

# SPEECH DAYS –PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS

From 1899 until 1908 Speech Day was held in July; then it was almost always in the Michaelmas Term until 1964 and 1965, when it took place in February.

\* indicates an Old Boy of the School.

1899	Irwin B Cox, MP	
1900	Rt Revd Mandell Creighton	Bishop of London
1901	Dr J S Crone	Chairman, Willesden Urban District Council
1902	Rt Revd A F Winnington Ingram	Bishop of London
1903	G A Sexton	Chairman, Willesden Urban District Council
1904	Curtis Price, JP	
1905	Hon W R N Peel	
1906	Sir John Puleston, JP	HM Lieutenant for the City of London
1907	C Alderman W Regester	Chairman, Middlesex Education Committee
1908	C Alderman Sir Ralph Littler	Chairman, Middlesex County Council
1909	Sir James Yoxall, MP	General Secretary, National Union of Teachers
1911	Montagu Sharpe	Chairman, Middlesex Quarter Sessions
1912	Revd H G Bonavia Hunt	
1913	Rt Revd W W Perrin	Bishop of Willesden
1915	Rt Revd A F Winnington Ingram	Bishop of London
1919	C Alderman C F De Salis	Chairman, Middlesex County Council
1920	Lt Col Charles Pinkham, MP	
1921	Revd J Costley-White	Headmaster, Westminster School
1922	Mrs Bonavia Hunt	
1923	Mrs Luke	
1924	Lt Col the Hon G F Stanley, MP	
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1926	Lt Col the Hon G F Stanley, MP	
1927	C Alderman Lt Col Charles Pinkham, JP	Chairman, Middlesex County Council
1928	Major T Worswick	Director of Education, Regent Street Polytechnic
1929	Sir Kynaston Studd	(Former) Lord Mayor of London
1930	Sir Francis Goodenough	Chairman, Gas Light and Coke Company
1931	C Alderman Sir William Prescott	
1932	Sir Percival Sharp	(Former) Director of Education, Sheffield
1933	Alderman H G Hiscocks, JP	Mayor of Willesden
1934	H Spencer Jones	Astronomer Royal
1935	Rt Revd G Vernon Smith	Bishop of London
1936	Hon Lily Montague	
1937	Rt Revd A F Winnington Ingram	Bishop of London
1938	Dr Coode Adams	Principal, Faraday House College, London
1948	C B Thurston	(Former) Headmaster, Isleworth County School

1949	F R Poskitt *	Headmaster, Bolton School
1950	Denis Richards	Principal, Morley College, London
1951	Sir Graham Sharpe	Chief Education Officer, London County Council
1952	Dr Eric James	High Master, Manchester Grammar School
1953	J F Wolfenden	Vice-Chancellor, Reading University
1954	Nigel Balchin	
1955	J W Blake *	Professor of History, Keele University
1956	Bernard Miles	
1957	J A Camacho *	British Broadcasting Corporation
1958	Leslie Hale, MP	
1959	G R Matthew, MP	
1960	K L Fawdry	British Broadcasting Corporation
1961	John Beavan	Editor, "Daily Herald"
1962	E W M Potts *	Headmaster, Hendon County School
1964	Kenneth Adams	British Broadcasting Corporation
1965	Rt Revd Graham Leonard	Bishop of Willesden