

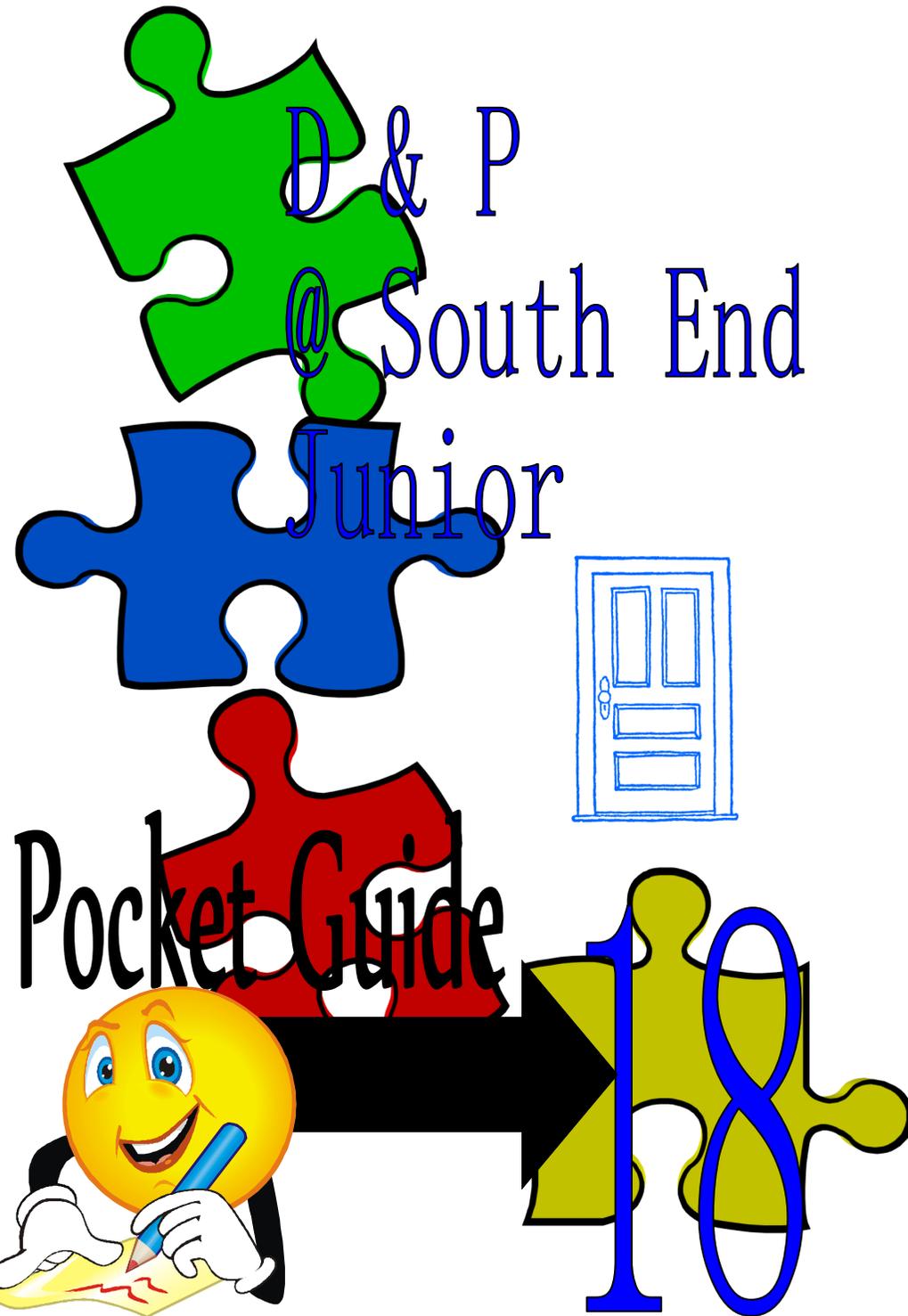
Every school needs a Pathway Pitstop! Thank you for the invitation.

Lovely to see the creativity of the year 3 pupils; brilliant interpretations of the styles of the artists. Well done everyone.

Wow! Fantastic sandwiches. Thank you for the invite, it was great to work with the children and see what they have learnt.

Great to see children working so well together and being so proud of their achievements. Well done!

Great to get involved with the children's learning. Thank you for providing us with this opportunity!



# D & P @ SEJS

Doorways and Pathways combines the teaching and learning of history, geography, art, DT, music and dance.

The doorway (theme) will be implemented into each D & P subject and where possible, the theme is also linked to english, maths and science.

The themes that are used are based upon the new National Curriculum (2014) which also allows us to focus upon stories in the news and religious festivals throughout the year.

Our whole school and also the infants school will follow this doorway initiative and the topics will be based upon this. Evidence of the doorway theme will be displayed in learning bases and in the year group's shared areas.

## How does D & P work?

As a school, we aim to begin each D & P theme with a 'Doorway to Learning'. This is the introduction to the theme and 'unlocks the doorway' to the children's learning, getting them to consider what they already know and what they would like to find out further.

At the end of each theme, the children's hard work is celebrated and showcased in a 'Pathway Pitstop'. Parents and carers are invited to share these events with the children and staff.

At these events we ask that you please complete a feedback form in order for us to improve future events.



# Doorway themes

## Autumn 1

My Space and Beyond

## Autumn 2

Stepping Back

## Spring 1

A Bright Idea

## Spring 2

Perfect Planet

## Summer 1

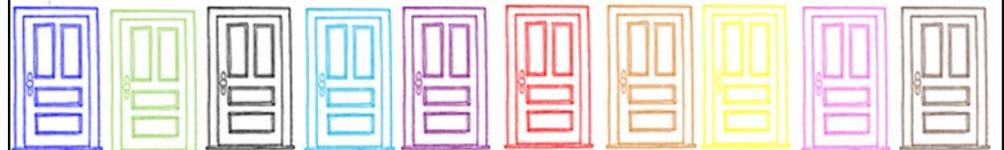
Going Green

## Summer 2

Moving On



Home learning based on the D & P theme is set for all children. The tasks encourage the children to be creative, to use the knowledge that they have gained in school and to extend their learning further.



# D & P Topics

## Yr 3

'How has our school changed?'  
Bronze Age, Stone Age and Celts  
Ancient Romans and Travel  
Rainforests  
History of Farming in Rushden  
Let's Travel! Characteristics of cities



'Do you live around here?'  
Early British Invasions  
Leisure and Entertainment in the 20th Century  
Volcanoes and Earthquakes  
Recycling in Rushden  
Ancient Egypt

## Yr 4



# D & P Topics

## Yr 5

Understanding Earth  
A case study of Henry VIII  
A turning point in history—the first car  
Coasts and Rivers  
Human Geography  
Ancient Greece



The Mayans and the contrasts to Britain  
WWII—Social History  
A turning point in history—Victorian Revolution  
Climate Zones  
North & South America—a comparison

## Yr 6

