

Learning Safely STUDENT NEWS

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LEARN SAFELY



KEEP A SAFE DISTANCE



USE THE ONE WAY SYSTEM



WEAR A MASK (where appropriate)



WASH YOUR HANDS & USE SANITISER



ARRIVE 5 MINS EARLY ONLY (before the start of your class time)



COVID UPDATE: At time of print, we are currently in lockdown and as a College our service can continue until Government guidance instructs otherwise. We are following all guidelines and have taken many steps to ensure you can continue to learn safely including restricted class sizes, safe distancing, screens, sanitisers and extra cleaning plus students are required to wear masks at all times unless seated in class.

Message from the Principal

Dear Learners

We approach the end of the Autumn term and the new programme for courses this Spring is out now. We appreciate that in these uncertain times for some of you, learning a new course or returning to an existing one may not be a priority, however, as a College, we have done a lot of preventative and remedial work to make the College COVID secure.

The impact of the second lockdown has been similar to our first experience, with the exception that classes that are face to face in the College premises continue on site. Please remember though, if you feel unwell or are looking after someone who is having to self isolate, please inform your tutor in plenty of time, so that arrangements can be made for you to continue your learning.

This time of year brings many cultural celebrations including Remembrance Sunday which was a subdued affair, but it is really important to keep ourselves occupied and continue to celebrate our festivals and special occasions as best we can. I took part in the Sutton Cultural Services Diwali celebrations online last weekend and it was an extravaganza of traditional poetry, dance and song from the local community.

Finally, let me thank you for your continued support and resilience in the face of so much change. It would be great to hear from you about how you think we are doing as a College in these challenging times. Please leave a message on our social media pages or email yourvoice@suttoncollege.ac.uk

Best wishes

Dipa Ganguli, Principal/Head of Service - 0208 405 7038











Spring Courses Out Now

We have the perfect excuse for trying something new, getting out and learning safely this Spring. The College is following all the required Covid-19 safety procedures so you can be assured you will learn safely with us this Spring.

New Spring 2021 courses include:

- Portrait Photography
- New Saturday fitness/ dance workshops
- Journalism
- Fashion, Flowers & more!



Any online courses will state this in both the title of the course and in the course information on the website www.suttoncollege.ac.uk

Join our Curriculum Leaders online if you have any queries on Spring courses! See www.suttoncollege.ac.uk/online-live-department-qa-sessions

live online



"In our changing economy, it is more important than ever that adults are able to reskill themselves throughout their career.

Lifelong learning and adult education can unlock jobs and employment opportunities that might not otherwise have been available, and I am encouraged by the Government's focused approach.

I warmly welcome these new proposals, and pay tribute to the fantastic work being done by Sutton College and others to implement them as they are brought forward, helping many more people develop themselves"

Views on Lifelong Learning from local MP Elliot Colburn

Funds available

Did you know that Support Funds are available to contribute towards the costs of many of our courses? They include support available if your situation has been directly affected by Covid-19. Please contact the Enquiry Team for more information.

Christmas Present Appeal for The Salvation Army

We are proudly supporting the Sutton Salvation Army Church this Christmas by collecting new toys, games, puzzles, stationery to donate to underprivileged children in the Borough!
Please donate new, unwrapped gifts if you can at either Sutton or Wallington

you can at either Sutton or Wallington receptions by **Wednesday 25th November.**