

The Bulletin

Your Weekly News Update from The Suthers School



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In Brief:

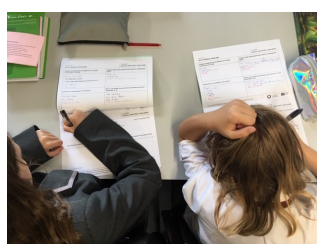
- ◆ **Our Word of the Week**
was 'proportion', one of the expert terms students need to learn in Art and Maths.
- ◆ **Y7 Meet the Tutor Evening**
We are holding a 'Meet the Tutor' evening on Thursday 18 October from 4:30—7:30 for all parents of Year 7. Students will be issued with appointment cards and a letter to explain the format next week.
- ◆ **Essential Equipment Check**
Make sure your child is set for study every day by checking our essential equipment list in the Student Planner or by clicking [here](#) to download your own copy.
- ◆ **Packed Lunch Reminder**
A reminder that students taking part in PE during Period 4a are required to bring a packed lunch on those days every week.

- ◆ **Is your child eligible for Free School Meals?** You can find out and register With Notts County Council [here](#)

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DIGITAL CREATORS CHALLENGE

This term, as part of their PSHEC curriculum, students have been taking part in a social enterprise project sponsored by Vodafone. The 'Digital Creators Challenge' is new for 2019 and is designed to boost students' digital skills as well as give them insight into possible careers in the exciting world of digital technology. Everyone who enters stands the chance of winning up to £6,000 to spend on IT equipment as well as an exclusive winners' experience day at Vodafone HQ. The competition focuses on the design of a new app but it's not all about technology; it's also about developing understanding of your local community and developing a product that will help make other people's lives better. Our students' projects are still in the early stages of development right now (see below) but we cannot wait to see what they put forward in their first pitch. Some of their initial ideas may even be ready to showcase at Open Evening next week!



OUR NEW MATHSWATCH LEADERBOARD

The results are in and at the end of the first 3 weeks of MathsWatch this year, there is already an impressive tally of tasks completed. It's great to see our new Year 7s up in the top 5 already! Brilliant tenacity—keep up the hard work everyone!

First Name	Surname	Assignment Q's
Leo	Vadagama	117
Megan	Smalley	112
Holly-Anne	Walker	107
Amilie	Ozolins	106
Zac	Harrison	103

The table above shows the students currently topping the table in terms of the number of assignments completed on MathsWatch, our web-based learning platform that supports independent learning in Maths.

ANNUAL YEAR 7 WELCOME MORNING



SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER 10-11:30AM

We will be hosting our third annual welcome morning for all new students on Saturday 12 October. The event—set up in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support—provides a great opportunity to meet staff, get to know other parents and have an informal tour of the school with your child. Friends, grandparents, siblings and other relatives welcome!