

Student Leadership

2025-2026



Do you have what it
takes?
It's your choice...

Dear Student,

We are looking for candidates for the positions of Student Leaders, House Leaders, House Sports, Arts and Events Leaders and Peer Mentor positions. The appointments to these key student posts will be made as a result of a process similar to a job interview.

We invite you to consider the qualities we require in the people who will fill these posts. If you think you can satisfy all of them, we would ask you to complete the relevant application form and return it.

You should think carefully about the post(s) you wish to be considered for, making sure you indicate your preference.

Successful candidates will be notified during the summer term 1.

Thank you and good luck,
Mrs Vickers and Mr Redman
and Mrs Davies

Student Leadership Positions

House Leader	House Leader	House Leader	House Leader
House Sports Leader	House Sports Leader	House Sports Leader	House Sports Leader
House Arts Leader	House Arts Leader	House Arts Leader	House Arts Leader
House Events Leader	House Events Leader	House Events Leader	House Events Leader

Peer Mentors approx. 30

All members of the Student Leadership team will receive a new school tie and a pin badge.

Peer Mentors

To provide peer mentoring and support

Roles and Responsibilities

- Year 11 working with Year 7 and other year groups.
- Attend Year 6 Open Evenings
- Support with transition week.
- Attend Year 7 Tutor Evening
- Visit Year 7/8 forms on a regular basis.
- 1 to 1 mentoring (supporting younger students)
- Help and co-ordinate lunchtime activities.
- Assist with School clubs.
- Attend our compulsory weekly Peer Mentor meetings.
- Promote and raise awareness of SEN.
- Support our local Primary School with their Buddy system.

Career Prospects

- English Teachers/Lecturers
- Maths teachers/Lecturers
- Youth workers
- Learning Support Assistant



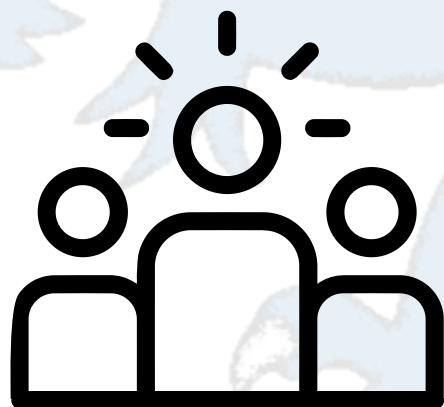
Senior Student Leaders and Deputies

Roles and Responsibilities

- Be a good public speaker.
- Guided tours of the school
- Presentations to New Parents
- Organisation of the Leavers' Assembly
- Report to the whole school assembly.
- Presentation at Year 11 Assemblies
- Help present the Year 12 Presentation Evening
- Organisation of Charity Concerts
- Talking to teachers on Interview
- Organisation of Leavers' Yearbook
- Presenting new initiatives to the Governing Body
- Support at Year 6 Induction Days
- Public relations at Charlton School functions
- Co-ordinate rota of lunchtime duties for Student Leaders

Career Prospects

- Politicians
- Teachers/Lecturers
- Journalists
- Management
- Events Organiser



House Leaders

Roles and Responsibilities

- Co-ordinate and run House events / inter house competitions.
- Encourage and promote participation.
- Have regular contact with House members.
- Help co-ordinate tutor time House events
- Update House noticeboards / displays around school.
- Visit tutor groups within House on a regular basis
- Write activity reports for website and newsletter
- Attend House meeting when requested too.
- Support House Sports, Arts and Events Leaders

Career Prospects

- Politicians
- Teachers/Lecturers
- Journalists
- Management
- Events Organiser



House Events Leaders Roles and Responsibilities

- Attend and supervise House cultural events.
- Help to plan and play an active role in ensuring that debating, discussion, quizzes, performance, and creativity is a prominent part of school life.
- Promote inclusion for all.
- Help co-ordinate extra-curricular School and House activities.
- Encourage participation in cultural activities.
- Report occasionally to the whole school in assembly.
- Work with House Leaders to promote House events.

Career Prospects

- Politicians
- Teachers/Lecturers
- Journalists
- Management
- Events Organiser



House Sports Leaders Roles and Responsibilities

- Attend and supervise House Sports events during tutor time.
- Plan an active role in ensuring that sport is a prominent part of school life.
- Promote an inclusive culture for School and House sports.
- Promote the ideas of a Healthy School.
- Help co-ordinate extra-curricular sports, attending practices and home matches.
- Encourage participation in sport through attendance in assemblies, links with school website.
- Report occasionally to the whole school assembly.
- Work with House Leaders to promote House Sports events in assemblies and around tutor groups.
- Mentor younger students.

Career Prospects

- Teaching (especially PE)
- Youth Sports trust
- Sport England and Sports Coaching
- Sports Administration



STEM Leaders

Roles and Responsibilities

- Attend and help to support and supervise with house events.
- Promote STEM to all students, in an inclusive way.
- Organise and lead on STEM events and competitions throughout the school year.
- Be a positive role model to all students.
- Work with house leaders to promote house events.
- Promote an inclusive culture for a wider range of activities.
- Help co-ordinate extra-curricular School and House activities.
- Encourage participation in STEM activities through attendance in assemblies, links with school website.
- Report occasionally to the whole school in assembly.

Career Prospects

- Scientists
- Researchers
- Engineers
- Teachers/Lecturers particularly in STEM
- Journalists
- Management
- Events Organiser



PSHE Leaders

Roles and Responsibilities

- To feel passionate about PSHEE and how it is delivered and taught at Charlton.
- To want to have their say about how PSHEE is taught and delivered at Charlton.
- Be confident to discuss their ideas about what topics are working well/need improvement/need to be added into the Curriculum.
- Lead meetings discussing the PSHEE curriculum with form representatives.
- Discuss topical issues and contextual events that are relevant to Charlton students.

Career Prospects

- Social worker
- Family Support Officer
- Politician
- Therapist
- Youth worker
- Motivational Speaker
- Teacher
- PCSO



Careers Leaders Roles and Responsibilities

- Co-ordinating with Career/ PSHE Lead to ensure that Years 7 -10 have interactions with employers during their PSHE sessions.
- Contacting employers to gain support for workshops and assemblies.
- Working as a team to co-ordinate student surveys; amalgamate the results and implement any actions needed.
- Meeting with other leaders twice a week and with Career Lead when requested.
- Being pro-active and working from own initiative
- Developing ways in which employers can support #TEAMBLUE events
- Work towards achieving the Gatsby Benchmarks
- Develop ways to promote the interaction with the employers and students beyond the school newsletter.
- Have good communication skills

Career Prospects

- Researcher
- Events Co-ordinator



Literacy Ambassadors

Roles and Responsibilities

- Promoting whole school reading initiatives.
- Promoting an all-inclusive environment for Literacy.
- Supporting in bespoke literacy intervention programs for underperforming students in 7 and 8.
- Supporting and organising competitions and events (World Book Day, Burns Night, Shakespeare's birthday, etc).
- Helping in the organisation and delivery of a Charlton Literary Festival
- Designing, editing, and proofreading a new Charlton literary magazine.

Career Prospects

- English Teacher
- Specialist English Teaching Assistant
- Journalism
- Events Co-ordinator



Challenge Yourself

Become involved with #TeamBlue Student Leadership.

Strive to make a difference and develop your skills for your future.

It's hard work but rewarding and will definitely give you a sense of RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY and RESILIENCE for when you need it.

