



NEWSLETTER

From St Peter's Church of England (VC) Primary School

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Diary Dates

Monday 9 th May	SAT's Week
Wednesday 10 th May	Yr1&2 Sevenoaks Wildlife Centre Visit
Thursday 11 th May	KS2 Theatre Trip – Aladdin
Friday 12 th May	Yr3 Cake Sale
Monday 15 th May	Spanish Day

Fidget Spinners

Due to the inappropriate way fidget spinners are being used in class and in the playground children will no longer be able to bring them into school.

Year 6 SATs Week

Next week the school will provide breakfast for all Year 6 children from Monday to Thursday. Breakfast will be served at 8:15am in the Hall.

Spanish Day

As part of our Spanish Day activities we would like all children to wear clothes in the Spanish flag colours (Yellow/Red) or any Spanish speaking country. They can also wear Spanish football team kits, Mexican hats, flamenco dresses etc. We would also ask each child to pay £1 as the children will be taking part in food tasting in the afternoon. At 2:30pm we will have a whole school assembly where each class will report on what they have learnt throughout the day. Parents are welcome to attend.

Year 3 Fundraising Cake Sale

The Year 3 Fundraising cake sale will take place on Friday 12th May. We would like all children to buy a cake to aid Unicef and Children in danger affected by natural disasters. Any cake donations are welcome, thank you. Year 3.

End of Day Collection

From Monday 8th May parents collecting children from Nursery and school will not be able to wait in the school playgrounds as this is disrupting children's learning. All parents will need to either walk down the hill and wait outside the school gates or wait until 3pm to walk through, thank you.

Start of School Day

Please could remind parents that they are not to enter classrooms at the start of the school day, if you wish to speak with the class teacher please either pass a message on with Mrs Craig at the school gate or at the office or speak to the teacher at the end of the day. Please can you also ensure siblings are not entering the classrooms before school.

Kent Test – September 2017

Parents are able to register for the Kent Test online via www.kent.gov.uk/ola The Kent Test Registration will open at 9am on Thursday 1st June and closes at 4pm on Monday 3rd July 2017. The Kent test will be on Thursday 7th September in School. If any parents would like a meeting with Mrs Shemilt and Mrs Craig regarding the Kent Test please ask at the office, thank you.



Rights Respecting Award

Congratulations to the children that won the UNICEF design a poster competition.



Attendance this week

Reception	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	Class 6
88%	97.9%	100%	97.5%	99.4%	93.8%	94.4%

Congratulations to **Class 2** for the highest attendance percentage this week.

St Peter's School Nursery Ltd – Fee Increase

Over the past couple of years we have been able to waive any fee increase at Nursery and Wrap around care, however we have now reached the point where from September 2017 we will be increasing fees to reflect costs as follows: Breakfast Club will be £5:00; Nursery Sessions will be £12:50; Lunch Session £5:00 and After School Sessions £15:00. Children attending After School will now receive a hot meal rather than a snack.



Second Hand Uniform

The SPSA always have good quality second hand uniform for sale from the back of the hall. If you would like to take a look at any time please ask at the office.

Congratulations to the following children for being awarded the Presentation Award this week:

- ❖ Ava-Rose in Reception Class
- ❖ William in Class 3
- ❖ Amelia in Class 6
- ❖ Cordelia in Class 1
- ❖ Riley in Class 4
- ❖ Abigail in Class 2
- ❖ Molly in Class 5

Congratulations to the following children for completing their "Good to be Green" card:

- ❖ Cordelia in Class 1
- ❖ Ava-Grace in Class 1
- ❖ Elizabeth in Class 1
- ❖ Abigail in Class 2
- ❖ Jay in Class 2
- ❖ Ruby in Class 3
- ❖ Megan in Class 3
- ❖ Kaiden in Class 3
- ❖ Scarlett in Class 1
- ❖ Evan in Class 1
- ❖ Miriam in Class 2
- ❖ Tia in Class 2
- ❖ Daisy in Class 2
- ❖ Henry in Class 3
- ❖ Gemma in Class 3
- ❖ Rebekka in Class 3
- ❖ Jude in Class 1
- ❖ Mathew in Class 1
- ❖ Jamiee in Class 2
- ❖ Lillie in Class 2
- ❖ Tyler in Class 3
- ❖ Isaac R in Class 3
- ❖ Charlotte in Class 3

Also Congratulations to the following Child for receiving awards outside of school:

- ❖ Jack in Year 4 for being awarded Under 9 MIPL Spring Festival Winner Award
- ❖ Molly in Year 5 for being presented her moving on award from Cubs to Scouts

Congratulations to the following Reception Children for being awarded Superstar of the Week

- ❖ Kaine

Safeguarding

Online Safety is an important part of keeping children safe at St Peter's School. Online Safety is taught to all pupils and our curriculum empowers pupils to understand and be aware how they can stay safe and behave appropriately online. However we can only be successful in keeping children safe online if we work with you.

Your help is needed to talk to your children about how they can keep themselves safe and behave appropriately online. It's important that we are all vigilant when children are using the internet and act to ensure they are protected from people who may pose a risk to them. Children can accidentally or deliberately be exposed to illegal, unwanted or unpleasant content, comments or activity online and there are steps you can take at home to minimise this risk.

Ground Rules

- Discuss together as a family how the internet will be used in your house. Consider what information should be kept private (such as personal information, photos in school uniform etc) and decide rules for making and meeting online friends. Ensure your children know the risks of accepting friends' requests from strangers online and make sure you know what your child is doing online much like you would offline.
- Discuss using strong passwords with your child so they understand how they can protect their online accounts-talk about keeping passwords safe e.g. not sharing them with anyone or use the same password for several accounts. If your child's account is "hacked" or compromised then make sure they change their password and report any concerns or suspicious activity. For more advice on using strong passwords visit: <http://tinyurl.com/Getssafeonlinepassword>
- Consider locating your child's computers and laptops in a family area but be aware that children access the internet on mobile phones, games consoles and tablets so can't always be supervised.
- Be especially aware of settings rules relating to your child's use of webcams and any applications or devices which allow voice or video chat. Childnet have useful information for young people about using webcams safely: www.childnet.com/young-people/secondary/hot-topics/video-chat-and-webcams

Class Learning Update:

This Week

Next Week

Mrs Stone Reception



Mrs Stone will send out a separate update in the children's book bags.

Miss Mathews Year 1



In Maths we will be looking at capacity.

In English we will be looking at writing a recount of our trip to Sevenoaks.

Homework

Maths Books – Section 1 Session 2 Pages 6&7

Mrs Robinson Year 2



In Maths we will be revisiting multiplication and division. Mixed 2, 5 and 10 division test on Friday.

In English we will be making fat balls for the birds in our school grounds. We will then write instructions about how we made the fat balls to share with year 1. Please can the children bring in an empty, clean yogurt pot on Monday so that they can make a fat ball.

Spellings

fairness	sadness
kindness	happiness
silliness	enjoyment
statement	movement
ointment	amazement

Mrs Christou
Year 3



In Maths we will be looking at properties of 3D shapes and working out perimeter.

In English we will be writing our own version of a twisted tale.

Spellings

humorous	vigorous
courageous	gorgeous
serious	mysterious
various	hideous

Mr Eastwood
Year 4



'A successful spelling test!'

In Maths we will be measuring length and problem solving.

In English we will be writing interviews.

Spellings

possess	possible
potatoes	probably
promise	purpose
quarter	question
query	equipment

Mrs Shemilt
Year 5



In Maths we will be looking at geometry – shapes.

In English we will be doing persuasive writing.

Spellings

relevant	revelation
referee	restaurant
revolution	reflex
remonstrate	readjust
reflection	

Mr Holt
Year 6



SAT's Week