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Prioritise Emotional and Mental Health - World Mental Health Day is on 10th October 2018. This year's focus is on young people and mental health in a changing world. Mental ill health often starts in young adulthood. It's vital that we give young people access to the support they need to grow up happy, healthy and resilient.

Locally; Henry Whipple Primary School are the first Nottingham School to confirm their commitment by signing the [Emotional Health and Resilience Charter](#) produced in partnership with local services.

We are holding the first [Emotional Health and Resilience network](#) event on 17th October, open to all schools. To reserve a place please email: jane.hyland@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

Resources to support World Mental Health Day in schools are [available here](#).

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Schools Finance Support Team Reminder - the following documents are required to be submitted to the Schools Finance Support team in October 2018:

- VAT submittal & VAT Full report for September 2018
- Summary trial balance
- Bank reconciliation - the LA "REC1" form for September
- A copy of the bank statement as at 30 September 2018
- Bank history report for September 2018
- Un-reconciled items listing as at 30 September 2018

For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2zC6XQV>

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Important but not urgent stories...!

National Poetry Day 4th October 2018 - National Poetry Day is a chance for everyone everywhere to read, share and enjoy poetry. It is also a storehouse of ideas and activities for you to use all year round. For ways to celebrate with poetry in school, including the Toolkit for Schools, please visit: <https://bit.ly/2w11Oyy>

DSL Network: 10th October 2018 - Reservations and agenda for the upcoming DSL network are now available via the DSL network page. Places are limited so please register for the event in advance. To view the agenda or to make a reservation, please

visit: <https://bit.ly/2zAEOem>

Census Day - For information the Schools Admissions Team have been and are working overtime and weekends to get as many pupils in schools by Census Day. One of the challenges is the Team having to catch up after having six weeks (or longer) of admission decisions coming in at the same time after the summer holidays, creating a backlog. There are lots of late applications and families moving into the City this year, so there will inevitably be later arrivals.

Pupil Premium Plus Funding Update - This term's application round for Pupil Premium Plus funding for the period September to December 2018 opened on Monday 24th September and will close on Friday 5th October 2018. This application process is relevant to schools that have a Nottingham City statutory school aged Child in Care on their roll. Designated teachers and headteachers have been sent details of how to apply via email. If you have not received the email please contact Lindsey Foster on 0115 8764694 or email: ppp@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

New Safer Recruitment Training for recruiters in schools - In order to comply with Keeping Children Safe in Education, schools must ensure that at least one person on any appointment panel has undertaken safer recruitment training. The next available training is on 9th October. For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2QhHZvQ>

DfE Guidance: Get support from your music education hub - Music hubs bring together local authorities, schools and art, community or voluntary organisations to make sure all pupils have access to music education. For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2OifmRO>

DfE Guidance: Get help to increase participation in advanced maths - The advanced mathematics support programme provides CPD, resources and support to improve teaching and increase participation in post-16 maths education. For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2xXdPGA>

Diabetes Awareness Training for School and Social Care Staff - Diabetes can have a significant effect on a child's emotional health and well-being and support from those around them is essential. Free diabetes training is available for staff at QMC on 16th October. For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2R0S01z>

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Stories you might find interesting...

Our Commonwealth Ocean - Our Commonwealth Ocean education pack has been designed to help your pupils further their understanding of the vital role oceans play in our environment, economy and society. Ensuring they can communicate about the ocean in a meaningful way, making informed and responsible decisions regarding our invaluable ocean asset. To access the resource please visit: <https://bit.ly/2qEUyXI>

RE School trips available at Southwell Minster - Make a modern-day pilgrimage with your class to the 900 year old Cathedral of Southwell and Nottingham. Investigate a living place of worship, explore architecture, artefacts, symbols, beliefs and practices; hear Bible stories and how faith is expressed today. Learning outcomes are from the Nottinghamshire Agreed Syllabus for RE and linked to 'Understanding Christianity' concepts. For more information please visit: <https://bit.ly/2R5HCFN>

Scene! news articles are now available without having to log-in, but please note that some sensitive content will only be available on the secure part of the extranet.

If you can never remember your log-in details for the school's extranet you can now access the extranet [here](#)

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Want to get involved? Send your articles to scene@nottinghamcity.gov.uk ,
(we'll need these by **12 noon on Friday** to be included in the next issue).

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