



# St Peter's C.E. Primary School

Love, Challenge, Inspire!

*'Let your light shine'*

Matthew 5:16

## Weekly Newsletter

18<sup>th</sup> October 2024



*Happy Half Term!*

Well done to all our children on a wonderful first half term!

A huge thank you to all our families for your support and to all the governors and all the staff for all their hard work.

We hope everyone has a brilliant half term break.

### New School Council

A huge thank you to all the children who applied to be on our School Council this year. Congratulations to the children who were successful for this academic year.

Elm Class	J.Boy and Leja
Birch Class	Ella and Charlie
Almond Class	Jacob and Jasmine S
Cedar Class	Aiden and Eliza
Hawthorn Class	Oscar and Himanya
Elder Class	Bryan and Amelia A
Beech Class	Orla and Seth
Chestnut Class	George and Livia
Oak Class	Muhammed and Libby



### House Winners

Congratulations to Rivington House (Red House) who achieved the most house points this half term. They enjoyed their non-uniform day on Thursday to celebrate their success.

### Riddle Me with Rhymes and Poems

On Wednesday each class proudly took to the stage a class at a time to perform their class rhyme or poem. They all thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Please ask your child about it they might enjoy performing their rhyme or poem to you at home.

## Reception

Last week they had a great week learning about their Harvest topic in RE. The children harvested some vegetables from their planters with the help of their buddies, washed, peeled and cut them up to put in a big pot. They enjoyed doing this whilst reciting their Chop Chop poem. Then on Friday they made a fire in the woodlands and cooked their soup. The children enjoyed eating their Harvest soup around the fire and chatting with their friends.



## Parents Evening

A huge thank you to all the parents who attended parents evening either in person or on the phone. If you were unable to attend parents evening and would like to speak to your child's class teacher please do contact your child's class teacher to organise an appropriate time.



## School Photo Day



## School Photograph Day

School Photograph Day will be taking place on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Siblings who do not attend St Peter's are welcome to come for sibling photographs at 8:15am until 8:40am. Siblings that all attend St Peter's will have their sibling photograph taken during the school day.

## 500 Words

Exciting news! 500 Words, the UK's most successful children's writing competition has now opened for submissions and will run until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November. As a school, we are hoping to get as many entries as we possibly can from KS1 and KS2 so that we can show the incredible writing skills we have here at St Peter's in Chorley.

The 500 Words competition wants children to have fun writing their stories, be as creative as they can and make the judges laugh, cry or just be blown away by what they are reading. Over the years there have been incredible stories submitted. There are very few rules on 500 Words but a few points to remember:

### **All the stories must:**

- Be 500 words or less (title is not included in the number)
- Be written by an individual and not a group
- Be a child's own original idea
- Be prose, not rap or poem

This week z letter was sent home with all the information of how to submit the 500 Word Story!

Good luck everyone!

Follow the link to find out more: [Enter 500 Words writing competition - CBBC](#)



## The Blue Peter Earthshot Competition



Blue Peter is giving children the amazing opportunity to come up with an idea that could help the planet and be recognised by His Royal Highness, Prince William's prestigious Earthshot Prize! The Earthshot Prize looks for solutions to the world's biggest environmental challenges, and now they want the children of today to get involved.

The competition closes at 5pm on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

Follow the link to find out more: [The Blue Peter Earthshot Competition - CBBC](#)

## Almond Class

Last week Almond Class learnt a new skill in the woodlands about how to split wood.



## Christmas Movie Nights

EYFS and KS1 (Infants) movie night will be on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2024 after school until 4:30pm. The Infants will be watching 'The Grinch'.

KS2 movie night will be on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2024 after school until 5:00pm. KS2 will be watching Elf it is a PG rated film.

The school council would like to raise funds for additional visitors into school. Therefore, the movie night will cost £3:00 and will also include popcorn and a drink. .

*If your child attends Stay Late Club on this evening, then they can either attend Stay Late Club or attend the movie night. If you pay for Stay Late Club you will not need to pay any additional money however, please inform Mrs Jones that your child wishes to go to their movie night by Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024.*

Bookings will close on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Please book on Parent Pay.



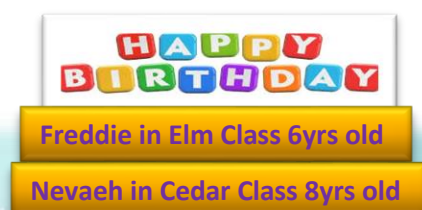
## School Website

Currently no updates are going on our school website as a web team is working hard to make our school a new website. Fingers crossed it will be ready very soon and we apologise for any inconvenience.

## Admissions

We are just saying hello to our new starters and it is time to think about September 2025! Admissions for next year is now open via the LCC website. If you are interested in a place for your 4-year-old for next September, please do get in touch with us with any questions or to arrange a visit and a tour of school with Miss Brown.

Please follow the link to apply: [Apply for a school place - Lancashire County Council](#)

A vibrant red poster for 'SCHOOL ADMISSIONS 2025' at St Peter's C.E. Primary School. The poster features the school's logo, a grid pattern, and various photos of children in the classroom and at school events. Text on the poster includes 'About Us' and 'Book a visit' with contact information.

**St Peter's C.E. Primary School**

# SCHOOL ADMISSIONS 2025

## About Us

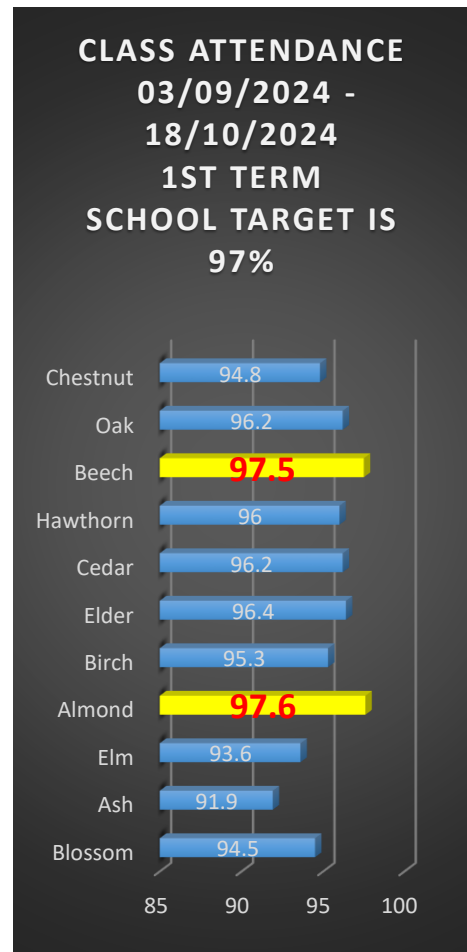
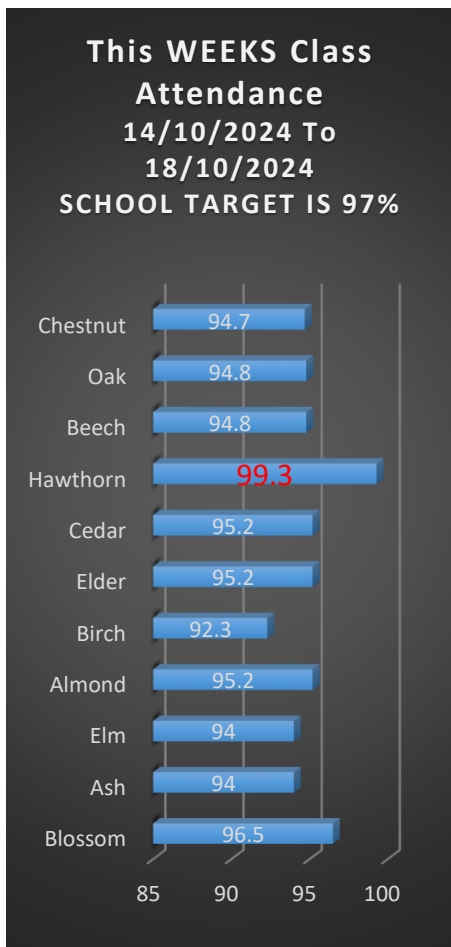
At St Peter's we believe that all our children can shine as we strive for every member of our family to succeed and flourish through our values centred curriculum.

## Book a visit

Call us on 01257 262625 or email [office@stpeters.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:office@stpeters.lancs.sch.uk) and we would love to show you around our wonderful school or answer any of your questions.

## Merit Winners

Every week one child from each class gets their name in the 'Golden Book' for excellent effort and hard work. This week, the children who received a merit certificate are:





## Reading Rucksack "I'm wondering what to read next."

*Matilda, Roald Dahl*

The Reading Bears are looking forward to going on new adventures. Don't forget to share a photograph with us.



## Reflection Time

Our reflection has been an important Bible verse. The idea that we reap what we sow. What does this mean? Christians hope to live fruitful lives. The importance of relying on God for all good things. God wanted us to bear his fruits - love, patience, kindness, joy and self-control. God grows in us love and joy is a like happiness but deeper and greater. It is through God's teachings that we have the power to live the fruits of the spirits and share them with one another. It is from these fruits that we can do all things. With God all things are possible.

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control"  
Galatians 5:13-25

Wishing you all a wonderful half term break!

Take care and stay safe and remember you are always in my thoughts and prayers.

Kind regards

Miss Brown

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[October 2024](#)

29<sup>th</sup> Oct – School Re-opens after Half Term

[November 2024](#)

6<sup>th</sup> Nov – Elder Class visiting Church

12<sup>th</sup> Nov – Reception Number Morning

13<sup>th</sup> Nov – Intra Flu Vaccination – in school

14<sup>th</sup> Nov – Beech, Chestnut, Oak – Chester Roman Trip

21<sup>st</sup> Nov – KS2 SATS Evening for Parents – 5pm

27<sup>th</sup> Nov – Hawthorn Class visiting Church

[December 2024](#)

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec – Bring to school homemade Christmas tree decoration

4<sup>th</sup> Dec – Cedar Class visiting Church

4<sup>th</sup> Dec – Resilience TriKidz for Years 4, 5 and 6

11<sup>th</sup> Dec – KS1 Nativity to Parents – 2pm and 6pm

13<sup>th</sup> Dec – Elf Run – Donations to the Homeless

16<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christingle Service – Years 2,3,4,5 and 6 to attend at 2pm

17<sup>th</sup> Dec – Infant Christmas Lunch

18<sup>th</sup> Dec – Junior Christmas Lunch

18<sup>th</sup> Dec – Reception Singalong to Parents – 2pm

18<sup>th</sup> Dec - Oak and Chestnut Year 6 visiting Church

19<sup>th</sup> Dec – St Peter’s Penny

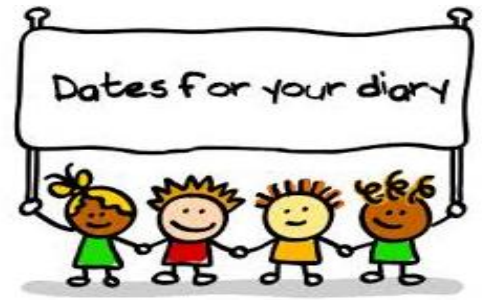
19<sup>th</sup> Dec – Dojo Tea Party

19<sup>th</sup> Dec – House Winners non-uniform day

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas Party Day

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – School Closes for Christmas Holidays at 2:30pm

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Stay Late Club Closes at 4:30pm



**Health Festival**  
Starting Life Well in Chorley

**Saturday 2 November, 2024**  
All Seasons Leisure Centre, Water Street, PR7 2DJ  
12noon - 4pm

**FREE**

A fun, free day out for all the family. Bring your swimming kit so you can all have a free swim on the day, or book for a free session later in the month.

We want our children and young people to have the healthiest start they can. Come along to find out what's available, take part and join in. There is so much support out there and we've brought it all together in one place for you.

Join us in the leisure centre and be in with a chance to win prizes if you can complete the treasure hunt.



**FIRST KICK HOLIDAY CLUB**  
Southlands Secondary School,  
Clover Road, Chorley PR7 2NJ



**MONDAY 21<sup>st</sup> OCT - FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> OCT**

**FOOTBALL CAMP**  
Football Development Sessions  
Penalty Shootouts & Tournaments  
NERF Wars  
Bouncy Castles & Fifa Tournaments

**MULTI-SPORT CAMP**  
Dodgeball  
Cricket  
Sports Day  
Dance & Gymnastics  
Hockey  
Netball  
& many more...

**BOOK THE FULL WEEK FOR JUST £80!**

We are pleased to announce that we are offering our October Holiday club for just £80 for the full week. Single day prices are also available at £18 and any three days in the week are just £50.

**DROP OFF**  
8:00am - 9:30am  
**PICK UP**  
4:00pm - 5:00pm

1 day - £18  
2 days - £36  
3 days - £50  
4 days - £68  
Full week - £80  
10% sibling discount

Government Tax-Free Childcare scheme accepted - Check eligibility  
URN - 2799706



View more on our social media:  
Facebook: First Kick Football  
Instagram: firstkickfootball



Each day medals and trophies are awarded for good teamwork, best attitude, hard work and star player.  
Additional Activities: Bouncy Castles, Slides, Dodgeball, Football, Penalty Shootouts, Mini Tournaments, Jenga, XBOX FIFA, WII MARIO KART, Badminton, Toys, Lego, Hockey, Netball, Rugby, Basketball, Parachute Games, Hula Hoops, Multi-Skills Activities, Sports Day, Colouring, Street Dance and Rainy Day Activities.



**To Book Please Call**  
01772 428 086 or 07514 316 534

We cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to property or clothing. Please note we have a strict no refund policy once a place has been booked.



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PRESENTS...

SING  
ACT  
DANCE

# MUSICAL THEATRE CAMP

AGES  
5-11

MON 21ST-THURS 24th OCTOBER  
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Eaves Lane PR7 0DX

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## OCTOBER HALF TERM

## MULTISPORTS CAMP

Mon 21st-Weds 23rd October

Lancaster Lane  
Primary School  
Hunters Road,  
Clayton-Le-Woods  
PR25 5TT

AGES  
4-11

10AM-  
2PM



£40 Full/ £15 PER DAY  
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## Making Sense of Special Needs

A FREE 6-week course for parents or carers of children and young people with special educational needs or disabilities [SEND]

Does your child struggle at school?

Do you know what help may be available for them?

Are you confused by the words and abbreviations that are used in meetings?

Do you know how to find information, advice and support for your yourself?

Would you like to know more?

Lancashire SENDIAS have a 6-week course for parents and carers to help them understand more about the special needs process in Lancashire.

This course is run by Trinity Special Needs Advice Partnership and will start in the Chorley and South Ribble area in October 2024.

There will be a limit on numbers on each course, so you will need to book a place. For more details please email [trinitysnap17@gmail.com](mailto:trinitysnap17@gmail.com)