

Tuesday 3rd January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Joint Curriculum Evening – Tuesday 10th January 6.00pm – 7.00pm at Solent Junior School

As advertised in our Autumn term newsletters, the Solent Schools will be holding their next Curriculum Evening on Tuesday 10th January 2023 from 6.00pm – 7.00pm. We are now writing to you with a link to sign up to attend this meeting. The focus of this meeting will be The Solent Schools' approach to pupil voice, online safety, and also ethos and values. We will also be giving you the opportunity to understand a little more about how mathematics is taught across our schools.

The main aims of the evening are:

- ✓ To provide an outline of The Solent Schools' Ethos and Values and approach to pupil voice.
- ✓ To show how teaching and learning through PSHE, assemblies and other strategies support the development of key skills such as independence, confidence and appropriate trust within our school community. To consider how these help us to keep safe.
- ✓ To help you to understand the potential risks that social media might present for your children in the future.
- ✓ To understand a little more about teaching and learning in mathematics across the Solent Schools.
- ✓ To enable you to feedback any ideas you may have regarding development of Ethos and Values.

The meeting will begin with a short presentation from Mrs Wilby and the Heads of School, Mrs Curthoys and Mrs Peterkin-Aldred, in the junior school hall. This will be followed by an enthusiastic group of Year 11 senior prefects from Springfield School who are keen to come and tell you a little more about the world of social media and how to ensure your child stays safe online. As young adults themselves they are very open and honest about the benefits, as well as the pitfalls, of social media use. We are aware that many of you will have younger children, however we have also noticed as a school how pupils are becoming exposed to social media at an increasingly young age. Our philosophy as a school is very much the more you know as a parent or carer the better!

Finally, you will have the opportunity to visit one of the classrooms where there will be a teacher representative from each year group ready to share with you some more specific information regarding teaching and learning in mathematics for your child's year group.

Please sign up for this meeting, by [CLICKING HERE](#). All requests for places must be received by noon on Monday 9th January. If you do not have access to the internet then please contact the school office directly to reserve your place. If you sign up, but are then unable to attend, we kindly ask that you notify the school office to cancel your place.

We very much look forward to seeing you all on the evening.

Yours sincerely



Mrs L Wilby
Executive Headteacher



Mrs E Curthoys
Head of School SIS



Mrs L Peterkin-Aldred
Head of School SJS