



SENCO Newsletter 2
Academic Year 2021-2022



What a fantastic start to the term it has been. We are so proud of how all the pupils have transitioned back to school from the summer holidays. It has been so lovely to welcome everyone back into the new 'normal'.

A big thank you to all parents who attended parents evening and were able to participate in discussions around your child's **learning plan**. If you were unable to make parents evenings, teachers and myself will be proactive in contacting you to arrange a convenient time to discuss your child's learning plan. 😊

We also had our first in person **SEND coffee morning**. It was a really lovely opportunity for us to discuss the SEND Information report the SEND offer poster and discuss agendas for this year's coffee mornings. We have drafted the following topics:

- SENDIASS Presentation – **Tuesday 30th November – 9am- 10am**
- Comic Strip Awareness and other strategies to support SEN
- Supporting Transitions
- THRIVE, Emotional triangles and emotional support
- SEND information Report took place on **Tuesday 12th October – 9am – 10am**

We would also like to welcome **Parent SEND advocate volunteer** Mrs Richardson to our team who is available for additional support. We look forward to welcoming Mrs Richardson to our team as we develop her role.

Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Higgins

SEND Information Report



<https://nsmacademy.com/send/>

Assess, Plan, Do Review cycle dates:

Assessment week:

Week Commencing:

Monday 13th December

Plan: Learning Plan Review Meetings

Week Commencing:

TBC

These will take place as a learning plan review evening.

SENCO Telephone Surgery drop in

If you would like to have a chat with me regarding any concerns of SEND issues, please book a telephone appointment slot at the office. Next appointment afternoons:-

Friday 12th November – AM

Monday 22nd November -AM

Tuesday 14th December - PM



Outside Agency Key information:



Creating fun opportunities for children with disabilities and additional needs.

You can find further information on their website on the link below.

W: <https://www.access-unlimited.co.uk/activitiesunlimited/>



Suffolk SENDIASS (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Information Advice and Support Service) is a confidential and impartial information, advice and support service on issues related to Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND). It is free, easy to access and confidential. We can help children, parents and young people take part in decisions that affect their lives.

We offer information, advice and support to:

- Children and young people (up to 25 years) with SEND
- Parents and carers of children with SEND
- Practitioners (who might support children, young people or parents to access our service)

Website: <https://suffolksendiass.co.uk/>