





## The Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge is a fun event which encourages children aged 4 to 11 to enjoy the benefits of reading for pleasure over the summer. The Challenge will run from 5 June to mid-September. This year, the Summer Reading Challenge's Silly Squad will celebrate funny books, happiness and laughter. Children taking part in the Challenge will join the Silly Squad, an adventurous team of animals who love to have a laugh and get stuck into all sorts of funny books!

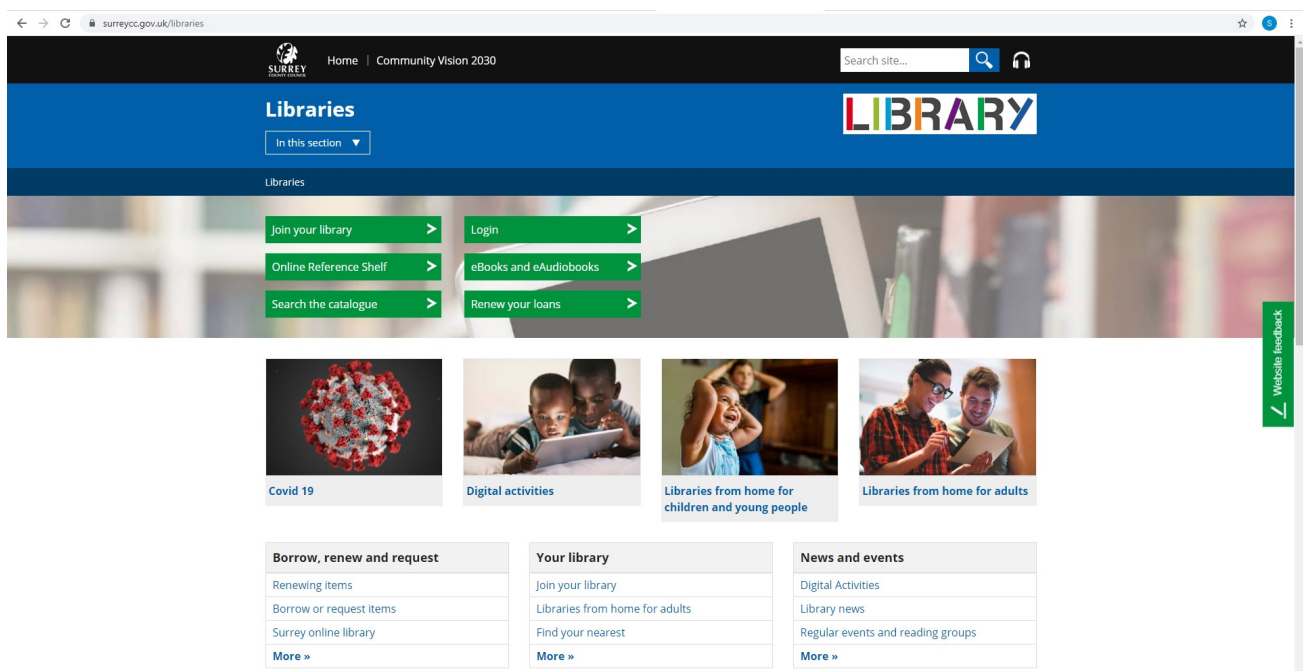
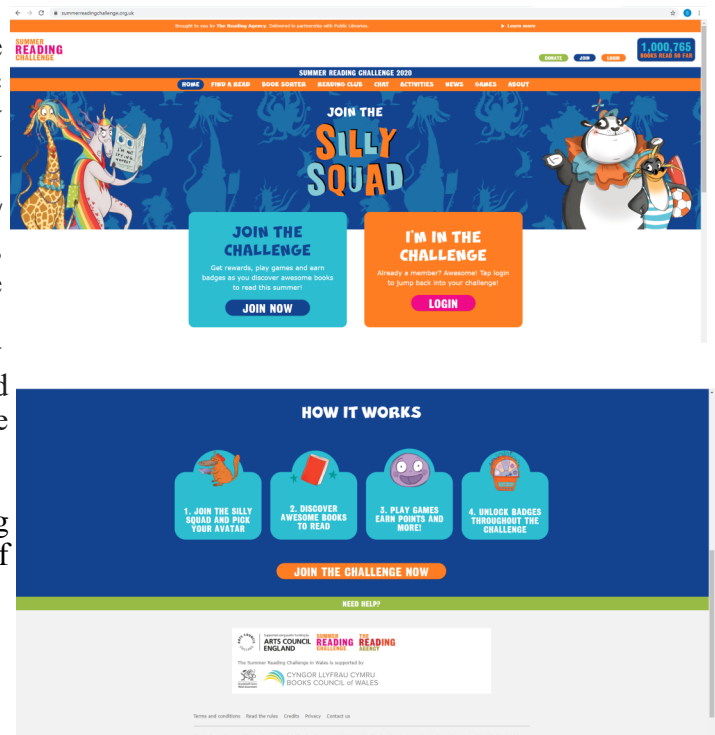
With the disruption caused by Covid-19 and the impact of social distancing on schools and public libraries, the 2020 Challenge will launch in a new digital format designed to keep children engaged and interested in reading.

The Summer Reading Challenge website <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/> is free to access and features games, quizzes and downloadable activities.

Just visit your local library website to find out how you can access eBooks, audiobooks, comics and magazines for free that you can use to complete the Challenge at home.

It is a great way to keep up your child's reading skills, interest and confidence. We hope that lots of our children from Southfield Park will take part.

Have fun reading!



# Parent and Carer Curriculum Survey

Over the last two years we have been revising the curriculum that we offer at Southfield Park so that it not only meets the requirements set out in the National Curriculum, but also well matches the needs of our current pupils. You may have noticed that many new skills and experiences have crept into your child's learning recently: from African Batik in Year 6 to the study of Pointillism in Year 1.

We aim for a curriculum that is engaging and memorable. Children and parents often tell us that these 'extras' are what make Southfield Park the place it is and ex-pupils always remind us how important and memorable these experiences are. We are currently rethinking many of the trips, extra events and opportunities that we offer so that they will best support the children in their learning and enrich the curriculum we offer.

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## Southfield Park Parent / Carer Curriculum Survey

Thank you for completing this survey. Your answers will help us understand the type of experiences the children have outside school and to develop the curriculum.

\* Required

Family Name (optional)

Your answer

1. Has your child/ren ever visited an art gallery? \*

Choose

2. Has your child/ren ever visited a museum? \*

We would really appreciate your input by completing the short questionnaire by clicking on the link below. The questionnaire aims to give us an understanding of the kinds of experiences the children already have outside school. This valuable information will support us to make decisions about the extra experiences we would like to offer as the children progress through the school, so that they have the best possible opportunities here.

[Click here](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfbo7VZ0LLprv6JqSc4Rvv51Rb6_8dyWghk2mIC-HYYTW882Q/viewform?usp=sf_link) to open the survey or copy and paste this link:

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The more questionnaires we receive back the more informed the curriculum revisions will be, so as an incentive we will be giving a class treat to the class with the most parents returning their questionnaires. Your responses can be named or they can be anonymous, and either way we look forward to receiving your completed questionnaire.

Your support with this would be greatly appreciated.

Regards

Sally Smith

Assistant Head Teacher



## Times Tables Rock Stars



Last week's challenge.....

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It has been lovely to see so many children playing TTRS and seeing the progress they are making. The leader in this week's challenge has been changing throughout the week. The children were unable to see anyone else's scores so had no idea how they were doing compared to others - this is so they don't give up if they think the highest score is out of their reach. However, Mrs Page was able to see how the children were doing, and could see children she had not previously seen using TTRS making their way up the leaderboard. So if your child hasn't been on TTRS for a while, it's not too late to get involved!

There were so many high scores with over 40 children earning more than 1000 coins. Congratulations to the top 3 coin earners!

1<sup>st</sup> Rami in Shakespeare - 21483 coins

2<sup>nd</sup> Jesse in Faraday - 12,055 coins

3<sup>rd</sup> Joshua in Shakespeare - 11,929 coins

Next week's challenge....

Yeargroup Battles!!

The children really enjoyed their class battles, and for these they are able to see how many points their classmates and opponents are winning. So this week Year 5 will battle Year 4, and Year 3 will battle Year 2. As Year 6 are back in school next week there is no battle for them, but they can of course still play and earn coins for themselves.

In Battles all games count EXCEPT Soundcheck, and each correct answers score 1 point for your team. Battles commence today at 3pm and end at 7pm on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June.



Congratulations to the following children, who have all answered over 500 questions correctly on NumBots this week:

Eva in Britten, Aoife, Ga-UI and Freddy from Elgar, Edward in Lowry, Harrison in Newton, Amelia and Merryn in Shakespeare, Robert in Victoria and Charlotte in Attenborough.

All children in the school can play on NumBots by going to [play.numbots.com](http://play.numbots.com). Children in years 2 to 6 should use their TTRS login. Parents of children in Reception and Year 1 can email Mrs Page to request their child's login. ([jo.page@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:jo.page@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk)).





Maia in  
Redgrave



Emma in  
Newton

William in  
Shakespeare

Twisha in  
Faraday

George in  
Redgrave

Lily in  
Elgar



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## SUMMER CAMPS 2020

6th July - 27th August

**Weekly Theme:**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Robot Lab	Crazy Circuits	Exciting Engineering	Creative Composition	Extraordinary Experiments

Different activities each week following the themes above

**Locations:**

Bromley	Guildford	Princes Risborough
Cambridge	Hemel Hempstead	Reading
Caterham	Kent	Rickmansworth
Caversham	Marlow	Sevenoaks
Chesham	North West London	St Albans
Epsom	Orpington	Surrey
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