

The Bulletin

Your Weekly News Update from The Suthers School



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In Brief:

- ◆ **Our Word of the Week** was 'tolerance' and students have been exploring this theme in their class text *My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece*
- ◆ **Congratulations to Leo**, winner of The Suthers Reading Challenge Prize Draw!
- ◆ **Cashless Catering is coming**—from January 2018 we'll be moving across to a new fingerprint system. Letters about it are included with the Progress Reports
- ◆ **Our Student Ambassadors** started work on developing a House system this week and are busy gathering ideas for names!
- ◆ **Congratulations** to all students earning Praise Points this week—we've already added them to your accounts!
- ◆ **Your child's first Progress Report** will be published on Friday 17 November

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Saying Yes to Yellow!

This week ended on a high with our first ever non-uniform day, held in aid of Children in Need 2017. We raised more than £60 and our theme was 'Say Yes to Yellow'. As part of the build up, students' art skills were also put to the test, with every student creating their own Pudsey face mask which meant using a range of techniques including pattern, colour and shading. As you can see below, the results looked great!

This week also sees the publication of our very first set of Progress Reports. Students will be bringing these home on Friday and this will be your first chance to see how your child is doing in terms of their attainment, progress and approach to learning in all subjects. Detailed explanations of our target-setting and tracking processes will be included with the reports so please do make sure you read those through carefully.

The first Progress Reports will be followed up with a Parents' Evening on Monday 27 November where you will have the opportunity to learn more about target setting and how to make sense of progress measures. You will also have the chance to make an appointment to meet with your child's Form Tutor to discuss how they have settled in and what the first Progress Report is telling us.



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