



Sutton CP School News...

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Dear Families

This week in school there has been a big focus on the wider reopening of school. I want to pay huge respect to all of our staff for the way in which they have taken on the work involved in this. Without exception they have taken on all of the challenges and implications of the very detailed Risk Assessment process. When I walked through school early on Monday morning I shed a tear for the changes in our lovely school, the lack of toys, books and games, cushions and teddies put away, the trim trail and the tree house fenced off, cleaning caddies to the ready—a school stripped bare. Then the children started to come back and to hear the sound of excited chatter and laughter has been a tonic to us all, everyone of us is delighted to have some of our school family back with us. Despite the challenges, the extra cleaning and the worries we will continue to do our best for our learners in school. I want to thank all the staff, they are marvellous. Relentlessly cleaning toilets and classrooms and providing cheery welcomes for children. Special thanks go to Mrs Fletcher—'Queen of the Bubbles' who has worked tirelessly over recent weeks.

The government has backed down on its ambition for all primary children to be in school for at least four weeks before the end of term. Common sense tells us that this was never going to be possible. With classes limited to 15 or below and strict social distancing in place we would need double the space and double the number of staff to be able to do this. I have never made political comment on our school newsletter before however I think that attention grabbing headlines from politicians serve no purpose and set up expectations which are impossible to carry through. They are unfair for families and schools and create false hope and mislead parents as to what is deliverable. I have written to our local MP to urge government to act decisively in setting a national way forward for all schools to reopen so that our schools are not pitted against each other and criticised for making decisions which based on their own set of circumstances. We all deserve better to enable us to get back to our core purpose of education.

I found the quote at the top of this page on Facebook, it has made me ponder and reflect. Of all the new ways we have found to connect with our learners, of the myriad of ways are staff are working tirelessly to connect, encourage and support our children to flourish. And of what will we take from this time into our future way of working. We are operating 7 Bubbles of children in school—more than many schools, and also 2 bubbles at home. This week Mrs Bailey and Miss Robinson, both working from home themselves, have put some exciting plans in place to further develop our 2 Home Bubbles, Jade (EY & KS1) and Purple (KS2) You can read more about these plans later in this newsletter together with pictures of children at working away at home. Class teachers are continuing to provide learning activities for children at school and at home and sharing these with your child through Tapestry or Google Classroom. I would encourage you to continue to try to provide your child with a structure at home which includes some learning time—this will make things so much easier for your child when they do return. Please keep in touch with school—we miss you!

Whilst we are a school divided in many ways it is important that we continue to try everything we can to stay connected as a community

Sending love from the staff team to your family,
Mrs B
x

Dear Families

We have had a good start to the wider opening for key worker children on Monday and YR and Y1 on Wednesday this week.

Having sent out a Parent booklet and behaviour agreement it has come to my attention that for some parents this email has gone into their junk folder. If you haven't received the parent booklet and the behaviour contract please check your junk mail box to see if it is there. Thank you to all who have responded to the behaviour agreement; if you have not done so yet please do so as a matter of urgency.

We have made one change to our arrangements. Children will now bring their water bottles home at the end of the day, rather than leave them at school as previously stated. We found on Monday that they were all sensible about keeping their own bottles safe and are therefore happy for them to bring them fresh from home each day. I would highly recommend that they are washed thoroughly as soon as you arrive home to limit the risk of any spread of infection.

Thank you for your support at this challenging time. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.
Kind regards
Mrs F
x

What if 2020 isn't cancelled?
What if 2020 is the year we've been waiting for?
A year so uncomfortable, so painful, so scary, so raw —
that it finally *forces* us to grow.
A year that screams so loud, finally awakening us
from our ignorant slumber.
A year we finally accept the need for change.
Declare change. Work for change. Become the change.
A year we finally band together, instead of
pushing each other further apart.

2020 isn't cancelled, but rather
the most important year of them all.

— Leslie Dwyer



Mrs Bailey and Miss Robinson are currently Home School Teachers. We are here to support you with all your home learning from Monday 8th June. Mrs Bailey will be looks after the Early Year and Key Stage 1 children and Miss Robinson looks after the Key stage 2 children. Both groups have a dedicated email address should you like to contact the teacher at any point to discuss any part of your child's home learning journey. Our children who are being taught at home are an important part of our school and now belong to either one of these bubbles. Mrs Bailey's Home Bubble or Miss Robinson's Home Bubble. Each week we will have a page on the newsletter where we can celebrate the success of each bubble.

Our promise to you:-

Your children will still be receiving work from a teacher on Google classroom or Tapestry each week.

A teacher will look at Google classroom or Tapestry daily.

Zoom meetings will still be on offer for our at home bubbles.

A teacher will contact you if you request it.

Contacting a member of staff regarding home school learning from 8th June 2020.

As the wider re-opening of school begins and teachers are in school working with their designated bubbles of children, we want to provide the children that are still learning at home a specific point of contact.

As mentioned above there is one for Early Years and Key Stage 1 (reception, year 1 and year 2) and another for Key Stage 2 (years 3,4,5 and 6).

If you have any questions regarding your child's home learning please get in touch via these email addresses:

Early Years and Key Stage 1 : mrsbhomebubble@suttoncp.uk

Key Stage 2: missrhomebubble@suttoncp.uk



Meet

We are now delighted to announce that we are ready to introduce some online teaching sessions for our home learning. We have been doing some research and we would like to try and do this through our already successful **Google Classrooms** for our children in Years 1-6.

The children in Reception will be invited through a **Zoom** invitation as before.

During the week ahead, your children will be invited to join a teacher for a **Google Meet** at a certain time and **a link will be provided at the top of their Google classroom page**. During the meet we might share a story, create a piece of artwork or even do some science. All will be explained in the invitation, all you need to do is come along at the right time and click on the link. We are hoping that moving forward the children will be able to manage these meetings themselves as they are totally secure and managed within school. Only children within the school groups are able to join the meeting while it is taking place. Look out for your invitations this week, we can't wait to see you all.

As Reception do not have this facility yet, Reception parents should look out for an email invitation for Zoom dropping into your inbox, we would love to see you for our zoom meeting on Monday at 2pm. Mrs Ward and I will look forward to seeing you for some phonics and reading fun!

Jade Home Bubble

Zoom invite sent to parents



Dear Reception Children,

I would love to invite you to our first home bubble zoom meeting, we are going to be reading our first chapters from our home bubble book, doing some drawing together and we might even have time for some singing. All you need is your smiley faces and a piece of paper and pencil. An invitation has been sent to your parents email address—please ask them to check SPAM!

Mrs Ward and I look forward to seeing you at **2pm on Monday**.

Mrs Bailey x

Bubbles...

Groups of no more than 15 children. Same staff, same room, staggered starts, playtimes, lunchtimes and finishes. Isolated from other bubbles -to reduce the risk of infection and transmission of COVID 19. To support the safety of our staff and children please limit the number of people your child mixes with when they are not in school.

Red	YR	Mrs Dawson (pt) Miss Day (pt) Miss Blackie		
Orange	YR	Mrs Humphrey Mrs Roberts	Jade EY/KS1 @ Home	Mrs Bailey Mrs Ward, Mrs Dwyer, Mrs Kerr
Green	Y1	Miss Bell, Mr Barrick (pt) Mrs Broughton (pt)	Purple KS2 @ Home	Miss Robinson Mrs Ward, Mrs Dwyer, Mrs Kerr
Yellow	Y1	Miss Baldwin, Miss Pickering,		
Blue	Y2/3	Miss Dean, Miss Ibbotson		
Indigo	Y4/5	Miss Whitehead, Mr Allack		
Violet	Y6	Miss Dunkley, Mrs Howes		

Class photographs 2020

adventurephotography.co.uk/orderonline

As is usual at this time of year, our photographer who specializes in school pictures, has 'created' whole class photographs of our children available to purchase on-line - a slightly different format this year due to them being unable to visit school in person.

These are available to order directly through the Adventure website, using the login details below:

School password:suttoncpclass20

Y6 Leavers—It's that time of year!

Please could Y6 email a baby photo or two to a.ward@suttoncp.uk

This will be included in our **Y6 Leavers Slideshow.**

We love to see how you have grown!

Y6 Leavers Hoodies

As in previous years our school uniform providers, M.C Sports, are able to offer some specially designed Y6 leavers' hoodies.

The hoodie will have the school logo on the front with the words **Sutton CP Leavers**, the year

2020 and every Y6 child's name on the back. The hoodies are available in black and in sizes;

7/8 years / 9/11 years / extra small adult / small adult / medium adult

They can be ordered and purchased via ParentPay at a cost of £11.00 each; our ' Family Fundraisers Group kindly subsidising the remaining cost.

If you would like to purchase one for your child, please make payment via ParentPay by Friday 19 th June at the latest - please indicate the size required in the 'comments' box. MC Sports are unable to accept orders after this date.

Coronavirus (COVID-19): getting tested

Who can be tested

The following groups of people can [ask for a test through the NHS website](#):

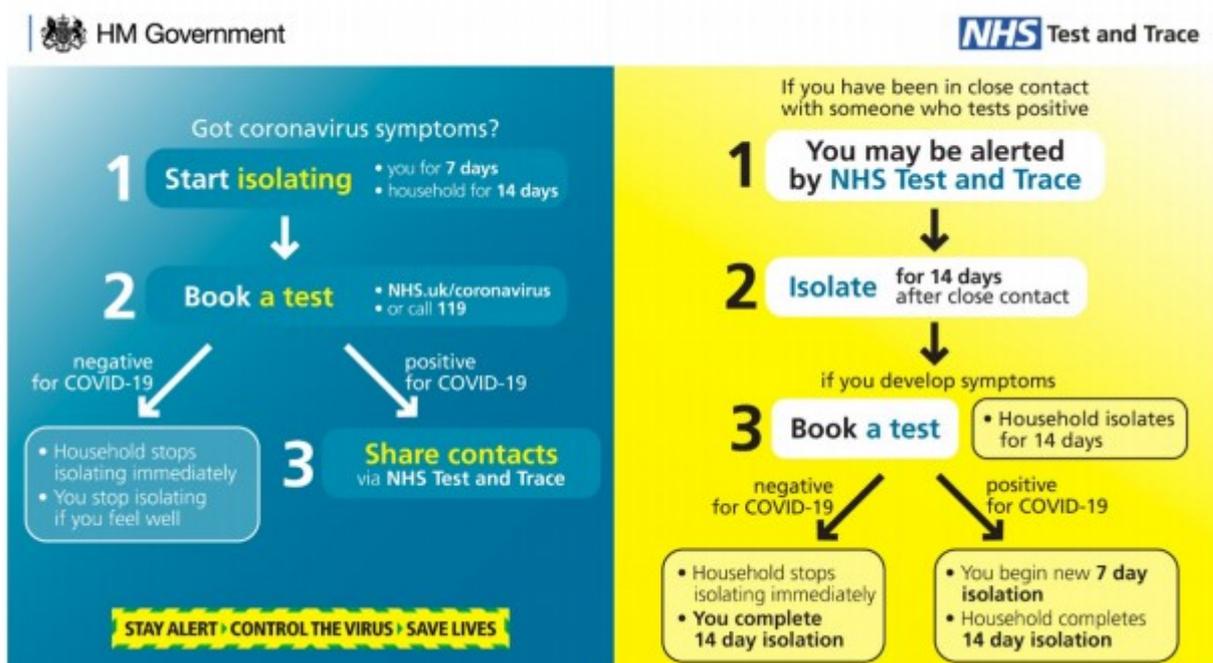
anyone in England and Wales who has symptoms of coronavirus, whatever their age

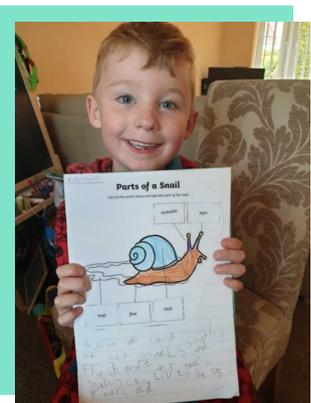
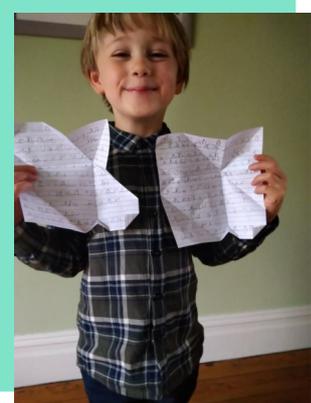
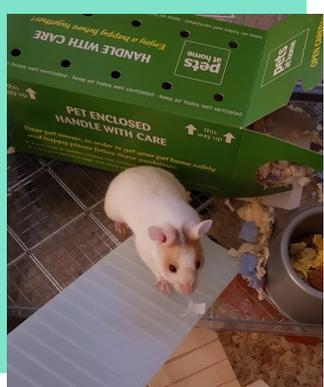
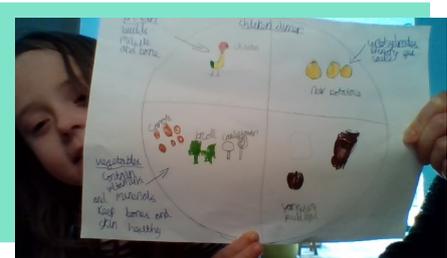
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NHS Track and Trace

The NHS test and trace service:

- provides testing for anyone who has symptoms of coronavirus to find out if they have the virus
- gets in touch with anyone who has had a positive test result to help them share information about any close recent contacts they have had
- alerts those contacts, where necessary, and notifies them they need to self-isolate to help stop the spread of the virus (





Another busy week in Jade bubble, we have welcomed some new pets, with some super names. Our school guinea pigs have found a new temporary home (thankyou) and we have been doing some super learning. It has been National Cake Day this week and Y2 were challenged to eat some cake with a family member, I took on the challenge too and so did some of the children. The baking has also continued in the other classrooms. I have seen an array of writing and crafts from spirals to bats. Well done everyone, I can't wait to see what you all get up to next week. Mrs Bailey xx

SOUTH CRAVEN

Covid-19 Community Support

01535 872 146
support@gicac.org.uk 9 am - 5.30 pm Mon - Fri

We can help with shopping and prescriptions, offer local advice and information, and provide access to emergency food parcels. We are a local agent for the North Yorkshire Local Assistance Fund, accessing emergency payment vouchers for food and utility top-ups.

Run by Glusburn Institute, working on behalf of NYCC.
Covering Glusburn, Cross Hills, Cowling, Sutton-in-Craven, Lothersdale, Cononley, Carleton, Farnhill and Kildwick.

NYCC Support 01609 780 780 8 am - 5.30 pm 7 days a week

North Yorkshire County Council
ALSS Adult Learning and Skills Service

Social Media for Beginners

Would you like to learn how to use social media?
Join our FREE 2 hour online course.

This course is suitable for those who have not used social media before. You will need to be able to access the internet and apps on your device.

During the course:

- You will learn about different social networks such as Twitter, Facebook and Instagram.
- You will learn how to connect with people and share pictures, videos and messages online.
- You will find out how to stay safe online and how to protect yourself when using social media.

You will need to have access to a mobile phone, laptop or tablet or personal computer and an email account to make the most of this session. Delivery will be over Zoom, giving you the opportunity to ask questions with your tutor and speak to other learners across the County.

Tuesday 30th June 13:00 - 15:00 Book now to secure your place

To enrol and for more information, please call us Monday to Thursday 08:30 - 17:00
Friday 08:30 - 16:30 on: 01609 532536
or email: north.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk

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Enhanced Microsoft Word Course

Do you want to improve your computing skills?
Unsure where to start?

Our Enhanced Microsoft Word course offers an excellent opportunity to develop your skills using selected Microsoft Word tools for higher level work.

We will cover a wide range of topics, including using more complex settings for text, paragraph and page formatting.

This course is suitable for those who already have a sound knowledge of Microsoft Word and know how to use ICT in practical situations. It would be an ideal follow-on course for those who have achieved Level 2 in the subject.

You will have access to your teacher through Zoom and email as well as the opportunity to contribute to group discussions. You will be given tasks to complete between sessions for which instructions and online demonstrations will be provided.

This 6 week course will take place every Tuesday between 23rd June and 28th July 2020 from 13:00 - 15:00

Course Fees are:
£48 | £43.20 | £19.20 **If you are employed and earning over £16,009.50**
If you are over 60 years of age and in receipt of the state pension
If you are earning under £16,009.50, or unemployed, receiving appropriate state benefits and actively seeking work

Book now to reserve your place. Full payment to be taken at time of booking.
To enrol and for more information please call us Monday to Thursday 08:30 - 17:00
Friday 08:30 - 16:30 on: 01609 533605 or email: south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk

Night, Night: Sleep Tight

Sutton Lothersdale

A bedtime story and prayer

Sundays, 6.30pm on our YouTube Channel

https://www.youtube.com/channel/Uck2Wscao87ROJYTFp_FNQWA?view_as=subscriber

Or on Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/ubscl/>



FREE Online School Readiness Course

Are you worried about your little one starting school for the first time?

Why not join our FREE online School Readiness course to support you and your child's upcoming transition into reception?

Our 10 point checklist will give you practical tips and advice to prepare both of you for this new chapter in your lives.

Even better! Once completed your child will receive a Certificate and a puppet.

Delivery will be over Skype where you will have the opportunity to speak to other families across the County.

Starting 15th June
Every Monday morning for 5 weeks 10:00 to 11:00

Spaces are limited so book now to reserve your place

For more information or to book a place please phone 01609 533605
Your call is very important to us but phones are very busy at the moment so if not answered please do leave a voicemail with your name and number or send us a text and we will return your call as soon as possible.
or email: south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk