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VAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA VAHEGURU JI KI FATEH



SEVAK SEAV KARAHAE SABH THAEREE

“O LORD. ALL THINE SERVANTS, WHO
RELISH THE NAME. PERFORM THY
SERVICE. HE, WHO EFFACES HIS SELF-
CONCEIT FROM WITHIN HIMSELF,
BECOMES PURE BY GURU'S GRACE.”

SRI GURU GRANTH SAHIB JI - ANG 599



Hukamnama Sahib

A message for us all to reflect upon, given this morning from the Siri Guru Granth Sahib Ji (Sikh Holy Scriptures) from the holiest of Sikh sites Siri Harmandir Sahib (Golden Temple) in Amritsar, Panjab, India.

ਰਾਮਕਲੀ ਮਹਲਾ ੫ ॥

Raamkalee, Fifth Mehl:

ਅੰਗੀਕਾਰੁ ਕੀਆ ਪ੍ਰਭਿ ਅਪਨੈ ਬੈਰੀ ਸਗਲੇ ਸਾਧੇ ॥

God has made me His own, and vanquished all my enemies.

ਜਿਨਿ ਬੈਰੀ ਹੈ ਇਹੁ ਜਗੁ ਲੂਟਿਆ ਤੇ ਬੈਰੀ ਲੈ ਬਾਧੇ ॥੧॥

Those enemies who have plundered this world, have all been placed in bondage. ||1||

ਸਤਿਗੁਰੁ ਪਰਮੇਸਰੁ ਮੇਰਾ ॥

The True Guru is my Transcendent Lord.

ਅਨਿਕ ਰਾਜ ਭੋਗ ਰਸ ਮਾਣੀ ਨਾਉ ਜਪੀ ਭਰਵਾਸਾ ਤੇਰਾ ॥੧॥ ਰਹਾਉ ॥

I enjoy countless pleasures of power and tasty delights, chanting Your Name, and placing my faith in You. ||1||Pause||

ਚੀਤਿ ਨ ਆਵਸਿ ਦੂਜੀ ਬਾਤਾ ਸਿਰ ਉਪਰਿ ਰਖਵਾਰਾ ॥

I do not think of any other at all. The Lord is my protector, above my head.

ਬੇਪਰਵਾਰੁ ਰਹਤ ਹੈ ਸੁਆਮੀ ਇਕ ਨਾਮ ਕੈ ਆਧਾਰਾ ॥੨॥

I am carefree and independent, when I have the Support of Your Name, O my Lord and Master. ||2||

ਪੂਰਨ ਹੋਇ ਮਿਲਿਓ ਸੁਖਦਾਈ ਉਨ ਨ ਕਾਈ ਬਾਤਾ ॥

I have become perfect, meeting with the Giver of peace, and now, I lack nothing at all.

ਤਤੁ ਸਾਰੁ ਪਰਮ ਪਦੁ ਪਾਇਆ ਛੋਡਿ ਨ ਕਤਹੁ ਜਾਤਾ ॥੩॥

I have obtained the essence of excellence, the supreme status; I shall not forsake it to go anywhere else. ||3||

ਬਰਨਿ ਨ ਸਾਕਉ ਜੈਸਾ ਤੂ ਹੈ ਸਾਚੇ ਅਲਖ ਅਪਾਰਾ ॥

I cannot describe how You are, O True Lord, unseen, infinite,

ਅਤੁਲ ਅਥਾਹ ਅਡੋਲ ਸੁਆਮੀ ਨਾਨਕ ਖਸਮੁ ਹਮਾਰਾ ॥੪॥੫॥

immeasurable, unfathomable and unmoving Lord. O Nanak, He is my Lord and Master. ||4||5||

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Principal's Message

Mrs. S. Sanghera

International Women's Day

In Sikh faith history many women are recognisable for their bravery, devotion and compassion. They made decisions and took actions that shaped Sikh history and challenged thinking to defy what was thought possible at the time, and is still acknowledged today.

The figure from Sikh history, who we have linked to our House Points System for Naam Japna (Remember God), is Mata Sahib Kaur Ji.

Mata Ji was the wife of the 10th Guru, Guru Gobind Singh Ji, and is the spiritual mother of the Khalsa (initiated Sikh community). Mata Ji spent all of her life devoting time to Prema Bhagti (meditation with true love).

The honour given to women is elevated through the inclusion of the following quote in the Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji (Sikh Holy Scriptures):

ਸੋ ਕਿਉ ਮੰਦਾ ਆਖੀਐ ਜਿਤੁ ਜੰਮਹਿ ਰਾਜਾਨ ॥

so kiau ma(n)dhaa aakheeaai jit ja(n)meh raajaan ||

So why call her bad? From her, kings are born.

May the courage and strength of women around the world, both in the past and present, inspire us all to strive for a more inclusive and equitable society today and in the future.

PARENT NOTICES

The Virtue of this half-term is:

TOLERANCE

Monday 11th - Monday 18th March

Year 11 Spoken Language Assessments

Wednesday 20th March

Hard Hat Planting Activity
Students to wear bright colours

Thursday 21st & Friday 22nd March

Year 11 Geography Field Trip

Friday 22nd March

Last Day of Term

Monday 8th April

First Day of Term - 08:30am

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SEVA STARS OF THE WEEK



SERVICE



Mrs P Kaur nominated Amreen in Year 5. She is always helpful and helps to do jobs in the classroom.
Well done.

EXCELLENCE



Mrs Dosanjh nominated Durelle in year Reception. He is new to the school and has settled in quickly, he has a positive attitude to learning and always does his best.
Well Done.

VIRTUES



Ms Gabriel nominated Amrit in year 8 for always going above and beyond when it comes to listening to instructions. Furthermore, she always strives to do her best in lessons.
Well Done.

ASPIRATIONS



Mrs Dhillon nominated Azizat in year 11 for always striving for more and working conscientiously towards fulfilling her full potential.
Well Done.



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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



At the International Women's Day Conference we met Sharandeep Sahota, a student that was part of our very first Year 7 cohort. She is now at University studying Law. Our students in Year 10 had the privilege of talking to her about her achievements including The prestigious Gold Duke of Edinburgh Award, Young Carers Award 2023 and Finalist in Who Cares Wins. They were impressed by her journey and we are all proud of her outstanding achievements.



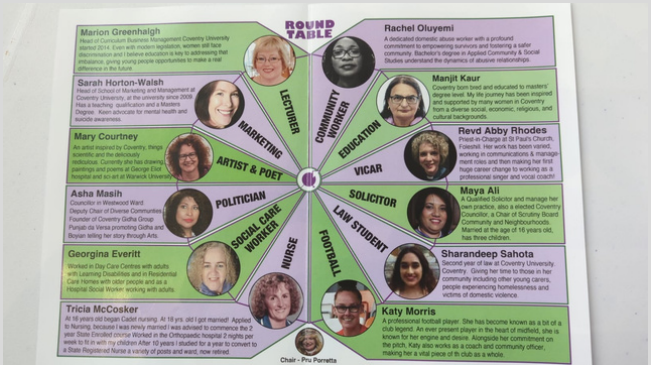
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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



We honoured International Women's Day at Seva by discussing and reflecting upon the role women play in our lives, communities, cultures and faiths. Students in Year 10 were invited to attend a conference held at the Priory Visitor Centre in Coventry to meet 12 exceptional women. They listened to their inspirational stories including about their successes despite experiencing adverse circumstances. Students and adults alike were astounded by their humility, courage, resilience and tenacity.

Mrs Sanghera.



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PRIMARY NEWS



On Friday 8th March some of our Primary students attended the Young Writer Finalist Event at the Coventry Building Society Arena. Congratulations to the following students:

- Ishaani – Year 3, 3S - High Commended EAL
- Neil – Year 4, 4S - 2nd Place EAL
- Leon – Year 5, 5S - High Commended EAL
- Zion – Year 6, 6S – High Commended EAL

Mrs Satsangi

Comments from parents:

“Neil secured runner up position in EAL category. He was given a certificate, Kindle kids device and a gift card. Thank you for your and school's support in developing kids and inspire to do such activities.”

“Thanks a lot for encouraging Ishaani and giving right guidance on every step of her academic journey.”

“Thank you for the endless support and motivation you have given Ishaani .It is a great achievement that students from Seva School have been selected.”



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PRIMARY NEWS

Congratulations to all winners of the World Book Day Paper Plate Character Competition. We had a very difficult task to choose the winners out of so many amazing entries. Hope you enjoy your prizes of new books and scented bookmarks.

RS - Sehaj
 1S – Jasmayera
 2S – Ekbir
 2A – Lola
 3S – Ajeet
 4S – Jai
 4A – Jodh
 5S – Meharvaan
 5A – Baanie
 6S – Dilraj
 6A – Achint



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Congratulations to the winners of the World Book Day Where's Wally Hunt! On World Book Day, Mrs Satsangi set a challenge for all Primary to go for a Wally Hunt. Wally was hiding in several places around the playground and the following children were the first ones to find Wally. Hope you enjoy your prizes of new books and scented bookmarks. Well done!

1S – Joint winners – Ajeet and Daya

5A – Akshnoor



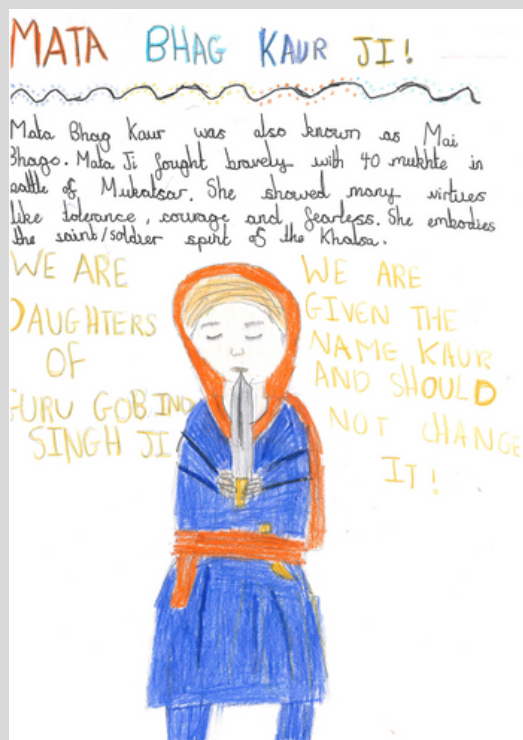
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In celebration of International Women's Day on Friday 8th March pupils in class 5A were learning and remembering important Sikh women from our Guru's times. Some of these women were relations to the Gurus including Bebe Nanaki Ji, who is Guru Nanak Dev Ji's sister to Mata Gujar Kaur, who is the mother of Guru Gobind Singh Ji. Some of the other women we honoured were Sikhs who followed and embodied the virtues that are given them by their Gurus. Including Mai Bhag Kaur, who fought bravely in the Battle of Mukhtsar and Bibi Harsharan Kaur, who cremated the bodies of many Sikh soldiers and bodies of the two older sons of Guru Gobind Singh Ji following the Battle of Chamkaur. We thought about and discussed the key role Sikh women have played in upholding the virtues of the Sikh faith. The children enjoyed learning about the key contributions these women made and we were inspired by the legacy that they left us. Here are two information posters for you to enjoy. Well done, to Chiraag for her colourful poster about Mai Bhag Kaur and Angelica's amazing poster reminds all Sikh women that they are the daughters of Guru Gobind Singh Ji and we were given the name Kaur.

Mrs P Kaur



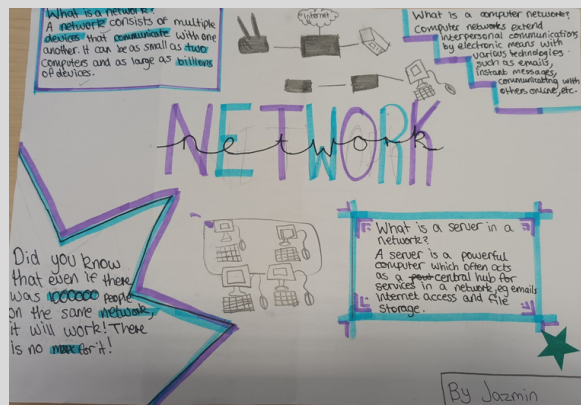
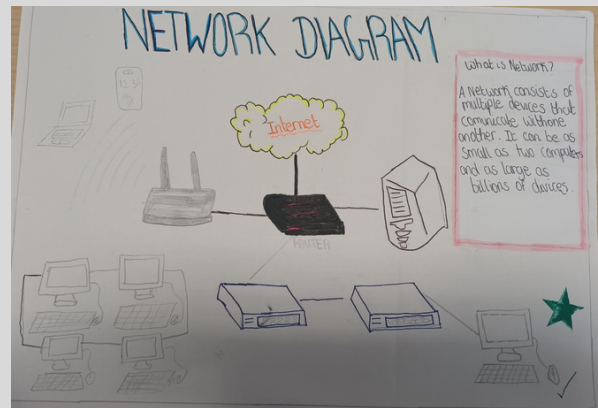
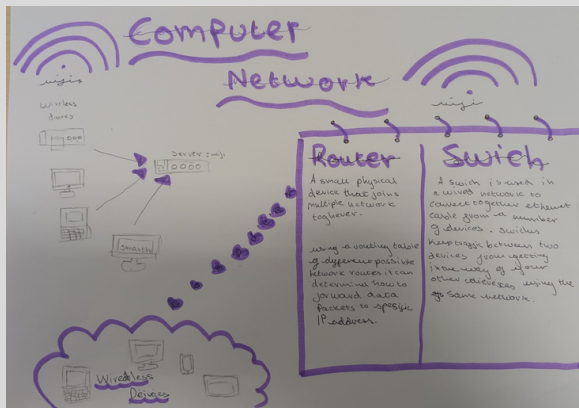
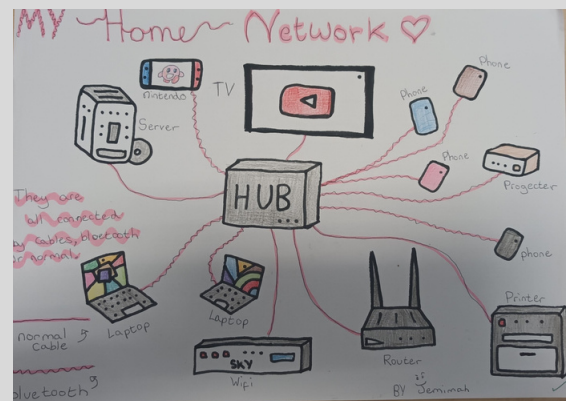
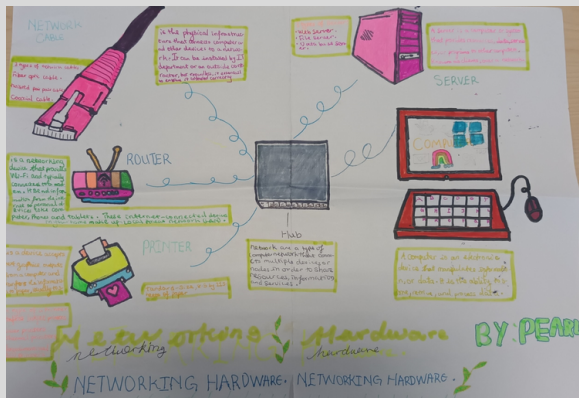
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SECONDARY NEWS



Year 7 have been learning about networks this term and have discovered the many different ways devices can be connected and what happens in the virtual world during a connection. They have put in time and effort to produce wonderful posters to demonstrate their understanding of network infrastructure. Here are some of them:

Mrs Ndongala



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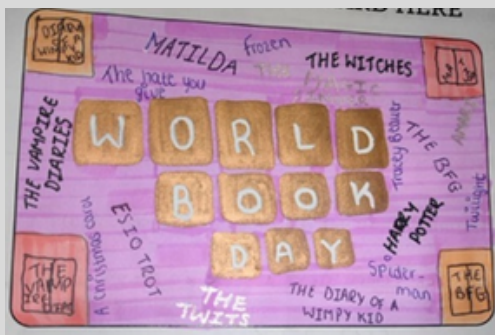
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Last Thursday, pupils in Secondary engaged in several World Book Day activities which included:

- Gaining an overview of WBD, its history, its importance, top tips and how reading can support one's wellbeing.
- Exploring new books to read by renowned authors.
- Designing a 'National World Book Day Book Token' for the company's annual competition. Pupils produced some beautiful entries (displayed around the page); fingers crossed, one of these artistic entries will be chosen as winning ones from entrants across the country!
- Creating a 100-word saga based on the theme of 'Catastrophe'.

Mrs M Gill



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TITLE: School Incident

Write your story here from word per line. There are 100 lines below, so if you stick to one word per line you won't exceed the maximum length. SP Abbreviating some words - e.g. 'I' or 'can become 'I'.

I had school been the the first friends in then from this they I am friends are

you at school the past night to go. I see to one came, I was my friends a group a prank and never should a "guy" now panicky because it my are hope than who these people with me.

TITLE: The day is all ended!

Write your story here from word per line. There are 100 lines below, so if you stick to one word per line you won't exceed the maximum length. SP Abbreviating some words - e.g. 'I' or 'can become 'I'.

Screams. Houses tumbling Rocks falling
off cliffs. This was the
storm after the calm. There
was nothing we could do.
We had already taken off.
All we could do now
was wait. Never had I
ever seen a Tsunami this
menacing before. Everything went dark...
Sooner or later we would've
been swept away. Little did
I know that it was
the end. Emergency evacuation plan
activated find a way to
escape the village! I had
to find a way to
escape, there was no other
option. I didn't mean for
this to happen but I
had to go.

TITLE: In Heaven and Hell Moments in the homeward drive

Write your story here from word per line. There are 100 lines below, so if you stick to one word per line you won't exceed the maximum length. SP Abbreviating some words - e.g. 'I' or 'can become 'I'.

As the night ceased it's
grasp, I could feel the
the dark energy from
my vessel as the blissful
energy bleed into it. I
felt hopeful, yet it was
a luxury I couldn't have,
I had to be vigilant,
if I fell now, the
world would be in chaos.
Nothing but death. AS I
went to check on it,
behind me, Sprung fire Angel
classes - the strongest in the
light, I had barely defeated
one, it was at this
moment I perceived the cruel
reality that I was it's
only hope. I could not,
will not, let it die.

TITLE: BANG

Write your story here from word per line. There are 100 lines below, so if you stick to one word per line you won't exceed the maximum length. SP Abbreviating some words - e.g. 'I' or 'can become 'I'.

The bombs have started again
It's been 2 years since
the great war has started
its been a year since
my family and I went
into hiding. Why? Because
are Jewish. BANG BANG BANG!
I look outside the window
and watch the world
know slowly turn to
when would it be ashes
turn? I can't stand to
stay here in the dark.
when will we go to
Paradise? BEEP BEEP BANG!
I'm still BEEP BEEP BANG!
dad, Joe?.. why wait. Mom,
leave me, why did you
survivor, I'm all the only
alone...

TITLE: Fall Of Fly

Write your story here from word per line. There are 100 lines below, so if you stick to one word per line you won't exceed the maximum length. SP Abbreviating some words - e.g. 'I' or 'can become 'I'.

I opened my eyes, Sirens
Dentures across my eyes. I
looked around in despair and
or asking someone what's
on. I looked outside the
window and knots when I
realised the plane was about
to crash! Smoke filled the
what was that blue sky
even I started wondering the
sounds of the engine filled my
ears, I thought "IS
this it?" "AM I going
to die?" My whole life
flashed before my eyes. The
flight attendant was feeling
to calm down and that's
when silence filled the
cabin. Everything was orange and yellow.



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SECONDARY NEWS



World Book Day Characters in Secondary.

It was lovely to see some Secondary pupils dressing up as a character from such a wide variety of fictional books - well done and keep it up for next year.

Secondary English Department



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HOUSE POINTS SYSTEM & RESULTS



Our School's Mission Statement

"The Truth is High: Higher Still is Truthful Living"

Guru Nanak Dev Ji - Founder of the Sikh faith

Our house points system is aligned to the 3 key principles of the Sikh faith.
Each of the houses are also assigned a key figure from Sikh faith history.

Weekly House Points Results from 4th March to 8th March

NAAM
SEVA SCHOOL
JAPNA
Remember God
Mata Sahib Kaur Ji

1345

VAND
SEVA SCHOOL
CHHAKNA
Share good will
Bhai Khanaiya Ji

1335

KIRAT
SEVA SCHOOL
KARNI
Work hard
Baba Budha Ji

1685

The house with the most points this week is:

Kirat Karni

CONGRATULATIONS



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ATTENDANCE MATTERS



Attendance Teddy's Message

Congratulations to year 6 for the highest attendance this week.

Workshops

Parents requesting to take holidays during term time will be required to attend a workshop before any request is considered. The workshop will be held once a week on a Wednesday at 3:30pm - 4:30pm. This workshop is to highlight the importance of attendance and the detrimental impact of taking holidays during term time can have on your child's attainment and progress.

Medical Appointments

If your child has a medical appointment, please make sure you inform the school as soon as you get the appointment / 24 hrs in advance. You must also provide the school with a letter / appointment slip of the appointment.

Absence

If your child is absent from school due to illness, you must inform the school by 08:30am. You must call and leave a message on the absence line (option 1) or email attendance@seva.coventry.sch.uk clearly stating the pupil's name, year/class and a detailed reason for the absence. Reason of 'not well' is not acceptable.

Thank you.

CELEBRATING BEST ATTENDANCE FOR ALL YEAR GROUPS

4th MARCH - 8th MARCH

YEAR	%
RS	89.6
1	92.1
2	93.3
3	97.2
4	96.3
5	97.0
6	98.6
7	93.7
8	93.5
9	92.3
10	94.6
11	86.6
Weeks Average for Whole School	93.7

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Section 48 FAITH INSPECTION

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PRIMARY ADMISSIONS

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Email:

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To secure a place in primary for September 2025 apply by
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INFORMATION



We are a nut, meat, fish egg and gelatine free school.

Please note that items containing these ingredients are not to be brought on school site under any circumstances.

Thank you for your support.

ਅਸੀਂ ਸਾਰੇ ਕਿਸਮ ਦੇ ਨਟਸ, ਮੀਟ, ਮੱਛੀ, ਆਂਡੇ ਅਤੇ ਜਿਲੇਟਿਨ ਮੁਕਤ ਸਕੂਲ ਹਾਂ।

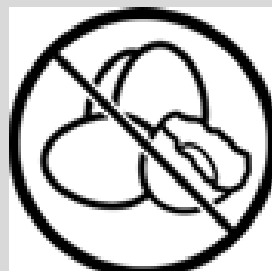
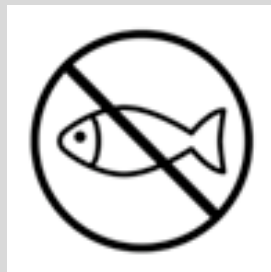
ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਨੋਟ ਕਰੋ ਕਿ ਇਹਨਾਂ ਸਮੱਗਰੀਆਂ ਵਾਲੀਆਂ ਚੀਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਹਾਲਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਈਟ 'ਤੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਲਿਆਂਦਾ ਜਾਣਾ ਚਾਹੀਦਾ।

ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਸਮਰਥਨ ਲਈ ਤੁਹਾਡਾ ਧੰਨਵਾਦ।

Noi sintem o scoala in care carnea, pestele, ouale si gelatina nu au voie sa fie aduse sau consumate in scoala .

Orice produs de mincare care contine aceste ingrediente nu este permis sa fie adus in scoala sub nici o forma.

Multumim pentru ajutor.



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INFORMATION



DOES YOUR CHILD OR YOUNG PERSON HAVE SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS?

Get in touch with us if you would like to join our next SENDIASS Coffee Morning. Meet other parents in a similar situation. Share with others in a friendly, non-judgemental environment, together with a member of staff from SENDIASS.

COFFEE MORNING
TUESDAY 19TH MARCH 2024
(9.30AM-11.30AM)

NEW VENUE!

**The Wave,
Coffee Tots Community Room**
New Union St, Coventry CV1 2PS

To book your place contact:
SEND Information, Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS)
Tel: 024 7669 4307 or email: iass@coventry.gov.uk



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TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN REMINDER



We have received numerous complaints from Denso and the Local Authority, which has resulted in them sending traffic enforcement officers out, this will result in fines being distributed to parents parking incorrectly and not following the temporary traffic management plan in place.

We need all parents to work with us, there is sufficient space on North View, if there is a queue to get into Miri Building then you should park at North View, no parking on yellow lines at all. Those exploiting the plan and entering Miri Building can expect a call from the school.

In the interest of health and safety for all, please support us, to support you in ensuring the traffic management plan is followed at all times.

Thank you.

Primary Drop Off and Pick Up

KEY CHANGES

Drop Off

- YR & Y1 **only** can park in Link House
- Y2 to Y6 can use the drop and go, not allowed to park in Link House.
- Staff member will be at the drop and go location

Pick Up

- School day finishes 5 minutes early
- YR & Y1 **only** can park in Link House
- Y2 & Y6 must park on North View and walk to collect child(ren) from normal collection point at Link House

PLEASE NOTE - If you have a child(ren) in Primary and Secondary, you must collect **all** children when Secondary day ends. The Primary child will be collected by their Secondary sibling at the end of the school day from a holding classroom.

NEW DROP OFF ARRANGEMENTS		
YEAR	MON - FRI	PARKING LOCATION
YR - Y1	8.10am - 8.30am	Can park in Link House Car Park
Y2 - Y6	8.10am - 8.30am	Turning circle in Link House Car Park - Drop and Go

NEW PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS			
YEAR	MON / WED / FRI	TUES / THURS	PARKING LOCATION
YR - Y1	2.55pm	3.55pm	Can park in Link House Car Park
Y2 - Y6	2.55pm	3.55pm	Ensure you park on North View and walk to collect child(ren)



Secondary Drop Off and Pick Up

KEY CHANGES

Drop Off

- Y7 to Y11 must park/drop off on North View
- Pupils must enter the school using the walkway next to Reception

Pick Up

- Y7 **only** can park in Link House
- Y8 to Y11 must park on North View and either wait for their child(ren) to walk to the car or collect by walking to the normal collection point at Link House.

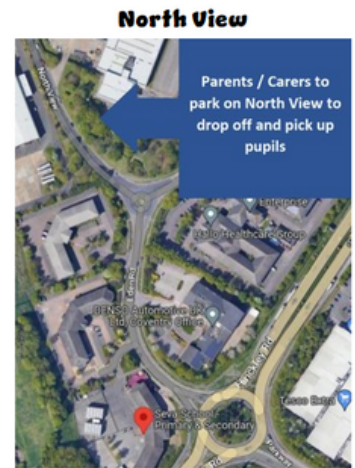
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NEW DROP OFF ARRANGEMENTS		
YEAR	MON - FRI	PARKING LOCATION
Y7 - Y11	8.10am - 8.30am	Ensure you park/drop off on North View

NEW PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS			
YEAR	MON / WED / FRI	TUES / THURS	PARKING LOCATION
Y7	3.15pm	4.15pm	Can park in Link House Car Park
Y8 - Y11	3.15pm	4.15pm	Ensure you park/collect pupils from North View



Drop Off and Pick Up Locations



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INFORMATION



Only on the days students have PE can they be in school wearing their school PE kits. This does not include branded wear, hoodies or leggings. **In order to maintain the quality of the 3G pitch students using it must wear astro boots, no studs or bladed boots.** The astro boots they wear must be black to keep aligned to our PE uniform expectations. The images below show what the astro boots look like as they have a different grip to usual trainers. If students are not wearing these boots and the correct PE uniform they may be asked to sit out or a call may be made to you to drop the correct PE uniform off. The black astro boots are available to buy in most sports wear shops including Sports Direct.

