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ST PETER'S HIGHLIGHTS



The new 'Calm Courtyard' has partially opened and the children have thoroughly enjoyed making the most of the space opening up.

The next phase is artificial grass and planting.

Finally, the playground markings will be put on.

We cannot wait! We are going to have the best playground and outdoor facilities of any school in Wisbech (probably...)













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PHOTOS

We have had individual and family photos this week and the photographer remarked on amazing behaviour and our 'lovely children'

Info about how to see and buy the photos will be coming out from the office on Dojo soon.





HARVEST FESTIVAL

What a joy it was to be joined by so many parents and witness so many of our children performing at the Harvest Festival service last week!

The school council and worship council alike, lead us in thoughts, prayers and thanks for all that the local area does to provide food nationally.



COMMUNITY CORNER

Governing Body: Join our Governing Body and help shape the future of St Peter's.

A Flying Start to the New School Year!

The new school year is flying by, and we're delighted by all the positive energy and exciting things happening!

The Governing Board met last night for the first time this academic year, and we were pleased and proud to hear how well everyone—students and staff alike—are settling in. It's truly been a great start for all.

Our Foundation: Stability, Worth, and Purpose

As a valued member of the DEMAT family of schools, our core purpose is deeply rooted in our spiritual foundation. We're committed to providing an excellent education that nurtures the whole child—spiritually, morally, and socially—alongside academic excellence.

The image of St Peter as the 'rock' reflects the stability we provide. This allows us to offer a secure and consistent environment where every student





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feels safe to learn, explore, and thrive, knowing their absolute worth. Through our core pillars, we are raising positive, passionate children with passion and

The School and Children need your support

presence, equipped to face life's challenges.

Join the Foundation: Recruitment for the Local Governing Body LGB

The school and its children need your support! We are now seeking dedicated and passionate individuals to join our Local Governing Body (LGB) and help us fulfil this vital mission. Being an LGB member is one of the most direct and rewarding ways to contribute to the school's success.

What is the Role?

The LGB acts as the eyes and ears of DEMAT at a local level, ensuring the Headteacher and staff are supported and held to account for the school's performance. Our governors are the local 'living stones'—contributing their unique skills and experience to strengthen our community's foundation.

We are seeking governors who will help us:

- **Define and Maintain Vision:** Help steer the school, ensuring our distinct, diverse character and values remain central to all decisions.
- **Ensure Accountability:** Monitor the school's educational performance with diligence and strategic focus.
- **Represent the Community:** Serve as a critical link between the school, parents, and the wider local community.

Who Should Apply?

You don't need prior governance experience; the Trust provides full training and support. We are looking for individuals who:

- · Are **committed** to the ethos of our school.
- · Are or could become **strategic thinkers** with strong communication skills.
- · Are **passionate** about improving outcomes for all children.

If you are ready to help us build a strong, sustainable, and thriving future for our school community, we warmly encourage you to apply.

To find out more, please contact Mary-Jane
Tinsley, Chair of Governors, at
mrs.tinsley@stpetersjuniors.co.uk or visit the
governance section of our website:
https://stpeters.demat.org.uk/

BINGO!!!

I know we shared our thanks over Dojo, but it really does mean the world to us that so many of you contribute to school fundraising.

A big bingo thank you to Miss Neave for her herculean efforts in getting these events sorted, for all to enjoy.

£ 700 + raised!!!!





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Upcoming events

Y4,5,6 Open classroom

Come and share time in class with your child next Thursday. It will be a chance to play a maths game or have a wonderful opportunity to read with each other.

There might even be biscuits and some ideas to take home to support learning over half term!

THURSDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2.30PM



READY, RESPECTFUL, SAFE



STAY SAFE: DO NOT ALLOW YOUR CHILD TO RIDE BIKES/SCOOTERS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS! IT IS NOT SAFE AND YESTERDAY A CHILD WAS NEARLY KNOCKED OVER!!!





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FAMILY WORKER - Mrs Rawling



Mrs Rawling is our school based <u>Family</u> Worker.

You can call in, or dojo to request support from Mrs Rawling.

Any concerns with food, behaviour at home, routines, safeguarding, housing, finances etc that you want to get some support with... just ask!



WELLY WEDNESDAY FOREST SCHOOL:

Proposed timetable/Dates Autumn Term

17/09/25	Caesar class
24/09/25	Socrates class
1/10/25	Carter class
15/10/25	Anning class
22/10/25	Napoleon class
5/11/25	Equiano class
12/11/25	Pankhurst class
19/11/25	Turing class

Dates may change due to school events or weather conditions.







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Napoleon	Gerda	Effie
Equiano	Bobby	Felicia
Pankhurst	Jayden	Kuba
Turing	Zak	Harry

We are the ROCK for the community	
FIRST Classteachers	Any queries, information or clarification about anything to do with your child's learning or behaviour. Dojo, gate chats or give us a call.
AFTER THAT Assistant Heads Mrs Hazeldine Y3/4 Mr Redmile Y5/6	If after speaking to the classteacher, you or the teacher think it needs involvement from the senior team, the Assistant Heads will be happy to support. You can find them on gate duties throughout the week, or dojo.
THEN Headteacher Mrs Brown	Feel free to move to me with queries if the teachers or Assistant Heads aren't yet able to resolve the issue. I'm on the gate and

	appointments can be requested through the office
Our wonderful office staff Mrs Barnes Mrs Williamson	Absence, lunches, Parent Pay, App issues, uniform, dates, going home messages - there are lots of areas of school life they can help with.
SAFEGUARDING MRS BROWN MRS RAWLING MRS WILLIAMSON MR REDMILE MRS HAZELDINE	ANY concerns or information concerned with keeping a child safe, please talk to a DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING LEAD (DSL)

We want you to feel happy, safe and confident to talk to us about anything concerning you or any help you may need. If the person you approach can't resolve it, the team will point you in the right direction!





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TERM DATES for AUTUMN 1 - PLEASE CHECK, NEW THINGS ARE ADDED WEEKLY

Date	Time	Event
23.10.25	2:30pm	YEAR 4,5,6 Open Classrooms
24.10.25	ALL DAY	SCHOOL CLOSED ACADEMY TRUST PROFESSIONAL DAY
27th OCTOBER- 31.10.25	HALF TERM	
3rd November	ALL BACK TO SCHOOL	

OUR UNIFORM

'We Belong; We are St Peter's'



Year 3-6 Autumn Term

We ask that our children are all in school uniform.

- -Grey or black bottoms.
- -a white or blue polo shirt
- -with a royal blue jumper or cardigan.
- -Smart black school shoes.

Children are to arrive in PE Kit for the full day.

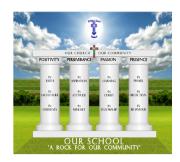
- Black bottoms
 - Trainers
- Plain white tshirt
- NO SPORTING TEAM KITS



Forest School- A quarter of the year group will go on their PE day. They require

- Long sleeves
- Long bottoms
- Wellies







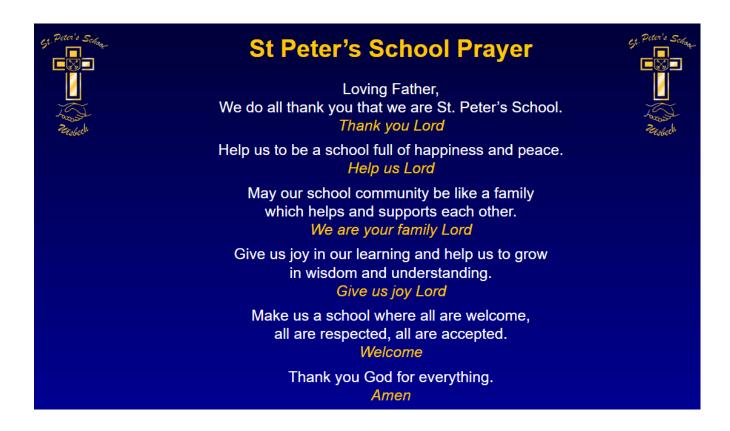
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If you need support with regards to the above, please contact Mrs Rawling through the school office or dojo her.

As a school, we can offer a food bank voucher (subject to conditions). We can also offer small food parcels (subject to availability).

PRAYER CORNER







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St Peter's CE Junior School School Term Dates 2025/2026

Autumn Term 2025	
Monday 1st September 2025	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Tuesday 2nd September 2025	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Wednesday 3rd September 2025	Autumn Term Begins
Friday 24th October 2025	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October 2025 Half Term (school closed)	
Friday 19th December 2025	End of Autumn Term

Spring Term 2026	
Monday 5th January 2026 Staff Professional Day (school closed)	
Tuesday 6 th January 2026	Spring Term Begins
Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February 2026 Half Term (school closed)	
Friday 27th March 2026	End of Spring Term

Summer Term 2026	
Monday 13th April 2026 Summer Term Begins	
Monday 4th May 2026	May Day Bank Holiday (school closed)
Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May 2026 Half Term (school closed)	
Friday 17th July 2026 End of Summer Term	
Monday 20th July 2026	Staff Professional Day (school closed)