



Weekly Bulletin – 16th October 2024

Please circulate to all relevant staff in school.

All enquiries and bookings to
sselp@wybourncommunity.sheffield.sch.uk

Meeting Dates & Bookings

Please note that meeting dates and bookings for SSELP events may change in the year. Any updates to dates and events will be circulated via the Weekly Bulletin and updated in the SSELP Calendar.

For up to date information on events you have signed up to, please always refer to the SSELP Calendar or most recent Weekly Bulletin to ensure the information you hold is accurate.

A link to the SSELP Calendar is sent out in the Bulletin each week.

Extended SSELP Heads Meeting

The extended SSELP Heads Meeting will be taking place on **Tuesday 22nd October 8.45am – 1.45pm at The Quadrant**. We will be joined by Steve Anwyll at 11.15am to look at 2024 Pupil Outcomes – A Local and National perspective – other leaders in SSELP schools are welcome to join us at this time.

Lunch and refreshments will be provided.

Diane Stokes from Learn Sheffield will join us at 12.15pm to give a OFSTED update. Other leaders in SSELP schools are welcome to join us at this time. A draft agenda is attached.

Address details are below:

The Quadrant
99 Parkway Avenue
S9 4WG

A parking permit for the venue is attached. Please ensure this is printed and displayed on arrival to avoid any charges.

Inclusive Attendance with Wayne Harris

A code to access resources and training via the Inclusive Attendance website will soon be shared with the Headteacher of each SSELP school, by separate email.

SSELP Early Years Speech and Language Programme 2024/25

Following on from the last two year's speech and language programme, Charlotte Gardner, NHS Speech and Language Therapist, is returning to work with SSELP. She and Charlie Currier from Gleadless Primary School have planned a programme of consolidation, based on the support schools have indicated they would like.

This year the programme will consist of a half termly workshop for Communication champions led by Charlie Currier, and a schedule of in school mentoring visits by Charlotte Gardner.

Champions Workshops

The themes for the workshops are based on the survey Charlie created. Results of the survey and details of the content can be found in the attached schedule.

This is a summary of the themes:

- Autumn 2 - Adult interactions and early identification of Speech and Language difficulties - Tuesday 19th November 2.15-4.15pm at Acres Hill
- Spring 1 - Supporting pupils with High and Complex Needs – date TBC
- Spring 2 - Supporting pupils resolving conflicts with Speech and Language difficulties - date TBC
- Summer 1 - Parent engagement with communication and language and Phonology awareness - date TBC
- Summer 2 - Reflecting on the year, and celebration of the year - date TBC

In-school Mentoring visits

Charlotte will spend 2 hours in a school. This could include a meeting, mentoring, and some observation if appropriate. She would then spend 30 mins writing up brief notes to leave with the school.

Please indicate a first and second choice of dates if you would like to participate

- 22 November 2024 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 22 November 2024 – 1.00pm – 4.00pm
- 6 December 2024 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 6 December 2024 - 1.00pm – 4.00pm
- 31 January 2025 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 31 January 2025 - 1.00pm – 4.00pm
- 21 March 2025 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 21 March 2025 - 1.00pm – 4.00pm
- 9 May 2025 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 9 May 2025 - 1.00pm – 4.00pm
- 4 July 2025 - 9.30am – 12.00pm
- 4 July 2025 - 1.00pm – 4.00pm

Charlotte has sent a proforma to give a focus and make the most of the visit. Please could the communication lead send this back to Charlotte before her visit.

Developing Concepts in the Curriculum with Hull Collaborative Academy Trust

The first 'Developing Concepts in the Curriculum' session for **Headteachers and Curriculum Leads**, takes place on the **8 November, 9.00am – 4.00pm at The Quadrant**, address details are below. This session is aimed at Heads, SLT and Curriculum Leads. Lunch and refreshments will be provided – please forward any dietary requirements to SSELP.

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Parkway Avenue
S9 4WG

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TA Training Programme

We've attached the programme again as a reminder. If you requested places, be assured these are secure and we look forward to welcoming SSELP staff.

The next session takes place on **Thursday 7 November, 1.00pm – 3.15pm** at Wybourn and will cover Positive Regard – Relational Practice in the Classroom. If you need to confirm places please email SSELP.

SSELP AGM

Please see link below for the SSELP AGM which takes place on 12th November 2024 at 5:00pm via Zoom.

There is a flier attached for ease, to share with all governors, with the link embedded.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84309835167?pwd=ciLeHuiBbTQv8GURLdTvFwSjhoNG95.1>

Deep Dive Peer Reviews (January – June 2025)

All SSELP schools have the opportunity to take part in a Deep Dive Programme working within a group of 2-3 schools. Leaders will visit two other schools and work alongside David Connor or Wayne Harris (external consultants) to review Attendance or any area of school improvement. The school will also host a review in their own school.

Schools have found this experience very valuable in affirming school practice and moving forward with school development.

Please email SSELP, by 18th October, to express interest in this programme, which will take place January – June 2025. There are currently 10 schools participating.

Giddy Goat Live Performance

The Giddy Goat Live Performances will soon take place on the following dates:

- Wednesday 16th October 2024 10:45am – 12:45pm at The Crucible.
- Friday 18th October 2024 at 10:45am – 12:45pm at The Crucible.

The full schedule with the tickets allocated to each school is attached.

Careers Programme for all Schools - Sheffield Springs Academy 'Laying Your Own Foundation'

Sheffield Springs are continuing with the 'Laying Your Own Foundation' Primary Careers Programme. This is an offer of CPD and support from Springs' qualified Careers Lead and Advisors to develop Primary School Careers Provision. As part of the programme there will hopefully be a Primary Career Conference in the summer term, date to be confirmed.

Three events are taking place this year:

Laying Your Foundation Careers Event 1: What Are Careers 28th November 2024

This session will be hosted at Sheffield Springs Academy and will consist of two sessions which will explore character in careers and Sheffield's careers history, alongside a tour of the school. This event is available to Y5 and Y6 pupils. There is a limited number of spaces available, to reserve your space please complete the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/8JAp9pwqwY>

National Careers Week 3rd to 8th March 2025: Bringing Careers to You

This academic year our Careers Team is offering to come out and deliver a careers workshop or assembly for your students. These sessions will explore a range of current and future careers and opportunities in Sheffield. This session will last up to an hour, which will bring our qualified careers professionals and employer connections into your school. To express your interest please complete the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/j163cUA8rA>

Sheffield Springs Careers Fair and Celebration 2nd May 2025

We are planning to host a careers and employer fair at Sheffield Springs Academy, and we would like to open this up to your Y5 or Y6 students. We already have employers and educators agreeing to support the event and more information will be shared nearer the time. To express your interest please complete the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/cRvwcqF0VL>

All activities will be on a first come first served basis, please contact Edward Cramphorn (edward.cramphorn@sheffieldsprings.org) for more information or questions.

Moderation Networks

Please find attached dates and venues for the year group moderation networks taking place throughout the year. It would be really beneficial if each school could send at least 1 representative.

Please contact the SSELP Lead Moderator, Andrew Woodhams, with any queries at awoodhams@norfolkcps.sheffield.sch.uk

Resources to support Speech and Language

Amy Wright, the SALT working with SSELP schools has sent the following information.

It is DLD awareness day on Friday 18th October. I have popped some links to some useful resources and the link to the Sheffield DLD training below.

<https://radld.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/RADLD-DLD-Bubble-Resource.pdf>

<https://radld.org/about/dld/dld-fact-sheet/>

DLD training module - <https://sway.cloud.microsoft/kseJ2RLeOTjFQjWA>

Here is also the link to the Twinkl giveaway of sensory resources

- https://www.twinkl.co.uk/giveaway/octobercommunitycollection?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=newsletter_2024-06-23_GB-ENG_SEND&utm_content=pm-inclusion2024

SSELP Calendar 2024/25

The SSELP Calendar for 2024/25 is now accessible on the SSELP website. Please click [here](#) to access all dates/events for the year.

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

Some dates may change in the year. Updates regarding this will be included in the Weekly Bulletin.

Documents added to GDrive

Dates for next fortnight:

18th October – 10:45am – 12:45am – Giddy Goat Live Performance

The Crucible, 55 Norfolk St, Sheffield City Centre, Sheffield S1 1DA

22nd October – 8:30am – 14:15pm – SSELP Heads Meeting

The Quadrant, 99 Parkway Avenue, Sheffield, S9 4WG

24th October – 9:00am – 12:00pm - Locality SEND – Quality Assurance

Acres Hill Community Primary School, Mather Road, Sheffield S9 4GQ

7th November – 1.00pm – 3.15pm – TA Programme - Positive Regard – Relational Practice in the Classroom

Wybourn Community Primary School, Manor Oaks Road, S2 5ED

8th November – 9.00am – 4.00pm – Developing Concepts in the Curriculum

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