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Outlook

The Sutton Academy Newsletter

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Celebrating World Book Day

This year we celebrated the 20th anniversary of World Book Day by having lessons dedicated to the many talented writers and wonderful stories that have been published around the world. World Book day is the biggest celebration of its kind, designated by UNESCO as a worldwide celebration of books and reading, and marked in over 100 countries all over the world.

Literacy and reading is one of the most important part of our work at The Sutton Academy; we actively encourage and support all our students to expand their horizons, learn new skills,



Pictured - Staff dressed up in their favourite characters.

and, most importantly, discover the joy of reading. It helps students develop their writing, analytical skills and personal relationships with others.

Members of staff across the Academy became their favourite fictional characters to enchant the students - and make the fictional world of writing real! We awarded prizes to Miss Tomlinson, Mr Griffin and Mr Tutty for their exceptional efforts. Mr Griffin became Spider Man - swinging in and out of classrooms declaiming "Read dudes - it's cool!"

Next year we will make World Book Day even more exciting! Thank you to everyone involved and here's to 2018!

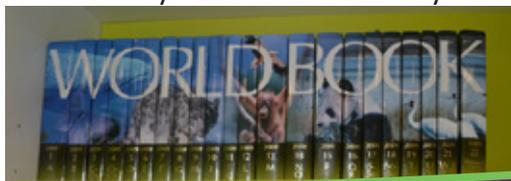
Mr Lovelady - Director of Literacy



Mrs Tomlinson



Mr Tutty



Mr Griffin

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Year 9 students join the Brilliant Club

This term 12 of our year 9 students will be taking part in an access initiative called The Scholars' Programme run by the educational charity, The Brilliant Club.

The Brilliant Club works to help students progress to highly-selective universities by training PhD researchers to share their academic expertise with pupils.

The Scholars' Programme is delivered by a PhD Tutor and involves two trips to highly selective universities and four in-school tutorials.

We're sure that you will agree taking part in The Scholars' Programme is a really exciting opportunity for our pupils.

Year 8 Faith Day

On Wednesday 8th March, our Year 8 students took part in a 'Faith Day' as part of their PSHCE curriculum.

The day was designed to give our students insight and understanding into a variety of different religions and humanitarian causes. Representatives from local faith groups and charities delivered sessions to the students throughout the day.

It was a very thought-provoking and inspiring day for our students, and we would like to send a big thank you to the organisations and individuals who supported us in making the day such a great success.



NEW TAEKWONDO CLUB
Coming Soon
Every Friday in the Sports Hall
See Miss Mason for further details



Congratulations to Lexi Robinson 8N who won the top prize in our Dream Team Community Raffle. Lexi won a

family ticket to watch Saints play Leeds Rhinos on 9 February 2017. The raffle raised £50 which will be donated to this years Comic Relief appeal.

The Academy Orchestra

The academy orchestra meet every Tuesday after school for rehearsals and are going from strength to strength each week.



Year 7 Partnership Evening

Thursday 23 March 4pm - 7pm

This is an opportunity for parents to meet teachers and subject leaders to discuss their child's progress.

