



SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School

# SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Term: Spring | Issue: 14 | Date: 20th March 2023

School Mission Statement

*With Jesus as our guide, we  
learn, pray and live together  
in a safe and happy way.*

## MESSAGE FROM HEADTEACHER

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Thank you to our Nursery and reception classes for such a wonderful assembly about Mothers on Thursday. The children sang and said their lines so proudly and it was a wonderful occasion. Y2/3 will be presenting their assembly on the 29th March and Y1/2 on the 30th March.

Y5/6 will be presenting the Stations of the Cross on Friday afternoon. Parents are welcome to join us for this journey to the Cross.

Well done to our Y6 children who are making their Confirmation, for reading so well in Family Mass on Sunday. Thank you to all the families who joined us for this Mass. We wish many blessings on our Y3 children who will be making their First Confession this evening at Holy Cross church. May they be filled with the peace of Christ.

It is parents evening tomorrow and this is face to face in school NOT virtually. Books will also be able to be viewed in the classroom. We look forward to welcoming all parents into school for their meetings which will be in the hall.

Can I remind all parents that we finish for the Easter break on the 31st March at 1:30pm. All children will need to be collected at this time. Nursery will finish at 12pm and the Twos at 11:45pm.

Can I remind all parents of the importance of ringing in if your child is absent from school. Any unexplained absences will be recorded as unauthorised and 5 of these can result in a fine from the local authority. Please do try to have your children in school everyday unless they are poorly.

Mrs C Faulkner

Headteacher

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Lichfield Catholic Parish website: [www.romancatholiclichfield.co.uk](http://www.romancatholiclichfield.co.uk)

Email: [admin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk) or [office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk)

# CONGRATULATIONS



Pupils who celebrated their Birthdays last week!

Lillie-Mae F

Willow S



## ANGEL OF THE WEEK



Ella, Ava and Daisy from Y5/6 have nominated:

They wanted to thank Mrs Evans and Mrs Adams for helping them get through the term, even though they are not done yet! They said, they are some of the best teachers they could ask for.

They wanted to say thank you for everything they do for them, without even getting frustrated!

## Weekly Whole School Attendance 90.6%

### Good Attendance Matters



WELL DONE

YEAR Y5/6

Class	w.e. 17/03/23 Attendance %
Reception	87.4%
Year 1/2	87.4%
Year 2/3	91.4%
Year 4/5	91.5%
Year 5/6	91.8%

*Please remember if your child is absent for any reason, that you must contact the school office as soon as possible.*



## Class Nominations of the week!

<b>Nursery</b>	<b>Whole Class</b>	<i>For our lovely Mother's Day Assembly.</i>
<b>Reception</b>	<b>Whole Class</b>	<i>For a wonderful class assembly.</i>
<b>Year 1/2</b>	<b>Isla-Anne J</b>	<i>For her knowledge and interest in learning about the Royal Family this week.</i>
	<b>Niamh M</b>	<i>For using her phonic knowledge to sound out words when writing independently.</i>
<b>Year 2/3</b>	<b>Harper M</b>	<i>For improved writing in English, particularly her growing use of punctuation.</i>
	<b>Oliver Y</b>	<i>For good effort and improvement in English.</i>
<b>Year 4/5</b>	<b>Albert R</b>	<i>For sharing excellent knowledge on Ancient Greece.</i>
	<b>Paige P</b>	<i>For making an excellent Greek Mask in DT.</i>
<b>Year 5/6</b>	<b>Olly J</b>	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>
	<b>Ella G</b>	<i>For being a role model around school.</i>



<b>Angela W</b>	<b>Y2/3</b>	<b>Steel Certificate Collected</b>
<b>Erin W</b>	<b>Y1/2</b>	<b>Brass Certificate Collected</b>

10-19 March  
**British  
Science  
Week  
2023**



**Reminder:**

All British science week poster competition entries need to be handed in **by 22 March** to Mrs McGrath with name, age and year group written on back.

The theme this year is '**Connections**'.

**Check out further details on the science page on our school website.**

# Contacting School

**Tel: 01543 226090    Nursery Tel: 01543 226094**



Please be aware that the school have had a new telephone system. Listen to the options carefully and press the correct number to be put through to the right department so that we can deal with your calls more efficiently.

## Reporting Your Child's Absence

All Pupils - Tel: 01543 226090

- ◆ Press 1
- ◆ Please leave message stating child's full name, their class & give a full reason for absence.



## To Contact Nursery

Nursery - Tel: 01543 226094



## School Office



**Tel: 01543 226090**

- ◆ Press 5

to be put through to the School Office (Mrs McCarthy/Mrs Shaw) for all other queries.

## School Finance Department

**Tel: 01543 226090**

- ◆ Press 4

to be put through to Finance (Mr Alexander) queries relating to invoices & fees.



## School Kitchen

**Tel: 01543 226090**

- ◆ Press 3

to be put through to the kitchen.





## School Email Addresses



Headteacher	Mrs Faulkner	<a href="mailto:headteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">headteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Deputy	Mrs Adams	<a href="mailto:deputyheadteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">deputyheadteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
School Business Manager	Mr Alexander	<a href="mailto:office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
School Office	Mrs McCarthy	admin. <a href="mailto:st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>

### Class Teachers

Class	Teacher	Teacher's Email
2's	Mrs Tysall	<a href="mailto:ctysall@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">ctysall@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Nursery	Mrs Ansell	<a href="mailto:jansell@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">jansell@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Reception	Miss Middleton	<a href="mailto:cmiddleton@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">cmiddleton@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Year 1/2	Miss Woolfenden	<a href="mailto:awoolfenden@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">awoolfenden@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Year 2/3	Mrs McGrath	<a href="mailto:cmcgrath@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">cmcgrath@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Year 4/5	Mrs Spurgin	<a href="mailto:aspurgin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">aspurgin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Year 5/6	Mrs Evans/Mrs Adams	<a href="mailto:aevans@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">aevans@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a> <a href="mailto:deputyheadteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">deputyheadteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Sports Coach	Mrs Wendy Gleeson	<a href="mailto:wgleeson@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">wgleeson@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>
1 : 1	Mrs Emma Fenghour	<a href="mailto:efenghour@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk">efenghour@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk</a>



# Breakfast & After School Clubs



## Breakfast Club

Monday to Friday (term time only) 7:50am until 8:50 am

At 8:50am Kids' club staff will take the children to their classrooms.

Cost per Session: £6.00

## Breakfast Available Free for Pupil Premium Children

Monday to Friday (term time only) 8:30am until 8:50 am



## After School Club

Monday to Friday (term time only)

3:00pm (Nursery / 3:15 pm (School) until 6:00pm

Cost per Session: £8.50

## After School Club - Short Session

3:00pm (Nursery / 3:15 pm (School) until 3:55pm

Cost per Session: £3.00

Please note that if you have booked a permanent place, charges will still apply even if your child does not attend the session.

Reminder to all parents if your child has a permanent booked place with Breakfast or Afterschool club and they DO NOT attend without a week's written notice you will still be charged for these sessions.

Please pay for your child's sessions in advance via Parent Pay

Queries relating to Breakfast or Afterschool club please email Mrs Tysall. Email address: [ctysall@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:ctysall@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk)

Any finance queries need to be addressed with Mr Alexander please email [office@st-peter-st-paul.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-peter-st-paul.sch.uk) or telephone (01543) 226095.

# After School Club

## Theme Nights!

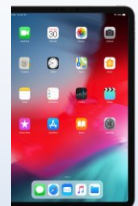


Monday: - Games & Craft Night



Tuesday: - Zumba Dance, (Glow sticks and lights)

Wednesday: - Nintendo Wii/ iPads



Thursday:- Film night (Popcorn & hot Chocolate)

Friday:- Cooking







REMINDER to all parents/person with parental responsibility  
**LATE charges will** apply if your child /children are collected late. This applies to 2's Unit, Nursery & Afterschool club

## ALL OUTSTANDING DEBTS

Please make sure that your accounts are in CREDIT when using the following services:

Snack    Dinners    BC/ASC    Nursery Fees

### GOV.UK Childcare vouchers:

Any parents using this method of payment please email Mr Alexander using this email [office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk) to inform him when a payment is processed as we get no remittance to advise us of payments coming into school.



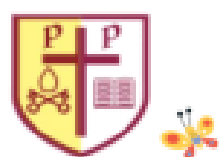
### CHARGES

BC—£6.00    ASC—£8.50    (or £3.00 ->3.55pm)

**Reminder to all parents if your child has a permanent booked place with Breakfast or Afterschool club and they DO NOT attend without a week's written notice you will still be charged for these sessions.**

**All attendance must be paid in advance on parentpay.**

# SS PETER & PAUL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2022/2023



## SS Peter & Paul School Calendar 2022/23

SEPTEMBER 22						
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MARCH 23						
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JUNE 23						
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JULY 23						
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AUGUST 23						
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- School closed for inset days
- School closed for holidays



# School Uniform Policy

## Girls

Grey skirt, grey trousers or grey pinafore dress, white shirt or polo shirt, plain white socks/plain dark tights, maroon cardigan, sweatshirt or fleece.

Sensible dark low heeled shoes – no trainers/no fashion boots.

## Boys

Grey trousers or grey shorts, white shirt or polo shirt, grey socks, maroon sweatshirt or fleece. Sensible dark school shoes – no trainers. Please note sweatshirts, polo shirts and fleeces should bear the school logo.

## Teenie Weenies & Little Learners (Nursery)

White polo shirt (with logo) Maroon jumper/cardigan (with logo)

### **Uniform can be obtained from:**

Blueprint Schoolwear  
2 Brewery St,  
Rugeley  
WS15 2DY

# EASTER FUN!



**FREE**

## Holiday Activities and Food



for children and young people aged  
5-16 who get free school meals\*



Registration opens: 4pm, 17th March 2023

**[staffordshire.gov.uk/holidayactivities](https://staffordshire.gov.uk/holidayactivities)**

\*Eligible children and young people will be sent a code from school to register



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**HOLIDAY  
ACTIVITIES  
AND FOOD**

Families' Health and Wellbeing



Midlands Partnership

NHS Foundation Trust

*A Keele University Teaching Trust*

# School Nurse Community drop in



For parents/  
carers of 5-19's  
and young  
people not in  
education

Thursday

Every Week

09.00-11.00

The School Nurse is here to help your child feel healthy, happy and safe during their school years and to get the best from their education. If you have any concerns about their health and wellbeing please drop in to chat.

**Starting the 30th March 2023 at:**

**St Chads Health Centre, Dimbles Lane WS13 7HT**

**We provide a confidential and friendly service**

[www.mpft.nhs.uk/services/health-visiting-and-school-nursing](http://www.mpft.nhs.uk/services/health-visiting-and-school-nursing)