



# St. Peter's C of E Junior School

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SPRING AFTER  
SCHOOL CLUBS  
START BACK NEXT  
WEEK!

[Year 2 \(New to year 3\) Information Evening  
and Open Afternoon](#)



## ST PETER'S HIGHLIGHTS



### YEAR 4 MULTIPLICATION BOOST



You may see some year 4s walking around with stickers saying 'Ask me...' This is to boost their practice for the multiplication facts they are finding more challenging to remember. So whenever you can ... Ask them! They'll love the challenge...



Across the last two weeks, we have hosted parents who are considering applying to St Peter's. We are thrilled with the feedback received, especially towards our school council, who took parents on a tour. They were praised on their knowledge, articulation and passion for St Peter's



Welcome Back to Mrs Rose, who is back teaching in Year 4 after suffering a broken ankle! The children have been so kind and supportive and we are super pleased to have her back. Thanks for all of your understanding and a big thank you to Mrs P for standing in and keeping the learning at such a high standard. Not forgetting Mrs Grant, who has also done extra days in the interim. I know the Caesar class appreciates it!



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Being polite and courteous, even to the point of charming, are important skills to learn for their successful futures.



Swimming is back in year 5. Mrs Brown had the pleasure of supporting their first session. The determination and skill on show was fantastic, not to mention the behaviour. Almost every child stopped and thanked the bus driver on arriving back to school. It really showed our STEP behaviour.

**S** - Smile and be positive

**T**- Thank you and gratitude

**E**- Excuse me manners

**P**- Please

### **COST OF TRIPS IS ROCKETING!**

We have always aimed to have an annual trip per year group. We always want it to be somewhere amazing, that also matches perfectly with their learning. For the last 3 years, we have subsidised the trips heavily to make sure that parents never have to pay more than £15... however, this has now become impossible. This year the cost per child will never go above £20, but this will still require school to be subsidising heavily. On average coach costs have increased by at least 25% along with entry tickets doing largely the same!





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You may not know, but we have zoned active areas at lunchtime. Each day the play leads, Mrs Western and Mrs Fines, co-ordinate a rotation of activities that will encourage everyone to get active.

Last week, with the weather looking bright (for at least one day anyway) the pom poms were out and children were creating their own sequences!



## COMMUNITY CORNER



## SECURITY ONLINE

Please bear with us, while we try and resolve our issue with having a facebook page. After security changes to groups, we were not satisfied that we had less power to know who the group members were and then of course, who was accessing our content. Our aim is to have a page soon, but a page that is safe, and that we can go live on.

Thanks for your understanding

## Upcoming events

**CLUBS START ON MONDAY 26TH**

**SPRING DISCO Friday 6th  
February 2026**

**MOTHER'S DAY SALE WK BEG 9th  
March 2026**





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### FAMILY WORKER - Mrs Rawling



Ask to chat if you have anything to do with behaviour; finances; housing; food; safeguarding



Dates may change due to school events or weather conditions.

 <p><b>Congratulations to our Stars of the Week</b></p>		
	<b>16.01.26</b>	<b>23.01.26</b>
<b>Carter</b>	<b>Maia</b>	<b>Melika</b>
<b>Anning</b>	<b>Daniel</b>	<b>Ewa</b>
<b>Socrates</b>	<b>Logan</b>	<b>Milana</b>

<b>Cesar</b>	<b>Stanley</b>	<b>Lia</b>
<b>Napoleon</b>	<b>Clay</b>	<b>Dylan</b>
<b>Equiano</b>	<b>Carla</b>	<b>Eli-Ray</b>
<b>Pankhurst</b>	<b>Milen</b>	<b>Nikola</b>
<b>Turing</b>	<b>Yahya</b>	<b>Jordan</b>

### 'We are the ROCK for the community'

<p><b>FIRST</b> <b>Classteachers</b></p>	<p>Any queries, information or clarification about anything to do with your child's learning or behaviour. Dojo, gate chats or give us a call.</p>
<p><b>AFTER THAT</b> <b>Assistant Heads</b> Mrs Hazeldine Y3/4 Mr Redmile Y5/6</p> <div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; align-items: center;">   </div>	<p>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.</p>
<p><b>THEN</b> <b>Headteacher</b> Mrs Brown</p>	<p>Feel free to move to me with queries if the teachers or Assistant</p>



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	Heads aren't yet able to resolve the issue. I'm on the gate and appointments can be requested through the office
<b>Our wonderful office staff</b> 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.
<b>SAFEGUARDING</b>  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)

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

Date	Time	Event
4th Feb		Yr 6 National Measurement Programme
9th Feb		Years 3 & 4 Oral Health Educator visit
16th Feb - 20th Feb - HALF TERM		
3rd Mar		Class photos

**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!**

**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



## St Peter's School Prayer



Loving Father,  
We do all thank you that we are St. Peter's School.  
*Thank you Lord*

Help us to be a school full of happiness and peace.  
*Help us Lord*

May our school community be like a family  
which helps and supports each other.  
*We are your family Lord*

Give us joy in our learning and help us to grow  
in wisdom and understanding.  
*Give us joy Lord*

Make us a school where all are welcome,  
all are respected, all are accepted.  
*Welcome*

Thank you God for everything.  
*Amen*



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## St Peter's CE Junior School

### School Term Dates

### 2025/2026



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

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

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