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NEWSLETTER Thursday 13th January 2022

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the Spring term! I can hardly believe the holidays are over and we are back into the swing of school life. Another busy and exciting term lies ahead.

CLASS INFORMATION

Please keep an eye on the school website & TEAMS for information about what your children will be learning in each class this term. Staff will be up-loading topic webs and class newsletters.

REMINDER: all children need to have sweatshirts in school – we are keeping the building well ventilated, and it does get a bit chilly sometimes! Coats are also necessary as we aim to get out as much as possible.

SPRING TERM CLUBS

Alongside our usual Breakfast & after school care we also have the following clubs this term:

- **Saints Southwest Football Club**
Day; Thursday
Age Group; Whole School
Club; Football
Dates; 6th January - 7th April (excluding Half Term)
- Dance Mondays will be **Dance with Premier Sports**, please see attached flyer sent by Amanda
- **KS2 handball club Mr Tanner** will be running this on a Wednesday from the 5th of Jan, excluding the 26th of January.
- **French Club Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:30pm**
- **STEM: Young Engineers Club** for Classes 1 and 2 will also run on a Tuesday

LANDSCOVE LEARNERS



In DT, Class 4 have been looking at the different structures of bridges. We have

Class One are really enjoying their new 'space' topic. They have already made alien spaceships and have explored what the world would like from them. In their Literacy learning the Reception children have been retelling the story of Baby Bear's journey to the moon in the story 'Whatever Next!' and in the 'space station' role-play area they've been budding astronauts!



also been investigating what makes a bridge strong and why. Our challenge was to create a bridge sturdy enough that our person (teddy) could stand on the bridge without collapsing using only books and one piece of paper. We found that if the paper was folded up into a concertina shape it was sturdier. We discovered that this was due to the triangular shape that it created.



Class 2 have been learning about algorithms in computing this week. We found out that to move a bee-bot, you need to give them commands/algorithms by pressing their buttons. This is almost like giving someone directions to move around - so we did just that!



Class three's trip to Torquay Museum

Wow! This was such an incredible way to start exploring 'what the pyramids teach us about life in ancient Egypt.' It's not every day that you get to meet a real mummy boy! We also wrote our names in hieroglyphics, crafted scarab beetles from clay, played board games, dressed up and took part in an embalming workshop.



DANCE @ SDCC

Would you be interested in the Boys Dance Project or Leap Ahead? See details to get involved!



LEAP AHEAD

YEAR 4, 5 & 6 DANCE PROJECT

MEET NEW PEOPLE. LEARN NEW MOVES. BE PART OF DANCE AT SDCC.

JOIN US AS WE RE-LAUNCH OUR EXCITING PRIMARY DANCE PROJECT AT SOUTH DARTMOOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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| Thursday Evenings 3:30-4:30pm | 27 th January – 10 th March (See Performance dates below) | Dance Studio (DA1) South Dartmoor Community College |
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FREE PROJECT
(Cost of Leap Ahead t-shirt is additional, orders will be made on the first session)


6 weekly workshops, creating a performance piece to showcase at the SDCC Annual Dance Production, Body Language 2022.

Performance dates are below and all dancers must be able to commit to each performance in order to secure a space on the project;

Body Language 2022 – Wednesday 16th & Friday 18th March
DSSP Primary Dance Show – Wednesday 30th March


SIGN UP IS REQUIRED.
PLEASE EMAIL MRS SLATER TO SECURE YOUR PLACE.
Email: aslater@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk

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BOYS DANCE PROJECT 2022

WELCOME BACK



Join the BDP team at SDCC for another exciting term of workshops and performances at South Dartmoor Community College

6 Week Project - (starting on 26/1/22)

Weekly workshops on Wednesday evenings (3:45-4:45pm)

Take place in the Main Hall, SDCC (TQ13 7EW)

Cost - £25.00 (includes BDP uniform, all workshops and performances)

Participants MUST be able to commit to performances on Wednesday 16th March, Friday 18th March, Wednesday 30th March

SIGN UP IS REQUIRED.

PLEASE CONTACT THE DANCE TEAM TO SECURE YOUR PLACE

EMAIL: aslater@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk

SAFEGUARDING & ATTENDANCE

Please ensure Amanda has your most up-to-date contact details in school. We would also like to remind you to let us know if arrangements for picking up your children change – we won't let children leave if we don't have the right permissions – this isn't us being a pain; our aim to keep your children safe!

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| Attendance: (Our school target is 97%) | |
| Whole school | 96.1 % |
| Class 1 | 94.8% |
| Class 2 | 98.5% |
| Class 3 | 92.3% |
| Class 4 | 97.4% |
| Well done to class 2! | |

That's all the news for now. Have a restful weekend.

Jill Ryder.