

# NST Newsletter: Monday 6th December 2021

This week's newsletter features the following items:

- Treatment for Ted
- CSA Provider Survey Autumn Term 2021
- Girls' Football School Partnership (1 document attached)
- 3D Printer Loan Scheme
- GDPR Update
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- Our Futures Project
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# **Treatment for Ted**



We are sharing this on behalf of Emma Beardah and the team at Walter Halls, to encourage the raising of funds for this most worthy of causes. Please could you share this as widely as you are able to?

Some of you may have seen a plea put out on our Walter Halls Facebook page over the weekend on behalf of Lee Neal - our brilliant Behaviour mentor at Walter Halls - who has been forced to be away from work so far this year as his youngest baby son (Ted) is desperately ill with a very rare form of cancer.

Here is the link to the crowdfunding page the family have set up, which tells the full story: Fundraiser by Jessica Neal: Treatment for Ted (gofundme.com)

### **CSA Provider Survey – Autumn Term 2021**

Catherine Smith, Early Years Programme Manager at the Local Authority has circulated the email below for schools to action:

Dear colleagues,

This week we launch the autumn term 2021 CSA Provider Survey. This survey is aimed at early years providers, including school nurseries, who offer funded provision for 2, 3 and 4 year olds and/or childcare services.

As part of the Childcare Sufficiency duty, the Local Authority publishes a Childcare Sufficiency Assessment (CSA) Scorecard in both the autumn and summer terms. An essential part of the CSA is measuring and reporting on the supply of early years and childcare services. In order to gather this information, all early education and childcare providers in Nottingham are required to complete a provider survey. It is vital we achieve 100% response to this survey to ensure the data we have is accurate and up to date.

You may find this short vodcast helpful (3.32 mins) for more information about Nottingham City LA CSA Autumn Term 2021

Please complete and submit your survey by **Wednesday 15**<sup>th</sup> **December 2021.** A link to the survey can be accessed <u>HERE</u>.

We truly appreciate how incredibly busy you all are and thank you in advance for the time you spend on this important survey.

If you have any questions please contact Catherine Smith by email: Catherine.smith@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

Kind regards

Catherine Smith
Early Years Programmes Manager

#### Girls' Football School Partnership

Please find below a link to all the information available for the Nottingham City Girls Football Partnership:

https://bit.ly/3G8uQig

Also attached is a flyer which contains details and booking links for the Shooting Stars football programme, for January to March 2022.

#### 3D Printer Loan Scheme

John Jefferies (STEM Learning Subject Matter Assessment) has shared with us information of a free loan scheme for any schools who may be interested in buying a 3D Printer: CREATE Education Loan Scheme – The CREATE Education Project Ltd

### **GDPR Update**

Thanks for all the DPOs who attended the recent GDPR training at the NST offices. NST suggests, in the interest of good practice that your website states that you are registered with the ICO. You can either upload the certificate that the ICO sends your school or simply state that you are registered with the ICO in your GDPR/Data Protection area.

Fiona Mackenzie, an NST ADPO has put together slides to train your midday supervisors. These have been on the NST portal for a while but as a PDF. We have now changed these to PowerPoint so you can edit for your school.

You can find the presentation here (password – NST2017): http://www.nottinghamschoolstrust.org.uk/gdpr-useful-information/

### DPIAs Available on NST Portal - Please Cascade to DPOs

We just wanted to remind you that there are a number of DPIAs available on the NST Portal which schools can access and use rather than starting from scratch.

There are 27 documents available currently and we are keen to grow our bank of resources. If you have any completed DPIAs that you would like to share as examples, please email these through to <u>Emily</u>, who will upload them to the Portal.

You can see the documents that are currently available here: http://www.nottinghamschoolstrust.org.uk/dpia-examples-2/

#### **Our Futures Project**

The Our Future project is working with thirty-two primary schools across Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire to provide ongoing support for active engagement in career related learning. The project will inspire children and connect primary schools with the world of work with the following six key aims:

- Increasing pupils' awareness of careers and the world of work.
- Increasing pupils' understanding of the link between education, qualifications, and future opportunities.
- Developing key skills aligned with Skills Builder.
- Reducing career/role stereotypes.
- Engaging parents, carers, and the wider community.
- Ensuring sustainability and continuation.

Rufford Primary are part of the project and as well as offering direct support to their school, the Our Future project would be keen to work with other NST schools to provide career related learning support, including training, resources and toolkits.

The Our Future project is delivered by Education and Employers alongside Learn by Design, with research led by Dr Deirdre Hughes OBE, Director of DMH associates.

If you would like for your school to be part of the project, please send an email to Lauren Croll: <a href="mailto:laurencroll@bydesign-group.co.uk">laurencroll@bydesign-group.co.uk</a>

## Free sports kit available to collect from the Wildcats Basketball in Sneinton

Some sports kit available to collect from the Wildcats Basketball. Please contact <a href="mailto:hansa.dabee@bbc.co.uk">hansa.dabee@bbc.co.uk</a> for details. There may be things you can't use in school, but feel free to give those to your PTA or families that might need them.

## **Free Citizenship Resources**

Young Citizens are again offering free access to their Citizenship/SMSC resources for the 2021/22 academic year – if you are not already signed up, do check them out to see if they are useful. You can sign up <a href="here">here</a>.

### **Nottingham Music Hub Newsletter**

You can view the latest Nottingham Music Hub newsletter online, which features information about CPD available for Primary School staff:

Play It Your Way December 2021 (mailchi.mp)