



Weekly Bulletin – 28 March 2023

Please circulate to all relevant staff in school.

All enquiries and bookings to

sselp@wybourncommunity.sheffield.sch.uk

Nick Whittaker – Subject Leadership Development Programme – FINAL SESSION

The final Subject Leadership Development Workshop with Nick Whittaker takes place on the 29 March, 4.00pm – 6.00pm at Norfolk Community Primary School. This will be an opportunity to review the programme and plan next steps for subject leaders.

SSELP Y5 Swimming Festival

All Y5 pupils are invited to take part in the annual swimming festival over two mornings on 17th May and 14th June.

Please email SSELP to confirm participation and numbers of pupils by 19th April. It would be helpful if you indicate if either of the dates would not be possible for you to attend. When we have all the information, we will work out the schedule and let each school know their allotted swim time.

The event is free to SSELP schools. Schools are asked to arrange their own transport.

There will be an information session for staff attending on 20th April at 3.45pm via Zoom. Joining instructions are included below. It is important from a health and safety perspective that all staff attend.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83232168290?pwd=ZTgzQnhWdEx4ZDhtNW9FdFVlcnVIZz09>

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Passcode: xW2bbs

Y4 Shared Reading Visit to Sheffield Library Theatre – 19th May 2023

Please find attached the **schedule** for the visits to the Library Theatre to meet with the author Jess Butterworth.

Schools should now action the following:

- Note the date and time of the visit
- Send permission letters to parents and complete risk assessments
- Organise 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 may have some books for sale, which schools could purchase as a memento of the visit for the class. Pupils are not expected to purchase books
- SSELP will provide other activities you may wish to complete during the visit, whilst in the town centre.

One Voice 29th June 2023 at The Octagon

Sign up is still open – [CLICK HERE](#) for all of the information you need and to sign up today. It is FREE for all SSELP schools, ticks off some curriculum points AND is a lot of fun!

Most SSELP schools have now signed up, however we notice that schools have indicated they are only taking one class. There is enough room this year for each school to bring a whole school year group. If you wish to increase the numbers of pupils you have booked please can you email Laura Steelyard at laurasteelyard@redtape.org

There will be a CPD session for all staff where the singing resources will be shared on **25 April 3.45pm - 5.45pm at Acres Hill Community Primary School.**

There will be live online lessons for all pupils taking part on the **9th and 16th June at 10.30am**

Art Exhibition

Following on from last year's successful art exhibition we will be repeating this again. Each school is invited to display 10 pieces of art on the theme, 'Together' at The Circle on 22nd May onwards. More information to follow shortly.

Grimm & Co – Creative Courage Workshop

The final Creative Courage teacher CPD session is due to take place on **Wednesday 19 April, 1.15pm – 4.15pm** at Manor Oaks House, address details are below.

Manor Oaks House
197 Manor Lane
S2 1UJ

During this session, teachers will need to make their own interactive props and we have been asked by Grimm & Co colleagues if those attending could bring along with them a glue gun to help with this activity. If each school could bring along one glue gun and some glue sticks, that would be really helpful.

A number of teachers at the last session requested a handout of the activities explored. Please find a copy of this attached. Can you please ensure this is passed on to all staff attending so they are aware.

We've been asked by the venue if we could please use the rear door (by the venue patio/garden area) when entering Manor Oaks House. Please do not use the front door to the main building.

Art CPD Sessions

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.

- 23rd May 2.00pm - 4.30pm
- 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

OU Schools Reading Programme 23/24 for Years 2-9

A flier for both the primary and the KS3 programmes are attached. The programme begins in the autumn term 2023. Teresa Cremin is keen to work with the SSELP schools as a network. She is offering a reduced fee and SSELP will cover 50% of the cost for participating schools.

Teresa Cremin will be holding a briefing for SSELP on **Thursday 27th April 2.00pm - 3.15pm, by Zoom**. The link for the meeting can be found [here](#). We have had a good response and most SSELP schools will be attending. It is important that heads attend the briefing as it is a whole school programme that needs senior leadership involvement. If you can't attend, please could a member of SLT represent you, together with the literacy lead if at all possible.

We have asked Teresa to reserve a minimum of 8 places on the 2023-24 programme for SSELP schools so a quick response after the briefing, if you wish to be involved would be appreciated.

DHT/AHT Network

A huge thank you to everyone who attended Friday's DHT/AHT session at Gleadless. It was excellent to have input from Marc Rowland about the latest research and evidence in relation to how we can most effectively support our disadvantaged pupils. There were some useful discussions and reflections, the outcomes of which I'm sure will have an impact on the children in our schools.

Please find attached to this bulletin the slides from the session.

Y6 Moderation Network

The next Y6 Moderation Network takes place on the 30 March, 2.30pm – 4.00pm at Prince Edward Primary School.

Could teachers attending please bring three examples of writing from children who are judged to be working at the expected standard. If you have any other children that you would like the group to look at together (including any borderline children) please feel free to bring this evidence along too.

Learning Mentor Network – NEW DATE

Unfortunately, we have had to rearrange the Learning Mentor Network that was due to take place on 30 March. This has been rearranged to take place at 2.00pm on the 20 April via Zoom. Joining instructions are included below.

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

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Apologies for any inconvenience.

SALT Update

Workshops

Thank you to those who have already attended our workshops around speech sound/phonological awareness and vocabulary pre-teaching. If you weren't able to make the workshop but would like to have a look at the information, this will be uploaded to the shared drive.

The upcoming workshops programme is:

What?	When?	Where?
28 th March	Snack time	CANCELLED
29 th March	Shape coding	Acres Hill
19 th April	Engaging with Sheffield SALT service	TBC – possibly Acres Hill/Flockton House
20 th April	Emotional regulation	Pipworth

25 th April	Signing	Tinsley
26 th April	Key word activities	Wybourn
2 nd May	Parent workshop Network meeting	Tinsley Meadows

The workshops will be aimed at developing a basic/refresher level understanding of each topic area, and will be as practical as possible, with the opportunity for you to create/take home relevant resources that you can put into action straight away.

There's a signup sheet for each workshop on the shared Google Drive in the usual place.

Next steps

In the Summer term we will be entering the final stage of the project, where each school will receive a final combined mentoring and audit session. This will be a full day visit which will include a final mentoring session (covering any aspect of wave 1 and 2 support or content from the workshops as appropriate), and an outcome audit (based on the audit that was completed at the beginning of the project). As part of this audit visit, we would like to be able to meet with a member of the senior leadership team at school to discuss what impact the project has had. I will be uploading a spreadsheet to the shared drive soon for each school to sign up for a full day session and will let you know when this is live.

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 sselp@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](#)

[Speech Sound/Phonological Awareness and Vocabulary Pre-Teaching materials](#)

Dates for the next fortnight:

29th March – 2.00pm – 4.00pm – SALT – Shape Coding

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

29th March – 4.00pm – 6.00pm – Subject Leadership Development w/ Nick Whittaker

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

30th March – 2.30pm – 4.00pm – Y6 Moderation Network

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

19th April – 2.00pm – 4.00pm - SALT – Engaging with SALT Service

TBC – Acres Hill/Flockton House

19th April – 1.15pm – 4.15pm – Grimm & Co CPD

Manor Oaks House, 197 Manor Lane, S2 1UJ

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Pipworth Community Primary School, Pipworth Road, S2 1AA

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25th April – 2.00pm – 4.00pm - SALT – Signing

Tinsley Meadows Primary Academy, Norborough Road, S9 1SG

26th April – 2.00pm – 4.00pm - SALT – Key Word Activities

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