



# ABOUT THE LONDON NAUTICAL SCHOOL



*Over 100 years of Nautical Education*





## OUR MISSION

**N**autical ethos of mutual respect, hard work, self-discipline and care for others leading to learning to become a self-disciplined leader

**A**chievement: learn and achieve beyond my expectations within an internationally-enriched and expansive curriculum, using world-class technology, with people who care

**U**nderstanding of me as an individual: staff who know me by name and help make my experience of school rich and happy.

**T**eaching that inspires me, that challenges me, that gives me a lifelong love of learning.

**I**nteract with our local community and develop strong partnerships between it, school and home.

**C**are and value my education and to be challenged, engaged and excited about learning.

**A**spire to make a difference through our academic, moral and social formation.

**L**earn and prepare for life beyond school and learn to respect the world around us displaying tolerance and an open attitude of mind.



## MESSAGE FROM THE HEADMASTER

At the London Nautical School we are dedicated to providing an environment and education that helps all pupils achieve their full potential; this hasn't changed since we were founded over 100 years ago. It is a place where doing your best at all times matters in the classroom and out of the classroom. Taking pride in who you are, how you dress, your attendance and punctuality and also good manners, serving the community, consideration for others and respect for learning are prized most highly. Boys at LNS continue to experience an education that develops all aspects of their person and them to live out our core values in their daily lives.

Our nautical ethos underpins all that we do and enables our boys to not only to be successful in their studies but also provides the platform, to grow personally, develop morally and socially, enhance their sporting talents and to further their artistic gifts. LNS is a thriving, vibrant and caring learning community within which pupils are stretched intellectually and which fosters a love of learning, whilst feeling valued, happy and safe.

Expectations of all pupils are high and our school has a reputation for being a happy, friendly, stimulating and caring environment in which everyone is given the opportunity and support to complete their studies successfully and to reach their full potential. The school is recognised for the enrichment opportunities that it provides for its pupils and we expect all boys to be involved in the wider life of the school.

Should you be offered a post at LNS you will be joining a highly dedicated staff that work hard to deliver an education that develops highly qualified, confident, rounded young men, who are prepared for the opportunities and challenges that await them as they take up their place in this ever-changing world.

**Andrew Bull**  
Headmaster



## HISTORY

The London Nautical School was formed as a direct consequence of the sinking of the RMS Titanic in 1912. The board of trade enquiry recommended the necessity of introducing several nautical training schools to improve seamanship. The London Nautical School is the only one of those training schools that remains with a nautical and maritime ethos.

The original location was in Rotherhithe as an annex of the Rotherhithe New Road School in 1915 led by the then Headmaster Commander Archibald Walter Buckle (Royal Navy) who was awarded the Distinguished Service Order for bravery in World War One. In 1937 the school gained its own site in Silwood Street Surry Quays, and became known as The London Nautical School. In 1965 we moved to Broadwall, Waterloo, and then to our present location in Stamford Street, Waterloo.

## CURRICULUM

Our vision at London Nautical is to provide a great education. The curriculum and learning experience enables every individual to be stretched and, allowing them to achieve their academic potential. It is also our aim to prepare our young people to be good citizens, so that they are ready and equipped for life in our modern society.

As well as a curriculum which offers depth, breadth, enjoyment, challenge and choice, we also offer an extensive extra-curricular provision which includes sailing, kayaking, sports, music, drama and lots more. The school's central location also allows us to organise trips and visits to different parts of our great city. We strongly believe that the different opportunities offered will allow our young people to achieve their aspirations.





## SAFEGUARDING

London Nautical School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the excellent welfare of the pupils within our school. All staff at the school are aware of their statutory duty and go above and beyond these expectations to ensure that our safeguarding practices and child protection is at the forefront of our duty. All applicants should read the school's safeguarding policy, which can be found on the school's website.

Candidates are required to declare any criminal convictions, cautions, or disciplinary proceedings relating to themselves. All members of staff working within the school are required to undertake child protection screening which involves a satisfactory reference from their current and previous employers and from the Disclosure and Barring service (DBS). The fields for these disclosures are provided on the application form.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

The London Nautical School has an Equal Opportunities Employment Policy and we are committed to ensuring that within our recruitment practices, all sections of the community have equal access to the recruitment process.

## THE ROLE

Details of the role are included in the accompanying Job Description, Person Specification and recruitment information documents.

## HOW TO APPLY

To apply for this job, please send a completed application form plus any other supporting material by the closing date indicated on the covering letter. Please ensure that your application fully addresses the appointment criteria set out in the person specification. Do not attach a CV as the school will not be consider it.

We want to ensure the recruitment process is accessible to disabled applicants, so if you would like us to make any arrangements in this respect please let us know.

We decide whether or not to interview you for a job from the information you give us on your application form. It is therefore important that you give us clear and relevant information that you answer all the questions. Continue on a separate sheet if you do not have enough room for your answers.

Applications should then be sent via email to [recruitment@lns.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@lns.org.uk) or by post.

Please note that unless the official application form is completed, the application will not be considered.





## LOCATION

LNS is fortunate to be located between Waterloo and Blackfriars stations on the Southbank and within walking distance of all that the City of London has to offer. Within minutes you are in the heart of the West end enjoying musical theatre; amongst the global businesses learning how to progress in a modern world; looking at the most fantastic works of art in the Tate Modern; using the state of the art science and sporting facilities at the best universities in the world. The opportunities are truly inspirational and unique.



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