OUTDOOR LEARNING

As part of our Outdoor Learning Programme, each year group has been taking part in a number of activities and challenges to develop their curiosity, creativity and collaboration skills. Activities have included: building Celtic fires, making nature maracas, designing outdoor nature food plates and painting Tudor art. We are also excited to be working in partnership with the Surrey Wildlife Trust who are helping us to improve our school garden and woodlands to better support nature.

ON YOUR MARKS, GET SET, GO!

It has been a busy few months in sport with all of our girls participating in netball, gymnastics, dance and swimming! We are very lucky to have the opportunity to compete in both Regional and National competitions. We hosted the Independent Schools' Gymnastics Association (ISGA) Gymnastics competition. Our girls also took part in South, Southeast Regional Bathalon Championships (swimming and running) from U8-U16. We had numerous Top 10 individual places, and in team events, the U8 and U11 A teams finished 1st. We now await the ranking list ahead of the National finals!

MUSIC

The music department has been busier than ever with numerous music events! Girls have enjoyed creating their own podcasts in the Soundscape incorporating music they have been studying. We have hosted a record number of informal concerts which our parents have very much enjoyed. The Woodwind and Brass Festival was a chance for the girls to hear professional playing and try out new instruments. The Wind Scheme has provided the opportunity for Form 1 (Year 3) girls to try out an array of instruments from the recorder to the trombone and everything in-between!

MAKING NEW FRIENDS

We have a buddy bench in our Prep School playground which is a place for any of our girls to go and sit and talk to a new or even an old friend. Our playground buddies and ambassadors, who wear bright pink jackets (you cannot miss them!) are always around to make sure everyone has a happy playtime. The Happy Cats team are also always around to help.

LION KING

Our students' incredible performance skills, their aptitude for music and design, in addition to their phenomenal team spirit. Each year, every girl in Lion is included in this powerful cross curricular project that culminates in the last performance of The Lion King, the school was honoured to have showcased such talent. Their performances were breath taking and the audiences were left wondering whether they were in fact in The Lyceum Theatre, London, rather than our own Anniversary Halls.

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Smaller class sizes

WELCOME TO PANKHURST HOUSE



WELCOME TO CURIE HOUSE



WELCOME TO TERESA HOUSE



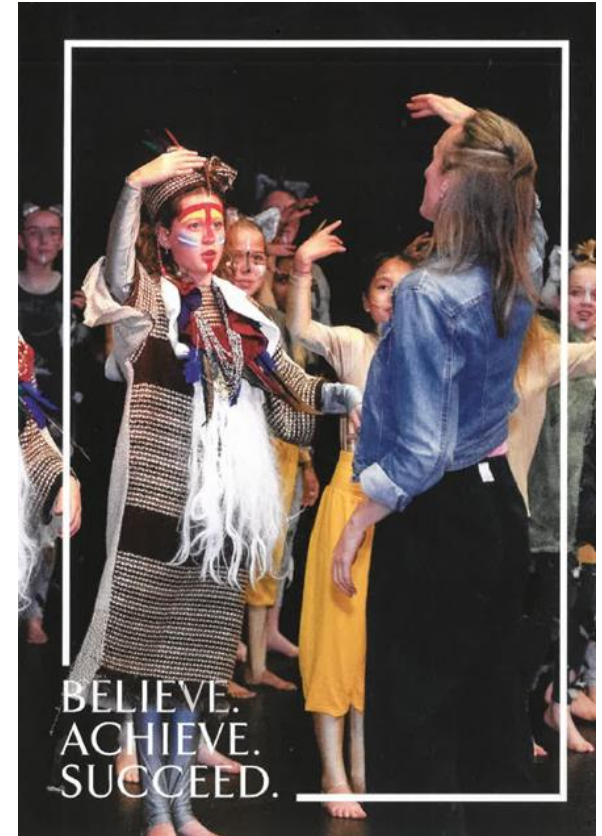
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Facilities that inspire and enable



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Specialist teachers



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Extra-curricular activities



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Wrap around care



- Breakfast club
- After school care
- Holiday activities



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Benefits as a parent

- Working in partnership with teachers
- Opportunities to be involved in the school community
- Longer school day with more opportunities in school as part of the school week
- Support and networking with other parents
- Sense of shared values



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School fees and costs

SCHOOL FEES

Are they staggered?
What do they include?

FEES PAID IN ADVANCE

Fees may be paid in advance and the School offers a discount on lump sums paid as fees in advance. For more details or a quotation please email the finance team, on feesinadvance@stcatherines.info.

OTHER COSTS?

CAT CLUB - Prep School After School Care. Up to 1 hour £6.00; Up to 1.5 hours £9.00; Up to 2.5 hours £12.00.

UNIFORM:

£150 - £450 for a full kit out for Reception
Second hand uniform shop

TRIPS/ ACTIVITIES

LUNCH

TRANSPORT

Fees fully inclusive of lunch, resources, day and residential trips.

Individual music lessons, dance school and learning support – additional charge



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Questions



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