

February 11th 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have reached the end of the first half of the Spring term and we have had a busy week.

Pupils have been taking part in special activities for Children's Mental Health week. Our focus on wellbeing continues all year round. One of the ways we do this is through Special Interests in secondary and Happiness Project in primary. Each Friday afternoon pupils get to choose their favourite activities and mix with staff and pupils from different classes.



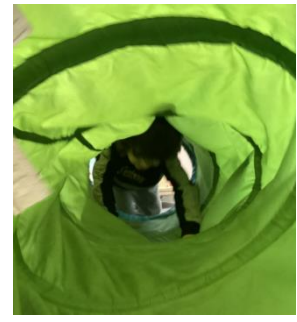
Arts and Crafts



Constructions



Playdough club



Sensory



Music and Singing



Art Club



Cooking Skills

Half Term Activities

There are a wide range of activities taking place over February Half Term for children and young people with SEN, including

- Playschemes
- African drumming
- SENSational stay and plays
- Podcasting and Tobogganing with Neurodiversity Hub
- Coding and computer club

Please see the local offer for details.

<https://localoffer.southwark.gov.uk/leisure/february-half-term-2024>

The Autism Support Team will be supporting SENSational Stay and Play staff to deliver an autism specific session for children aged 5-11 and their parents/carers. There will be a range of activities on offer across the day including, arts, craft, games and Capoeira. The session takes place at Dulwich Wood Children's Centre, with the benefit of some great outdoor space to roam freely and explore what's on offer.

The team will be there to lead some of the activities, to have fun with the children, as well as be available to talk with families directly. Colleagues from the Positive Behaviour Support (PBS) Team will also be on hand.

Places are limited, please register your interest via: <https://forms.office.com/e/1uHcNtR8mh> or scan QR code below:



Safer Internet Day

On Tuesday pupils developed their online safety skills through a range of activities and a special assembly.


There are lots of resources on our website to support families with online safety. You can find them [here](#).

And do always speak to us if you need help with devices.

Half term holidays

Have a restful half term break. We look forward to seeing everyone back at school on Monday February 19th.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steph Lea". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted.

Steph Lea

Executive Headteacher