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Dear Parents/Carers,

### **CURRICULUM HEADLINES**

The curriculum headlines are being emailed to you and are ready for view on our website: <https://www.spjs.org/weekly-curriculum-headlines.php>

They contain important information about the upcoming week so please ensure you read your year-group headlines.

### **MESSAGES DURING THE DAY**

We are receiving an increasing number of messages by phone and email to be passed on to children & their teachers, especially in the afternoon. This is becoming very disruptive to learning.

#### **We would be most grateful if you could:**

- Write any messages for teachers in your child's Home-School book wherever possible.
- Remind your children anything they may need to know before school.
- If you are unable to write a message in the morning, please call or email before 1.00pm, so that we have time to pass on messages before lessons begin in the afternoon.

(Obviously, if there is an emergency, we will do our best to pass on any messages after 1.00pm.)

### **SCIENCE & GEOGRAPHY BOOKS**

The children will be bringing home their Science and Geography books for you to have a look at with them this weekend. Please sign the slip and remind your children to bring them back into school on Monday.

### **Y5/6 WALKING HOME FROM SCHOOL**

If your child is in Year 5 or 6, and you would like to give them permission to walk home from school starting after the February half term, please complete the Google Form by Sunday 18th February 2024 <https://forms.gle/yQsTbDDpRvZxzgFd7>

### **TT ROCKSTARS**

Would you like to see how often your child has been going on TTRS and see how they have progressed whilst doing the programme?

Please watch this Youtube video to show you how.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ZxZbRVvbYM>

Alternatively log into their account, click on 'My Stats'. On the effort tab you can see how often they have been playing. On the fluency tab, you can see how quickly they have been answering each question.

### **TRIPS**

Just a reminder of the payment due dates for some upcoming trips. All the relevant letters can be found on our website: <https://www.spjs.org/letters-home.php>

**Y3 World War 2 Workshop on 18th April:** Payment due 9.2.24

**Y4 British Wildlife Centre on 19th March:** Payment due 9.2.24

**Y6 Residential Trip 10-14th June:** Next instalment due by 2.2.24

**Y5 Hampton Court on 24th April:** Payment due 29.3.24

### **SUTTON SEND REVIEW – THEY WANT TO HEAR FROM CHILDREN**

Barnardos are helping Sutton with this work and are running a series of engagement sessions for children and young people with SEND, and their parent/carers – ‘Your Voice Matters’.

Children and young people can take part through online or face to face events, or via a questionnaire if they can’t attend an event. They would love to hear from as many children and young people with SEND and additional needs as possible to capture their lived experiences and hopes regarding how they are supported in Sutton. What we learn will influence the priorities we take forward as well as how we deliver them. Please see attached leaflets for more information.

All children and young people wishing to take part will need to have a consent form completed by a parent or carer, the link for the consent form is here:

<https://forms.gle/mxhFvnjTNMjWo73ZA>. Within this form is the option to choose an online or face to face event, or questionnaire, only one should be selected.

- Tuesday 13 February, online – from 13:30 to 15:00 (session 1) or from 15:30 to 17:00 (session 2) - a link will be shared following consent form being received
- Wednesday 14 February, from 13:30 to 15:00 at Sutton United FC (Function Hall), Gander Green Lane, Sutton SM1 2EY
- Wednesday 14 February, from 16:00 to 17:20 at Hill House St. Helier, Bishopsford Rd, Morden SM4 6BL

I attach an information sheet for parents/carers about the event which can also be accessed through the information hub. Please note that the deadline for young people to sign up is 7/2/24.

### **DATES FOR NEXT WEEK**

Monday 5th Feb – Start of Children’s Mental Health Week

Friday 9th Feb – Multicultural Day – children can express their backgrounds and traditions by dressing up in traditional clothing or wearing the colours of their flags (no football club kits)

Friday 9th February – break up for half term at 3.20pm (Y3/4) 3.25pm (Y5/6)

Have a lovely weekend.

SPJS Team