



SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School

SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Term: Summer | Issue: 3 | Date: 9th October 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 Parents/ Carers,

Thank you to our reception and Y6 children for their assembly last week. It is lovely to witness the friendship between special friends and how it will develop across the school year.

This week Y4/5 will be presenting a prayer assembly on Thursday at 2:45pm, parents are welcome to join us.

We are going to be wearing a yellow item tomorrow at school, perhaps a pair of socks, a t-shirt, a bow or ribbon in your hair or a badge. This is to celebrate positive mental health in school. There is also an own clothes day on Friday. This has been organised by some of our children who wish to raise money to purchase new football goals for the school. The children are also doing a sponsored litter pick in the local community– please sponsor if you can.

We are very proud to announce that we have been accredited with the CAFOD Live Simply Award. It awards schools for striving to live sustainably and have a love and care for our world. It is a great honour and several children helped with our assessment and they were able to talk so freely about some of our initiatives in school, and were such a credit to us.



Parents evening appointments for October will be virtual and on the 25th October, you will soon be notified of this and be able to book your appointment with your child's teacher. Meetings in the Spring Term will be face to face.

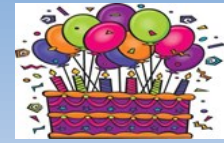
I will be contacting parents whose children's attendance has fallen below 90%. At this early stage of the year it may be due to illness or holiday, but it is important to keep you informed of the fact your child could be classed as persistently absent.

Our harvest festival will be next week and further details will follow as to how you can get involved

Mrs C Faulkner

Headteacher

CONGRATULATIONS



Pupils who celebrated their
Birthdays last week!

Alana C

Andrew M

Weekly Whole School Attendance

Good Attendance Matters

Class	W.E. 22/09/23 Attendance 93.3%
Reception	100%
Year 1/2	93.8%
Year 2/3	95.0%
Year 4/5	91.9%
Year 5/6	92.7%



WELL DONE
RECEPTION CLASS

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

If your child is not in school, they cannot learn.



Class Nominations of the week ending 29.09.23!

Nursery	Omar	<i>For really impressing us with his reading.</i>
Reception	Max	<i>For remembering all of his sounds in phonics.</i>
Year 1/2	Nina W	<i>For always being helpful.</i>
	Harvey R-W	<i>For trying really hard with all of his work and working independently.</i>
Year 2/3	Oscar E-V	<i>For working so hard on his phonics and reading.</i>
	Kady W	<i>For making an excellent start in her guided reading sessions.</i>
Year 4/5	Nico M	<i>For his excellent work in maths and reading.</i>
	Lola M	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>
Year 5/6	Mahbir U	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>
	Clara T	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>
	Harry-Jay T	<i>For being a super special friend.</i>



Class Nominations of the week ending 6.10.23!

Nursery	Evie-Mae J	<i>For learning her shapes.</i>
Reception	Lilly-Mae W	<i>For really trying hard with her handwriting.</i>
	Chris A	<i>For excellent Maths, doubling four when making his fire engine numicon picture.</i>
Year 1/2	Zander H-C	<i>For effort and enthusiasm towards his work.</i>
	Reggie B	<i>For rising to the challenge of Y2.</i>
Year 2/3	Oliver Y	<i>For great effort in English on his work on 'The Ordinary Boy'.</i>
	Lola H	<i>For a great start to Y2/3. For a good effort across all subjects.</i>
Year 4/5	Oliver S	<i>For his contributions at the fire station visit.</i>
	Evie Y	<i>For constantly being ready to learn and trying her best.</i>
Year 5/6	Mahbir U	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>
	Clara T	<i>For excellent Maths work.</i>



Congratulations to the following Pupils who have achieved NUMBOTS Certificates this week.

Darcy M	Y2/3	Tin & Brass Collected Certificate
Sienna S	Y1/2	Rust Completed Certificate
William P	Pre 1	Rust Completed Certificate
Edward P	Pre 1	Rust Completed Certificate

ANGEL OF THE WEEK

Allie P

I picked Allie for my Angel of the Week because when I was sad, Allie was cuddling me and being nice to me.

From Kyra

ANGEL OF THE WEEK

Kyra H

I would like to nominate Kyra as in PE nobody voted for Ollie and Kyra did the sweetest thing ever, because she voted for Ollie. So I am nominating Kyra for being so kind and she helped Alana's head hurt.

From Allie

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	headteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Deputy Headteacher	Mrs Adams	deputyheadteacher@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
School Business Manager	Mr Alexander	office@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Office Administrator	Mrs McCarthy	admin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk

Class Teachers

Class	Teacher	Teacher's Email
2's	Mrs Tysall	ctysall@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Nursery	Mrs Ansell	jansell@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Reception	Mrs Clack	eclack@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Year 1/2	Miss Woolfenden Mrs K Wheeler	awoolfenden@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk kwheeler@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Year 2/3	Mrs McGrath Mrs Lambert	cmcgrath@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk jlambert@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Year 4/5	Mrs Spurgin	aspurgin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Year 5/6	Mrs Adams Mrs Harris	aevans@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk mharris@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Sports Coach	Mrs Wendy Gleeson	wgleeson@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk
Nurture	Ms Lisa Richardson	lrichardson@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk

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

Please contact school office for further information.



After School Club

Monday to Friday (term time only)

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

Cost per Session: £10

After School Club - Short Session

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

Cost per Session: £4.00

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

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



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 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—£10.00 (or £4.00 ->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.

After School Club

Theme Nights!

Monday: - Games



Tuesday: - Parachute & field Games



Wednesday: - Nintendo Wii/ iPads



Thursday:- Film night (Popcorn & hot Chocolate)

Friday:- Make & Do (Craft)





SS Peter & Paul

School Calendar 2023/24

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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.

Teenie Weenies & Little Learners (Nursery)

White polo shirt , Maroon jumper/cardigan.

Uniform can be obtained from:

Blueprint Schoolwear
2 Brewery St,
Rugeley
WS15 2DY

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.

St Chad's Health Centre
Dimbles Lane
WS13 7HT

We provide a confidential and friendly service

www.mpft.nhs.uk/services/health-visiting-and-school-nursing



Welcome to the Edwards & Ward Family of Food

We are thrilled to announce that we will be your school's new lunchtime catering provider from the 1st of September 2023.

At Edwards and Ward, we take great pride in our special diets process and continually strive to make it as simple and inclusive as possible to help us ensure that all children can be fed safely and effectively.

If your child requires a special diet due to a diagnosed allergy, intolerance or medical condition, you will need to register with us.

Our special diets registration form can be found on our website along with a full list of FAQs.

edwardsandward.co.uk/special-diets/

In order to guarantee that your special menu is ready at the start of the new academic year, registration forms should be submitted no later than the 30th of June.

If there are any concerns about this, please contact our Special Diets Team for advice.



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PRIMARY GRAMMAR FOR PARENTS

Let's face it: the grammar and writing expectations in primary school are high! We'd love to help our children with their homework (and we'd love it to be fun), but all of this terminology is...well, terrifying!

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This parent-friendly, online grammar course will:

- Provide you with clear, concise explanations and dozens of examples
- Make complex concepts simple and easy to understand
- Explain the terminology in easy-to-digest ways
- Suggest creative and fun activities to learn grammar with your child
- Explore ways to help your child apply grammar skills to their writing

Select from a range of dates and times to best suit you and your family commitments. You'll also get a FREE copy of all the training materials, games and activities. And (whisper it) you can even bring your child along for the ride!

Courses start in September and places are limited, so if your child is in Y1-Y6, get in touch to find out more. Visit www.thenestcoaching.co.uk or email anna@thenestcoaching.co.uk



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- Students gaining professional credits through our connections with casting directors including work on CBBC, and most recently, a lead role in the UK tour of 'Waitress'.

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