



We, the family of St Peter's, united in faith by God, strive to learn and grow together to be the best we possibly can everyday.

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March 9th 2018

Dear Parents and Friends,

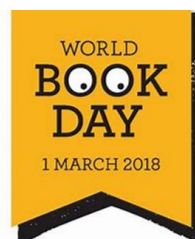
Head teacher news.

Mrs Clare Scott will take over after Easter please support her as much as you do me.



Nursery

The application forms for children starting Nursery September 2018 are available from the school office. If your child was born between September 2014 and August 2015 and you would like them to attend St Peter's Nursery, please come in and pick up a pack. Applications need to be submitted by **Friday 16th March.**



Thank you to all the families who attended our treasure tea after school during book week. It was great to see so many of you there. Adults with their children engrossed in a book is always fantastic to see.

The children looked fantastic today dressed as various different book characters. A huge thank you for your kind donations we managed to raise £309 which we will spend on new books for our school library.

The winner from our book week competitions will be announced next week!

Thirty Y6 trumpeters Royal Academy of Music.



A great musical day out as part of a superb concert with world class brass players. What an experience we all had. Thank you to the few adults who came to support their children.



Please read the information on this website. (Y)Our children need to be safe and protected online. This will help you.

Purple & Orange Day

Next Friday 16th March we are having a non-uniform day - dressing in something purple or orange in support of Alzheimers Awareness. Mrs Barnes' daughter Anna is taking part in a 65km trek in The Grand Canyon for Alzheimers Research UK. Therefore, we are asking for a £1 donation for this worthy cause.

Dinner ladies/ men

We need two new members of our team. If you are interested in being a mid-day supervisor please collect an application from the school office.

Mon 12 th March	8.30 3.15pm-4.30pm	Yr 1 Cancelled Bible study Yr 5 Multisports
Tues 13 th March	8am 8am 3.15pm - 4.25pm 3.15pm - 4.30pm	Yr 2 Judo Yr 3 Multisports Yr 3/4 Football Yr 4 Cancelled Multisports
Wed 14 th March	8am	Yr 5/6 Boys/Girls Gymnastics
Thurs 15 th March	8am	Yr 5/6 Boys/girls Gymnastics Trewern meeting Y6 parents 2.45pm
Fri 16 th March	8am 8am 8am 2.45 pm	Yr 3 Judo Yr 5/6 Boys Football Yr 5/6 Girls Football Whole School Assembly Non uniform for Alzheimers Research UK

Happy Birthday 26th February - 11th March 2018

Maja Plawiak 10, Michelle Ekwulugwo 7, Ezekiel Olasehinde 7, Ire Adesanya 8, Nancy Enyinnia 5, Nathan Guye 8, Martha Van Rodde 10, David Uchechukwu 4, Hazel Ekwulugwo 6, Reggie Saye-Marsh 6, Riana Cukaj 7, Ella Akumu 10, Adanna Ewunonu 9.

Drivers

Please be considerate about where you park as our school is in a residential area where other people live and work.



Children travelling home alone.

Ideally these will only be Y6 children. In every case parents must speak to me and put in writing their reasons. We want to develop the independence of our children but every case is different.

Breakfast Club

7.30am - 8.45am (last entrance at 8.30am) £2.00 per session paid in advance via parentpay.



Please make sure a responsible adult drops your children off at breakfast club and not an older sibling from the school who will then either go home or out to an adult waiting in the car. Once your child is on school premises they are expected to stay. Food is provided please do not send children in with food from shops or home.

Newsletter/website.

Firstly thank you to those of you who read this every week. We put it on the website and email it out to the emails we have for you.

The website can also be seen through a free app -Schudio School App then put in the postcode and all of it is on your phone for free.

Blog

A new addition to our website under the parents section informing you of what your child/children have been learning this week. Please take a look.

Please see some photos of school life on our twitter link:

@stpetersdagenham

Chaplaincy Newsletter

This is a new monthly newsletter that can be found on our website. Please take a look at this month's edition

Attendance

If your child is not coming into school, please call the school office by 10am on the first day they are absent and let us know the reason.

Contact Information

Please make sure you keep us updated in any changes to addresses, emails and telephone numbers.

Parent Pay

Your child will no longer receive a hot dinner if their account is not at **least £2.10 in credit**. An emergency meal could be given at Mr Craft's discretion if you contact the Office before 9.30am. It is your responsibility to make sure your child's parent pay is in credit at all times.

Party Bags

We love to celebrate a birthday at St Peter's. We just ask that any birthday cake is pre-cut and wrapped individually and party bags are not too heavy as they must be brought in with the child first thing in the morning. **THEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE OFFICE.**

Summer Uniform/PE uniform

We are in the process of changing our Summer/PE uniform which will start on 16th April 2018, this can be viewed below. Please read carefully as there are some changes.

Yours sincerely

Mr D Craft Headteacher

UNIFORM FOR ALL NURSERY CHILDREN

WINTER

Navy sweatshirt with school crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)

White polo shirt with school crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)

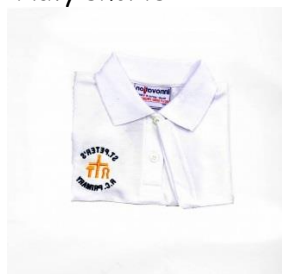
Navy jogging bottoms



SUMMER

White polo shirt with school crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)

Navy shorts These must be knee length



Footwear

Sensible black velcro closing shoes or trainers
White socks

Coats

Navy blue jacket with school crest (purchased from Castle

Green Uniform Shop)

or plain navy blue or plain black coat

Bookbags



NO OTHER BAGS ARE ALLOWED.

Hair

Boys No patterns shaved into haircuts. No hair gel

Girls Long hair must be tied back with blue/white bobbles, ribbons or hair bands only.

MULTI COLOURED HAIR ACCESSORIES ARE NOT ALLOWED.

These are all available from The Castle Green Uniform Shop in Gale Street or online at <https://castle-green.org.uk>

UNIFORM FOR ALL CHILDREN RECEPTION - YEAR 6

BOYS: **WINTER** White shirt NOT a polo shirt
Navy blue jumper with School Crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)
NO SWEATSHIRTS
Grey Trousers
School tie - Elasticated for Infants only (purchased from School Office)



SUMMER White polo shirt with School Crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)
Grey trousers or grey shorts



Hair **No patterns shaved into haircuts. No Hair gel**

GIRLS: WINTER White shirt NOT a polo shirt
Navy blue jumper with School Crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)
NO SWEATSHIRTS
Grey skirt or pinafore dress
School tie (Purchased from School Office)
White socks, navy, black or grey tights



SUMMER Reception - Year 4 Pale blue and white checked dress



Year 5 and 6

White polo shirt with school crest
(purchased from Castle Green
Uniform Shop) and grey skirt



Hair Long hair **must be** tied back with blue/white hair/
Bobbles, hair bands or ribbons.

MULTI COLOURED HAIR ACCESSORIES ARE NOT ALLOWED.

NB. Short sleeved shirts are the most practical for school.

Bookbags



NO OTHER BAGS ARE ALLOWED FOR THEIR BOOKS.

Footwear

Sensible black shoes only

NO TRAINERS OR BOOTS

Coats

Navy blue jacket with school crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop)

Or plain navy blue or plain black coat

PE KITS FOR ALL CHILDREN RECEPTION TO YEAR 6

Navy Tee Shirt

with school crest (purchased from Castle Green Uniform Shop) **Awaiting Picture**

Navy Shorts

Black Plimsolls



NO JEWELLERY IS ALLOWED IN SCHOOL. IF THEIR EARS ARE PIERCED, CHILDREN MAY WEAR SMALL STUDS ONLY. STUDS MUST BE REMOVED FOR ALL PHYSICAL EDUCATION ACTIVITIES. CHILDREN MUST BE ABLE TO REMOVE THEIR OWN EARRINGS. IF THEY ARE UNABLE, THEY MUST COME INTO SCHOOL WITHOUT THEM ON PE DAYS.