



SEBERT WOOD NEWS



CURRICULUM REVIEW

Following research by Ofsted into the effectiveness of curriculum design, a new inspection framework will be introduced in September 2019, which Ofsted have said will focus more on the curriculum and less on data! As a school we are currently reviewing our curriculum based on three main factors identified by Ofsted. Known as 'the 3 'i's' they are, *Intent*—what are we trying to achieve with our curriculum? *Implementation*—how do we deliver the curriculum, and *Impact*—what difference is the curriculum making to our pupils? These are great questions to ask and we are working with all staff and with the Governors Curriculum Committee to consider each of these questions and review our approaches to the curriculum. Ofsted have made it clear that they do not want schools to rush such a big undertaking and they understand this is a 'work in progress'. Based on this work, if we change any aspects of the curriculum we will update our website and share these developments with you.

School Roofing Works

The roof is almost complete, with the solar panels being put back into place this week. Thank you to everyone for your patience and understanding during this major project.

FOSWS NEWS

Please save the date for the FOSWS Tech trail on Monday 10th May. There will be a FOSWS Parentmail going out with more details soon.

Farewell & Welcome

Our thanks to Mrs Watson who has been covering in Year 5 this term. She has done a great job working alongside Mr Tottie and we wish her all the best for the future. After the Easter break Mr Desira is joining the teaching team as the new permanent teacher for Class 11. We are looking forward to welcoming him to Sebert Wood and working with him.

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VIA PARENTMAIL

Have a great Easter break.....from everyone at Sebert Wood Primary School! We look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 24th April.

WHAT DO PUPILS DO WHEN THEY'RE NOT AT SCHOOL?

On Saturday 16 March, Isabella Dallorzo (Class 12) ran her very own cake sale to raise money for cancer research. Using her own ideas Isabella decided to complete two of her Brownie badges, for *Baking* and *Charity* work. She chose Cancer Research, as someone she knows well is currently fighting the disease. She ran the sale for 3 hours outside Moreton Hall Church and raised an amazing £914.22 which was match funded by Barclays and along with other donations she has now raised over £2000. A very impressive and thoughtful achievement Isabella!



Souparnika Binu Nair (Class 9) recently performed at the prestigious Norfolk County Music Festival and Colchester Rotary Music and Dance Festival. In Norfolk she was awarded a certificate for the *Outstanding Performance 2019* and at Colchester received a *Distinction and Gold Medal for Singer of the Year* in the General/Pop category. She then went on to receive the prize for *Performer of the Festival*, where she competed against all ages, including adults. She received an impressive engraved shield which she brought into school to receive in assembly. Sou now has the chance to compete at district and national level. Congratulations and best wishes Sou as her singing career goes from strength to strength.



Theo Baillie (Class 8) achieved his Chief Scout's Bronze Award after only a year of being a Beaver, as well as earning a further 21 badges! Daphne Grainger (Class 8) also completed her Bronze Chief Scout Award last month. Both achieved this in just one year. Thank you to the Beaver Leaders at Great Barton Seasons group and a huge well done to Theo and Daphne for their excellent achievements!



Grace Long (Class 10) competed for Bury Spectrum in the Suffolk Gymnastics Association Level 2 competition in Ipswich last weekend. She received a certificate and bronze and silver medals which she showed in assembly. A fantastic achievement Grace, well done!

In assembly last Wednesday we were treated to some superb live music, as Juliette Mead (Class 11) played piano in assembly. Juliette is now working towards her Grade 2 Piano. Well done and thank you Juliette!

If your child has a hobby, interest or achievement outside of school, in any field, please let Mr Dewhurst or the school office know about it and you may get a mention in this newsletter. You can send a note in via your child's class outlining the key information or send an email via the admin email address.

SCOOTERS, BIKES AND WEELIES!

Children who come to school on bicycles and scooters should park them in the main cycle park at the front of the school site. They should not ride them on the school grounds and should always walk them to the bike/scooter park. We have noticed that some children are wearing weelies (Heelys) shoes to school. Please note that for