



Weekly Bulletin – 16 May 2023

Please circulate to all relevant staff in school.

All enquiries and bookings to

sselp@wybourncommunity.sheffield.sch.uk

SSELP Senior Leaders Conference – ‘Living Well, Being Well’- NEW START TIME

It has come to our attention that the publication of KS2 SATs results has been delayed by one week, until 11th July. This will unfortunately be a ‘clash’ with our conference. The start time of the conference has therefore been **delayed until 9.30am**. Please see an updated agenda attached.

For catering and organisation purposes please confirm attendance by emailing SSELP. Please remember this conference is for Heads, Deputies, Assistant Heads and Senior Leaders in SSELP Schools.

SSELP Art Exhibition

Thank you to the following people who responded to the sign up for exhibiting work at the SSELP Art Exhibition; Emmaus, Wybourn, Norfolk, High Hazels, Manor Lodge, Park, Grace Owen, Woodhouse West, Pipworth, Prince Edward, Acres Hill, Phillimore Arbourthorne and Gleadless.

It isn't too late to sign up! It would really help if we know whether schools are planning to bring work or not. Please could you let Alison Woodhead know by completing this [form](#).

The Art Exhibition will run from 22 May – 11 September at The Circle in Sheffield.

The theme this year is ‘TOGETHER’. Any type of work can be created e.g. paint, models, sketching etc. All we ask is that there is a limit of 10 pieces per school and that art pieces come framed with string ready to hang. Can we ask that all artwork is dropped at The Circle on Monday 22 May between 9.00am and 10.30am.

Attached is an advert that you could send out to parents ready for the holidays with the arts trail for the city centre as well.

It would be great for schools to take classes to see the exhibition and do the trail. Please let Alison know at manager@st-theresas.sheffield.sch.uk if you plan to visit and when so that everyone can be accommodated.

SSELP Subject Leader Programme 2023/24

We've received dates from Nick Whittaker for the 2023/24 Subject Leadership Programme. Please make a note of these in your diaries. Participants will be expected to attend both twilights and one of the workshops. Further information will follow in due course.

Twilights

- Wednesday 20 September 4.00pm – 6.00pm
- Wednesday 27 September 4.00pm – 6.00pm

Workshops

- Wednesday 11 October 1.00pm – 3.00pm
- Wednesday 18 October 1.00pm – 3.00pm

SALT Update – Celebration Event with Afternoon Tea

The SALT Celebration Event will be taking place at Acres Hill on the 6 June, 2.00pm – 4.00pm. We would really value it if every setting was able to prioritise attending this session to share their good practice and to benefit from hearing the ideas from other settings. Each school has been asked to send 1 member of staff. This could be your communication champion, or EYFS lead/SENCO who has been involved in the project.

Please prepare to share a snapshot (2-3 minutes) of good practice in your school. This could be how you have implemented a new approach, how you have embedded strategies into everyday practice, resources used in the environment, or any other ideas to share. Please could you email Charlotte Gardner at charlotte.gardner@nhs.net before the session to let her know what you will be sharing. An agenda has been shared separately with the SALT Working Group.

We have booked a special afternoon tea for the event from the Rhubarb Shed. If anyone attending has any dietary requirements please email sselp@wybourncommunity.sheffield.sch.uk by **COB on the 16 May**.

One Voice

Kate Shipman has taken over as the lead for SSELP on behalf of the Music Hub. We are getting really excited about the concert on 29 June at The Octagon and we hope pupils are busy learning all the songs and actions.

Other key dates to note are:

- 19 May – Tickets go on sale [here](#) (£3 each)
- 9 & 16 June @ 10.30am - Live online lessons

Learning Mentor Network – UPDATED LINK

The Learning Mentor Network takes place on 18 May from 2.00pm via Zoom. Joining instructions are included below.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/5981057505?pwd=NVPNdVBmVUJ4eTZlWmdhV0RSSW4wUT09>

Meeting ID: 598 105 7505

Passcode: 935778

FS2 Moderation Network – CHANGE OF DATE

The FS2 Moderation Network will no longer be taking place on the 24 May. This will now take place at Arbourthorne CPS from 2.30pm – 4.00pm on the 7 June. The focus of the meeting will be on the professional dialogue around ELG judgements.

Please note that although there won't be any parking spaces in the school car park, places to park are often available on surrounding roads.

Y6 Moderation Network

The next Y6 Moderation Network will take place at Prince Edward Primary School on 25 May, 2.30pm – 4.00pm. Further information will follow. This will be an important meeting, especially in preparation and evidence for any formal LA Moderation.

Literacy Leaders Networking meeting – CHANGE OF DATE

The Literacy Leaders Network that was due to take place on the 13 June will now take place on the 20 June, 2.30pm – 4.00pm at Phillimore. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Please email Jess Crothers at j.crothers@phillimore.sheffield.sch.uk if you are attending. In the meeting, next year's shared reading project will be discussed and possible text choice, current research around literacy, the new literacy NPQLL and action planning for next year.

SSELP Y5 Swimming Festival

Please find attached a schedule for the SSELP Swimming Festival that takes place on the 17 May and 14 June. Also attached is some key information around the event. Schools will need to arrange their own transport. Schools will need to arrive 20 minutes before your allocated session start time to change and receive the poolside safety briefing.

Please also find attached the Ponds Forge risk assessments. These should be used so schools can prepare your own risk assessments for the day.

Grimm & Co

As requested at SSELP Head on the 4 May, please find attached measurements and dimensions of the theatre space at Grimm & Co. This will be in situ in schools for 4 weeks (2023/24).

We are in the process of obtaining slides that were presented at the Headteacher's meeting and will share these as soon as they have been received.

Hold the Drama

Arbourthorne (60), Pipworth (60), Wybourn (60), Norfolk (60), Acres Hill (29), St Theresa's (30), Manor Lodge (42) + staff are attending the Hold the Drama performance on the 25 May at The Victoria Hall in Sheffield. This performance is now **SOLD OUT**

Date: Thursday 25th May 2023 – Time: 10.00am -11.45am (Please arrive at 9.50am)

Location: Victoria Hall, Sheffield City Centre, S1 2JB

Cost: Free to SSELP Schools – Transport should be organised by schools.

Y4 Shared Reading Event: 19th May Sheffield Library Theatre

Schools should by now have actioned the following:

- Sent permission letters to parents and completed individual school risk assessments. The Theatre risk assessment is attached.
- Organised transport

Please note the following -

- Please arrive 5-10 minutes before your allotted time so that we are all seated and ready to begin promptly
- Eating and drinking is not allowed in the theatre
- If anyone has accessibility requirements, please alert SSELP before the visit.
- Toilets are limited in number, and time/ space will not allow for whole class visits to the toilet
- Jess Butterworth's latest book and earlier titles will be available for sale at £6,50 each. Schools can purchase these but pupils are not expected to bring money to purchase books themselves.
- A reading trail is attached that schools may wish to complete before or after the event with Jess Crothers.
- The Sheffield City Library can accommodate school visits in the afternoon only. Please could schools email Jess (j.crothers@phillimore.sheffield.sch.uk) if they would like to book a slot and pupil numbers so that she can create a timetable. Unfortunately, not all schools will be able to attend so it will be first come first served.

SSELP SPORTS – Quick Cricket

Thank you to all the schools who responded saying they would like to take part in a Y4 Quick Cricket league. The schedule for the tournament and rules of the game are attached. Please organise your matches as soon as possible.

We will send email addresses of the schools' coordinators in a separate email.

Maker (School) Launch Invitation

SSELP schools have been invited to the Maker {School} launch event taking place on Thursday 25 May 2023 at 2.15pm at the University of Sheffield. This is an opportunity to explore how making and makerspaces are having a revolutionary impact on education and how the new national Maker {School} programme for primary education can help schools to develop their own approaches in this area.

It will be inspiring, informative and informal with a chance for school leaders, teachers and partners to learn more about Maker {School}.

Please visit the Maker (School) [website](#) for further information. Register for the event [here](#).

The event is free but places are limited. Refreshments will be available throughout.

Art CPD Sessions CHANGE OF DATE

Laura Kay will be leading 2 sessions for Primary Art leaders, to look at curriculum content, progression and assessing impact (see attached information). Please email SSELP to confirm attendance at BOTH sessions. These sessions will take place at Park Academy. Refreshments will be available at both sessions.

- This will now take place on 6th June 2.00pm – 4.30pm, rather than the previously advertised 23rd May
- 4th July 2.00pm - 4.30pm

As these sessions will be taking place during school hours, we will need DBS numbers providing for any member of staff attending, **before** the sessions take place. Can you please confirm this when you send through any attendees to SSELP. If you sent through names without DBS numbers, please can you send these through asap.

Google Drive

Any useful documents for SSELP staff are added to the SSELP [Google Drive](#). This has been in place for a number of years, with all Headteachers in SSELP currently having access. If staff would like access to the Google Drive, please either ask your Headteacher to provide access or email sseip@wybourncommunity.sheffield.sch.uk.

When documents are added to the Google Drive, these are included in the bulletin so staff are aware of exactly what has been uploaded and when.

The link to the Google Drive will be shared weekly via the bulletin moving forward.

SSELP Calendar 2022/23

The SSELP Calendar for 2022/23 is now uploaded to the SSELP Google Drive and can be accessed [here](#).

This is a live document, meaning changes to dates etc. will only be visible if accessed through the Google Drive link above.

Please check the calendar before scheduling any events as we try and avoid clashes wherever possible.

Document added to GDrive

Dates for the next fortnight:

17th May – 9.00am – SSELP Swimming Festival

Ponds Forge, Sheaf Street, S1 2BP

18th May – 2.00pm – Learning Mentor Network

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19th May – 10.00am – 2.30pm - Shared Reading Showcase

Sheffield Library Theatre, Surrey Street, S1 1XZ

25th May – 2.30pm – 4.00pm - Y6 Moderation Network

Prince Edward Primary School, Queen Mary Road, S2 1EE

7th June – 2.30pm – 4.00pm – FS2 Moderation Network

Arbourthorne Community Primary School, Eastern Avenue, S2 2GQ