

EEFA Report for Suffolk SACRE Meeting on 1st February 2019.

We warmly welcome SACRE's proposal for a closer working relationship with EEFA and are pleased to endorse its draft document on this relationship.

EEFA's work in arranging visits to schools and places of worship follows an interesting pattern. It seems that teachers like to wait until their school's budget has been allocated before venturing to arrange visits. Also, as schools may follow a similar syllabus/scheme of work, requests for visits to particular places of worship and for visiting speakers from the faiths may coincide. This is not an insurmountable problem but it does mean that the involvement of our team of speakers goes through peaks and troughs.

In the financial year since April 2018 we have served 46 schools and have 5 in the pipeline. (Details annexed).

We are keen to arrange multi school multi-faith days in rural areas similar to the one we ran in Occold last year. However, these days do require suitable venues.

EEFA is definitely interested in arranging visits to places of worship for teachers. We wonder whether these might be arranged in school half terms or at weekends so that they can occur in the day time without disrupting the school timetable. We envisage that teachers would sign up for these visits which could be free of charge but with a 'penalty fee' of £10 for non-attendance. Would this work?

We are also considering arranging talks from significant faith representatives to teachers in our Multi-Faith Centre in the early evening or in half terms. This would be in addition to our new Religious Literacy course.

We notice that the description of our speakers as tutors may sound too academic. We are wondering whether the title faith ambassador would be more appropriate.

In addition to the above, Liz Bennett has been continuing to facilitate "Open the Box" and "Open the Tent".

EEFA ASSIGNMENTS FROM APRIL 2018

Tutor	Assignment Date	Client	Institution	Venue	Subject
Mohammed Mainul Alam	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Sara Ali	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Denis Johnston	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Barbara Richardson-Todd	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Martin Spettigue	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Bhupindar Sually	23 April 2018	Rosemary Willers	Business and Applied Social Science	UCS Waterfront Building	Religion, diversity and inclusion
Sushil Soni	25 April 2018	Kevin Bean	10th Ipswich Scout Group	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Bhupindar Sually	30 April 2018	Emily Bacon	Bures CofEVC Primary School	The Ipswich Guru Nanak Gurdwara	Sikhism
Elizabeth Sugarman	30 April 2018	Mrs T Evans	Trinity CofEVA Primary School	Trinity CofEVA Primary School	Judaism
Elizabeth Sugarman	3 May 2018	Tessa Evans	Trinity CEVAP School	Trinity CEVAP School	Judaism
Martin Spettigue	8 May 2018	Carlos Reynell	Framlingham College Prep School	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Bhupindar Sually	10 May 2018	Karen Williams	Finborough School	Finborough School	Sikhism
Elizabeth Sugarman	23 May 2018	Philip Sharples	Woodbridge Primary School	Woodbridge Primary School	Judaism
Denis Johnston	12 June 2018	Donna Gaffney	Lawford C of E Primary	Lawford C of E Primary	Humanism
Malkiat Singh	12 June 2018	Donna Gaffney	Lawford C of E Primary	Lawford C of E Primary	Sikhism
Martin Spettigue	12 June 2018	Donna Gaffney	Lawford C of E Primary	Lawford C of E Primary	Hinduism
Isabelle Wen	12 June 2018	Donna Gaffney	Lawford C of E Primary	Lawford C of E Primary	Buddhism
Ishara Ali	19 June 2018	Nadia Fenn	Cavendish CofE Primary School	Cavendish CofE Primary School	Islam
Valerie Berkson	19 June 2018	Nadia Fenn	Cavendish CofE Primary School	Cavendish CofE Primary School	Judaism
Bhupindar Sually	19 June 2018	Marie Hardy	Springfield Junior School	The Ipswich Guru Nanak Gurdwara	Sikhism
Sushil Soni	20 June 2018	Marie Hardy	Springfield Junior School	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Hannah Grainger	21 June 2018	Anna Keeble	Elvedon C of E Primary Academy	Elvedon C of E Primary Academy	Judaism
Mohammed Mainul Alam	28 June 2018	Karen Williams	Finborough School	Finborough School	Islam
Elizabeth Sugarman	11 July 2018	Samantha Rodger	Ranelagh Primary School	Ranelagh Primary School	Judaism
Bhupindar Sually	13 July 2018	Fiona Phillips	Halifax Primary School	The Ipswich Guru Nanak Gurdwara	Sikhism
Bhupindar Sually	18 July 2018	Sophie Lambert	St Edmundsbury CEVAP School	The Ipswich Guru Nanak Gurdwara	Sikhism
Martin Spettigue	21 September 2018	Jackie Norman	Gislingham CofEVC Primary School	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Abdul Motlib	24 September 2018	Yvonne Broughton	Ipswich cub scouts	The Ipswich Mosque	Islam
Martin Spettigue	4 October 2018	Francesca Kennedy	Waldringfield Primary School	Waldringfield Primary School	Hinduism
Md Lutfur Rahman	8 October 2018	Emily Knowles	Scarning VC Primary	Scarning VC Primary	Islam
Martin Spettigue	31 October 2018	Philip Sharples	Woodbridge Primary School	Woodbridge Primary School	Hinduism
Mohammed Mainul Alam	1 November 2018	Belinda Sutton	Chelmondiston CEVC Primary School	Chelmondiston CEVC Primary School	Islam
Bhupindar Sually	1 November 2018	Jemma Dalley	Corton CEVA Primary School	Corton VC Primary School	Sikhism
Tariq Amin	6 November 2018	Fram College Prep School	Norwich Ihsan Mosque	Norwich Ihsan Mosque	Islam and visit to Norwich Ihsan Mosque
Janet Marshall	6 November 2018	Fram College Prep School	Norwich Cathedral	Norwich Cathedral	Norwich Cathedral
The OTT team	12 November 2018	Angela Hunter	Walsham le Willows CEVC Primary School	Walsham le Willows CEVC Primary School	OTT 3
Denis Johnston	12 November 2018	Belinda Sutton	Chelmondiston CEVC Primary School	Chelmondiston CEVC Primary School	Humanism
The OTT team	20 November 2018	Heidi Harris	Norton CEVC Primary School	Norton CEVC Primary School	OTT 1
Sushil Soni	21 November 2018	Jonny Wilson	Clare Community Primary School	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Linda French	27 November 2018	Carlos Reynell	Framlingham College Prep School	Colchester Synagogue	Judaism
Mohammed Mainul Alam	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Islam
Helen Brown	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Judaism
Cynthia Capey	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Buddhism

Kenneth Mackay	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Buddhism
John Palmer	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Humanism
Martin Spettigue	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Hinduism
Bhupindar Sually	29 November 2018	Ali Robinson	Bentley CEVC Primary School	Copdock Village Hall	Sikhism
The OTT team	30 November 2018	Carly Holland	Bedfield Primary	Bedfield Primary	OTT 3
Sushil Soni	30 November 2018	Ollie Smith	5th Woodbridge Sea Scouts	Ipswich Hindu Mandir	Hinduism
Deborah Probert	5 December 2018	Jenny Askew	Hillside Special School	Hillside Special School	Judaism
Mohammed Mainul Alam	7 December 2018	Nick Haynes	Wilby CofE Primary School	Wilby CofE Primary School	Islam
Derek Curry	21 January 2019	Daisy Underwood	Acton CEVC Primary School	Acton CEVP School	Buddhism
Denis Johnston	21 January 2019	Daisy Underwood	Acton CEVC Primary School	Acton CEVP School	Humanism
Ruth Ridge	21 January 2019	Daisy Underwood	Acton CEVC Primary School	Acton CEVP School	Christian
Zeenath Yassmeen	21 January 2019	Daisy Underwood	Acton CEVC Primary School	Acton CEVP School	Islam
Multifaith team	21 January 2019	Daisy Underwood	Acton CEVC Primary School	Acton CEVP School	Multicultural day
Bhupindar Sually	24 January 2019	Claire McGrath	1st Brantham Cub Pack	The Ipswich Guru Nanak Gurdwara	Sikhism
Ishara Ali	25 January 2019	Amy Perkins	Cockfield CofEVC Primary School	Cockfield CofEVC Primary School	Islam
Linda French	4 February 2019	Laura Schultheiss	Old Newton	Colchester Synagogue	Judaism
	11 February 2019	Jemma Dalley.	Corton CE Primary School,	Corton CE Primary School,	Judaism
	13 February 2019	Helen Bolton	St Matthews	Ipswich Mosque	Islam
	25 February 2019	Laura Gosling	Pipers Vale	Pipers Vale	OTT
	1 March 2019	Claire Schnellmann	Cambourne Village College	Cambourne Village Colleg	Buddhism
	19 March 2019	Catherine Godet	Whitehouse	Whitehouse	Multifaith day
	27 March 2019	Christopher Griffiths	Ickworth Park	Ickworth Park	Islam
	1 June 2016	Cavendish	Nadia Fenn	Cambridge Mosque and Synagogue	Islam and Judasim
	12 June 2019	Cavendish	Nadia Fenn	Ipswich Mandir and Gurdwara	Hinduism and Sikhism

Blue shading indicates Suffolk schools in maintained system or previously maintained.