



Introducing Miss Day Higher Level Teaching Assistant

Hello I'm Miss Day :) I have only been a part of the school since January but all of the children and staff have been so welcoming and lovely, I feel like I've worked here for much longer! I previously worked at an inner city Bradford school for 5 years before coming to Sutton. I also teach children's yoga on a part-time basis and deliver private piano and singing tuition. I love my role as an HLTA as I get to visit every class in school. I am teaching Spanish to Y2, Y5 and Y6, music to Y3 and Y4 and I deliver yoga sessions in Y1. I also get to work with the Reception children sometimes, which I love! Along with music and yoga, I enjoy anything creative - from calligraphy to watercolours. I am also a big reader and a huge Harry Potter fan - I can usually be found wearing my Ravenclaw badge. Please say hello if you spot me around school!

Internet Safety Week

The week commencing 10th February is *Internet Safety Week*. The theme this year is '*Together for a better internet*'. Tuesday 11th February is Safer Internet Day and PC Paul Stephenson from North Yorkshire Police will be delivering an internet safety talk for parents at 9.00am in the school hall. There will be lots of internet safety activities for classes throughout the week and on Wednesday 12th February KS2 classes will get to participate in a drama workshop delivered by One Day Creative. The workshop is called 'Game Over' and children will get to experience an adventure through the world of addictive gaming and the temptation of in-app purchases.

Miss Robinson IT Leader

Introducing Mrs Bolton -Midday Supervisor

Hi, I am Mrs Bolton (Marina) and I have just joined the Sutton CP family. I am from Belgium but I have lived in England since 1983. My daughter was just 6 months old when we moved to Yorkshire. I am very lucky to be a Nana to Leo who is now in Reception here. I went to a Flemish school as we lived in Flanders but my dad was French speaking so, if anyone needs a bit of help with language, come and see me. I was an HR Manager for nearly 25 years but retired last year. I love telling stories and reading is my favourite pastime. I am very excited about being a part of a very special and welcoming school.



Swimming Gala Results

On Wednesday 8th January, 18 fantastic swimmers from years 3/4/5/6 took part in the South Craven Swimming Gala cluster event.



There were seven schools altogether and competition was fierce. Pupils had to compete in three individual disciplines; breaststroke, backstroke and freestyle, as well as two 'four people relays', a medley and free-

style. All of our children showed wonderful passion and determination to do their best. Whilst some children embraced the competitive side of the gala, for others just committing to come and getting into the water was a huge personal victory. Either way, I was super proud of them all. In the end we got 4th place - well done team!

As a bonus, four of our swimmers managed to earn a position in the Craven Swimming Final in February representing the South Craven area competing against North Craven, Skipton and Wharfedale areas.



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Governors' News School Business Group

As my first newsletter update since joining the Governors, I'd like to thank all the Governing body, staff and pupils for welcoming me into their fold.

The Governors' Business Group has met twice; once in September and more recently at the beginning of December. The group meets to consider the financial performance, health and safety and risk management of the school.

At our December meeting we approved the school budget which remains in a healthy position and we continue to look to invest in resources to improve the learning and development of our pupils and staff - a key element of our School Vision. IT and teaching support have been identified as key areas for spending over the next year.

Thankfully there is little to report from a Health and Safety perspective, despite concerns within the Craven region of a norovirus outbreak which we appear to have side-stepped last term.

The recent changes within Westminster mean we will need to closely monitor the educational horizon over the coming months and to set the strategy for the school to ensure it continues to thrive and flourish no matter what challenges it may face.

Paul Mason
Chair of School Business Group



Congratulations to Lydia

On Sunday 12 January Lydia from Y5 represented our school in the British Schools' Modern Biathlon North West Regional Championships at Edge Hill University in Ormskirk. She had to compete in two disciplines; first an 800m track run, followed by a 50m swim. She achieved an impressive 1st place in the under 10's category.

We are very proud of Lydia and her dedication and hard work she puts into her daily training and we share the joy of her achievements. Well done Lydia!

Your child needs to bring

School book bag containing:
Their reading book
Their Learning Log
and also a water bottle

These should be in school **every day** and be brought home **every day**.

PE kits can be brought in on Mondays and taken home on Fridays.

School meals

We have received the following from Dolce, our school meal provider....

Good Afternoon,

I hope you are well.

Due to increasing costs (out of our control) in food and labour over the last two years, unfortunately we must increase our prices.

From **14th April 2020**, the price of a school meal will increase from £2.30 to £2.35.

If you have any questions or concerns in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact Customer Care on 01942 707709 or customer care@dolce.co.uk

Curriculum Plans for the first half term of 2020

The teachers have updated the website class pages with information about what your child will be learning this half term. For those of you that receive this newsletter by email, they are also attached.

YR	Pirates Ahoy!
Y1 & Y2	Animal Rumble
Y3 & Y4	Commotion in the Ocean
Y5 & Y6	Manic Mayans

Please support your child at home— as a whole school we teach and encourage the development of *cursive handwriting* and speedy recall of times tables (up to 12x12 by the end of Y4) and number bonds (+ - x /) (i.e. 6+4=10, 4+6=10, 10-6=4, 10-4=6 with ever increasing number sizes) You child's learning log is full of information to support you at home.

Year groups may be following the same theme but they will be studied at appropriate age related level

SEND Register

Teachers have met Mrs Beetles to finalise the individual provision maps for children on our SEND register. They will be contacting parents of these children shortly to talk about progress against last term's targets together with next steps for this term and the additional and different support your child will receive in school.

Y3 Special offer

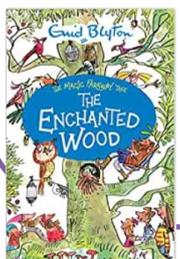
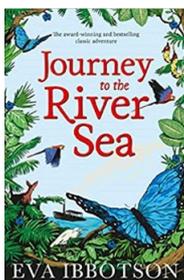
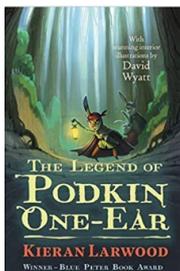
Y3 are incredibly enthusiastic about their new book this term, so school has bought some copies of 'The Legend of Podkin One Ear'.

These are available to buy through ParentPay at a reduced price of £5.50 on a first come first served basis. If the idea takes off, we might offer this service to other classes.

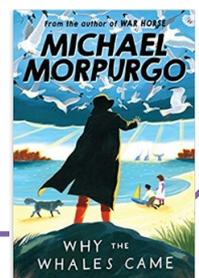
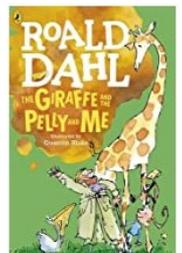
Loving to Read

We wrote to you at the beginning of the school year and shared with you our plans to help children learn to Love Reading. We made a commitment that every day in every class children will listen to a story or a novel. Obviously younger children listen to lots of short stories which develop into longer novels as they progress through school. We have now begun another exciting term of learning. All children will be read to at least daily as we believe that, to be read to and hearing how to read are an important part of becoming a skilled reader. At home you should encourage your young reader to re-read what has been read in class and also pre-read the next few pages.

It would be hugely beneficial if children from Y2 upwards had their own copies of the 'class novels' for this term. Parents of younger children might like to include the stories read in school as regular bedtime reads—younger children learn to love stories by hearing favourite ones again and again; this also gives them great ideas for writing their own stories.



YR	The Night Pirates, Pirates Love Underpants, The Pirate Cruncher, The Pirate Next Door, Portside Pirates.
Y1	The Enchanted Wood—Enid Blyton
Y2	The Giraffe, the Pelly and Me —Roald Dahl
Y3	The Legend of Podkin One Ear—Kieran Larwood
Y4	Why the Whales came—Michael Morpurgo
Y5 and Y6	Journey to the River Sea—Eva Ibbotson



Can you help...

We have lots of lovely books waiting to be catalogued in our library. Mrs Broughton is looking for people to help catalogue them.

Mrs Broughton would be on hand to help and would love to hear from you if you have a bit of free time on a Friday afternoon that you are looking to fill

You can contact her in school or by email
n.broughton@suttoncp.uk
Thank you

Private Road

Please do not park on the private unmade up road directly outside school when dropping off or picking children up at any time—including before and after school clubs. This is needed for staff parking at all times.

We continue to work closely with traffic enforcement officers and we will report drivers who put children at risk. This term the School Council are planning to

Y6 SATS Preparation Session for Parents Wednesday 29 January 6.15pm Y6 Classroom

This session is aimed primarily at parents but Y6's are also encouraged to attend.

At the session you will find out about the SATs tests in May and how best to prepare and support your child. There will be a chance to look at some papers and to ask lots of questions.

These sessions have been very well received in the past and we encourage you to attend.

Morning Worship for Everyone

Starts 26th
January 2020

THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND
Diocese of Leeds



St Thomas' Sutton
4th Sunday each month,
10.45am



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North Yorkshire
County Council

NCFE Level 2 Award in Supporting Teaching and Learning

Central Skipton

Starts Tuesday 13th February 2020
09.30 - 12.30

An excellent opportunity to gain a Level 2 accredited qualification for employment within a school environment.

This 15 week course will include understanding children and young people's development; communication and professional relationships; health and safety; equality, diversity and inclusion.

If you are not in paid employment and in receipt of benefits (including child Benefit) or working and earn less than £16,009.50 per year your course could be FREE of charge.

For more information and to book onto the course please contact us
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