



The Bulletin

Your Weekly News Update from The Suthers School

In Brief:

- ◆ **Our Word of the Week**
was 'sequence', one of the expert terms students need to know for Maths.
- ◆ **Year 9 Twycross Zoo Visit**
A reminder that Year 9 will be travelling to Twycross Zoo on Wednesday 12 Feb as part of their study of Biology in Science this term.
- ◆ **Is your child eligible for Free School Meals?** You can find out and register with Notts County Council by clicking [here](#)
- ◆ **Every School Day Matters**
A reminder that maintaining an excellent attendance record is vitally important. Please only keep your child off school if absolutely necessary and please make sure you report their reason for absence by 8:30am. Call 01636 957690 Option 1.
- ◆ **WE DAY 2020 4.03.20**
Details about this year's WE Day event, celebrating the power of social action and championing young change-makers will be taking place in London on 4 March. Invitations will be going out to those who have earned a place next week.

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MUSIC AND MAGIC OF MATILDA ON STAGE

On Wednesday, Year 8 and Year 9 students were treated to the truly magical rendition of Roald Dahl's *Matilda* at the Cambridge Theatre, London. The multi-award-winning musical from the Royal Shakespeare Company tells the incredible story of a truly extraordinary girl who—armed with a vivid imagination and a sharp mind—dares to take a stand and change her own destiny. For some, it was their very first experience of the theatre and it was great to hear so many of them taking so excitedly about the experience in school the next day. A big thank you to Mr Willson and Mrs Cunniffe who arranged the trip and are already looking at the next adventure into the arts for Suthers.



BON APPÉTIT IN FRENCH FOR OUR YEAR 8

Year 8 have been putting their mastery of French vocabulary to the test in a very practical way this half term with an independent study challenge which has included the chance to search, translate and even create recipes in French. We have been impressed by the levels of hard work and curiosity shown by our students, especially those who have put together videos, PowerPoints and handwritten records of themselves in action. With Valentine's Day coming up and Pancake Day not far off, why not try an unusual crêpe recipe yourself? Click [here](#) to visit the French cookery site our students have been using. Bon appétit!



MEET OUR NEW TEAM OF HOUSE CAPTAINS



Congratulations to Sam (Year 8), Erin, Georgia (Year 9) and Lara (Year 7) who have now been appointed as House Captains for 2019-2020. They will work alongside the Student Council and our new Epraise Champions (Emily and Anya in Year 9) to further develop the House system and champion their own Houses in all the forthcoming competitions and challenges. All of the students appointed were selected on the basis of their applications by a Student Council selection panel. Well done!