St Peter's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Service Tolerance Peace Endurance Truth Enjoyment Respect

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Principal's Welcome

I can't quite believe we've reached the end of another half term and are already heading into the final half term of the academic year!

A big well done to Aston Villa—an exciting achievement... and we're sure our Blues and other local fans will keep the friendly rivalry going!

We hope you all have a lovely and restful break and enjoy you some family time.

Hope the sun keeps shining this week!

God Bless Mrs Mellor

Y6 Production

The date of our Year 6 production has slightly changed due to Confirmation taking place on the evening of Thursday 9th July.

The updated performance dates are:

Evening show: Wednesday 8th July at 6:00pm
Morning show: Thursday 9th July at 9:15am (as originally planned)

Thank you for your understanding.

After School Clubs

Monday -
Multiskills- Reception (4.20pm)
Summer Sports Y4 (4.30pm)

Tuesday -
Art - Y1 (4.20pm)

Wednesday -
Summer Sports - Y5 (4.30pm)

Thursday -
Rounders - Y6 (4.20pm)

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Catholic Life

May is dedicated to...

May is a special month in the Catholic Church, dedicated to Mary, the Mother of Jesus. Throughout May, we honour her love, faith, and kindness through prayer, flowers, hymns, and acts of service, remembering her as our gentle guide to Jesus and a model of trust for our school community.

Catholic Social Teaching: Dignity of the Worker

This term we focus on Catholic Social Teaching: Dignity of the Worker, recognising that all work has value and every person deserves respect, fair treatment and opportunities to flourish together.

Jesuit Virtues:

Grateful

We encourage our children to recognise and give thanks for God's gifts, appreciating the people, opportunities and blessings in their lives.

Generous

We inspire our children to share their time, talents and kindness, responding with compassion and service to the needs of others.

Gospel Reflection

In this Sunday's Gospel, we are reminded to trust in Jesus' love and guidance in our daily lives. He calls us to live with faith, kindness and courage, even when the path feels uncertain. Let us open our hearts, follow His word, and share His peace with everyone we meet.

Pope Leo's Prayer Intention

May: For priests in crisis

For the month of May, Pope Leo has invited Catholics around the world to pray "that everyone might have food." He encourages us to give thanks for what we have, to avoid wasting food, and to grow in generosity. This intention reminds us to care for those in need, to share responsibly, and to work together as a community so that everyone has access to the food they need to live with dignity.

Parish

Please click here to be taken to the parish website where you will find a range of helpful information, including the parish newsletter Frontpage

Mass Times

St Rose of Lima
Sunday 11.30am

St Peter's
Saturday 10am Sunday 8.45am

CORPUS CHRISTI
–PROCESSION–

SUNDAY 7TH JUNE

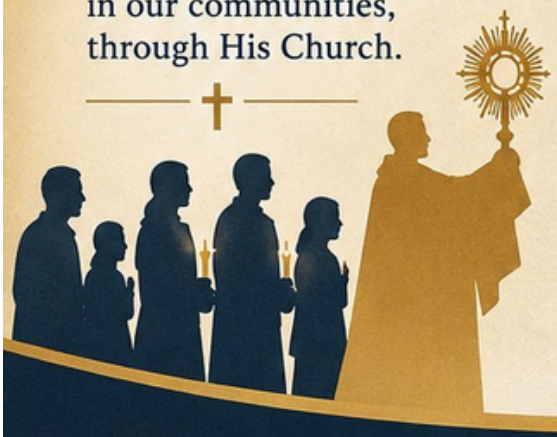
The Feast of Corpus Christi is being observed on **Sunday 7th June.** A monstrance, transported in a vehicle provided by Morton's, will begin the vehicular procession from Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Rednal to St. John Fisher, West Heath. From there to Our Lady & St. Brigid, Northfield to Our Lady & St. Rose of Lima before ending at St. Peter's, Bartley Green.

At each church, there will be a short reading of Scripture, followed by a prayer, and then a blessing over that pastoral area.

People will then follow the Blessed Sacrament from 'their church' to the next church.

You are free to follow to the end, from wherever you begin, or to line the street as the vehicle leaves your church.

THIS IS A BOLD AND POWERFUL WITNESS
to the presence of Jesus,
in our communities,
through His Church.



1 Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Rednal
PROCESSION STARTS HERE
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Blessing of the Area

2 St. John Fisher, West Heath
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Blessing of the Area

3 Our Lady & St. Brigid, Northfield
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Blessing of the Area

4 Our Lady & St. Rose of Lima
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Blessing of the Area

5 St. Peter's, Bartley Green
PROCESSION ENDS HERE
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I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, TO THE END OF THE AGE."
– MATTHEW 28:20

Weekly Celebrations

Each week we shine a spotlight on the amazing achievements of our children...

A huge well done to all of the childern this half term for your fantastic hard work and effort you have put into your learning.

WELL DONE!

Attendance

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98.5%	98.8%	98.6%	98.3%	95.8%	95.2%	97.5%

Well done to ... Year One!
Whole School Attendance to date: 96.5 %

House Points

This weeks winners are...

St George's	St Patrick's	St David's	St Andrew's
2nd	3rd	1st	4th

Community Page

Whats on in the local area...

West Midlands POLICE

Upcoming events for June

Here you can find a list for our future community events with the following dates and times:

. Cuppa with a Coppa on 01/06/26 at 10:00-11:00 AM, located at Holloway Hall, Holloway, B31 1TT.

. Cuppa with a Coppa on 10/06/26 at 10:30-11:30 AM, located at St Francis Centre, Glen Side, B32 3RU.

. Cuppa with a Coppa on 11/06/26 at 10:00-11:00 AM, located at Milebrook Hall, Field Lane, B32 4ER.

. Bartley library Age UK Group on 12/06/26 at 11:00-13:00 AM/PM, located on Bartley Library, Adams Hill, B32 3QG.

. Bike Marking at Woodgate Valley Car Park on 28/06/26 at 10:30-11:30 AM, located at Clapgate Lane, B32 3QT.

Safeguarding and SEND

SEND Team

This is our SENCO Team – here to support children with special educational needs and their families. Please see us if you need any help, or contact us at senco@stpeterc.bham.sch.uk or call 0121 464 6921

Miss Luff
SENCO

Mrs Kenny
Pastoral Mentor

Safeguarding Team

This is our Safeguarding Team – here to keep every child safe and supported. If you need any help or advice, please speak to a member of the team.

Mrs Mellor
DSL

Miss Luff
DDSL

Miss McDonagh
DDSL

Mrs Kenny
DDSL

OPERATION ENCOMPASS

We are an operation encompass school. Therefore school is working alongside the police to ensure support for any child who has been involved in or witness to domestic abuse. Please find more information about this on our website or contact the school office.

Pathfinder

Mrs Kenny is our Pathfinder, helping families navigate support and opportunities to ensure every child thrives. She can offer guidance on well being, attendance, and accessing resources.
If you'd like her support, please contact her by email at a.kenny@stpeterc.bham.sch.uk or 07506 954616.

Pathfinder
Birmingham

FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS

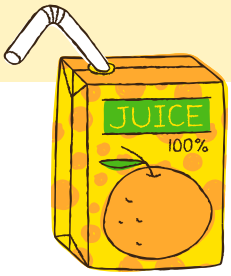
FINANCIAL SUPPORT

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT

HOUSING SUPPORT

Dinner Menus

We have a three week rolling dinner menu which you can see below.
These are the menus and dates for this half term...



This Weeks Menu

WB 01.06.26

WEEK ONE

	Comfort	Italian	Roasts	Around the World	Fish & Chips
DINE Main	BBQ Chicken	Meat Feast Pizza	Roast Chicken	Spanish Style Chicken Paella	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Vegetable Hot Pot	Mac & Cheese	Quorn Roast	Veggie Paella	Cheese and Tomato Pinwheel
Sides	Rice and Broccoli	Wedges, Sweetcorn and Peppers	Roasties and Carrots or Broccoli	Green Beans	Chips and Beans
DINE	Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta				
	Jacket Potato with choice of topping				
	Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available				
Dessert Stop	Ice Cream	Peach Upside Down and Custard	Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie	Flapjack	Rainbow Cookie

WEEK TWO

	Comfort	Italian	Roasts	Around the World	Fish & Chips
DINE Main	All Day Brunch with Sausage	Pasta Carbonara	Honey Roasted Gammon	Mild Chicken Curry	Battered Fish
Vegetarian	All Day Veg Brunch with Veggie Sausage	Cheesy Bean Wrap	Roast Veggie Sausages	Spinach and Potato Curry	Margherita Pizza
Sides	Rosti and Beans	Garlic Slice and Salad	Mash, Sweetcorn and Peas	Whole Grain Rice and Cauliflower	Chips and Peas
DINE	Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta				
	Jacket Potato with choice of topping				
	Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available				
Dessert Stop	Ice Cream	Chocolate Sponge and Custard	Carrot Cake	Summer Fruit & Yoghurt Crunch	Chocolate Crunch

WEEK THREE

	Comfort	Italian	Roasts	Around the World	Fish & Chips
DINE Main	Beef Burger	Pasta Bolognese Bake	Roast Chicken	Chicken Pitta	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Veggie Burger	Vegetable Pasta Bake	Quorn Roast	Cheese & Tomato Turnover	Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Sides	Herby Potatoes and Green Salad	Garlic Slice and Sweetcorn	Roasties, Broccoli and Gravy	Wedges and Carrots	Chips and Peas, Beans
DINE	Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta				
	Jacket Potato with choice of topping				
	Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available				
Dessert Stop	Ice Cream	Banana Sponge and Custard	Lime and Courgette Cake	Shortbread	Chocolate Chip Cookie

WEEK COMMENCING:
27/04, 18/05, 08/06, 29/06, 20/07, 31/08, 21/09, 12/10

Fresh Bread and Salad is available daily with a choice of Yoghurt, Mousse, Jelly or Fruit instead of dessert

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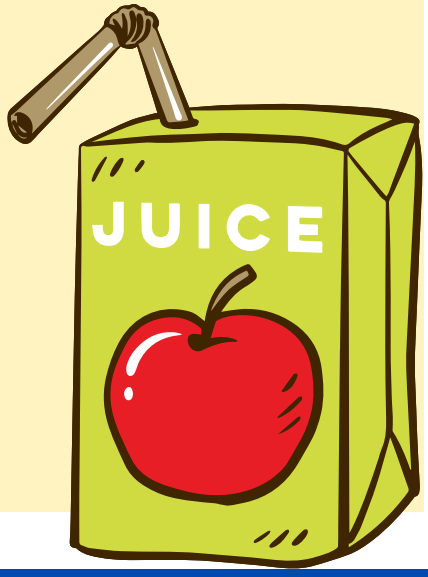
New Break Time Drinks

From Wednesday 3rd June, break time drinks will no longer be milkshake.

Instead, school will be selling orange and apple juice cartons. These will be sold for 50p.



Life at St Peter's ...

Y6 Bletchley Park Visit

Year 6 had an unforgettable trip to Bletchley Park this week as part of their history learning about World War II📜. The children enjoyed a fantastic, hands-on experience, exploring the codebreaking huts and discovering the incredible stories behind them 🔍💻.

It was an engaging and immersive visit, bringing their learning to life in a truly memorable way. A brilliant day full of curiosity, excitement and inspiration for everyone involved 😊✨!

Forest School

All classes enjoyed a fantastic Forest School afternoon 🌳🌿. Mrs Nolan planned fun, exciting activities that the children loved 🔥😊—a great mix of outdoor learning, teamwork and adventure! ✨

Y6 Family Dining

Year 6 Family Dining was a lovely success 🍽️😊. Thank you to all the parents who joined us to share a meal with their child—it was wonderful to see so many families together. A special afternoon of community, conversation and celebration! ✨

Well done to Aston Villa!

Children enjoyed wearing their Aston Villa tops on Wednesday to get ready for the big match ⚽💜. The excitement was clear across the school as everyone showed their support! It was fantastic to see so many smiling faces on Thursday morning after their brilliant win 🎉😊.

A wonderful way to bring the school together and celebrate a memorable moment for so many of our pupils!

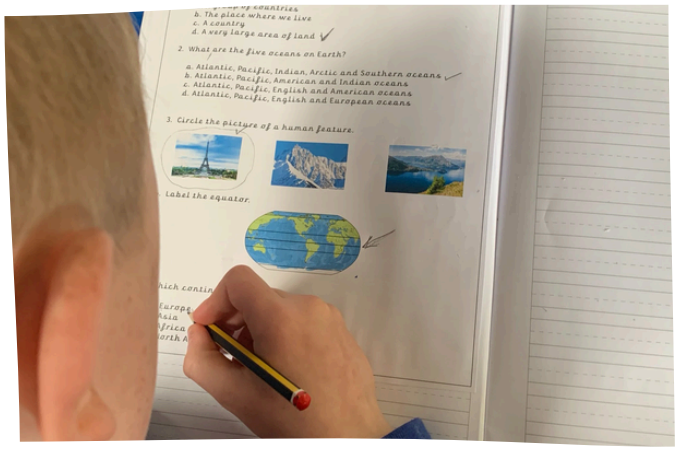
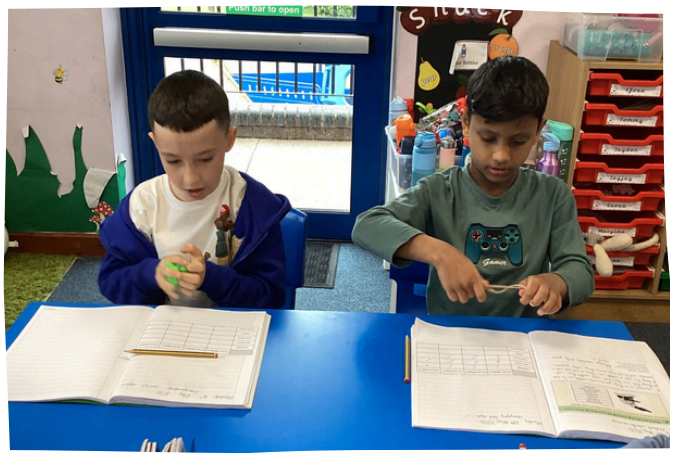
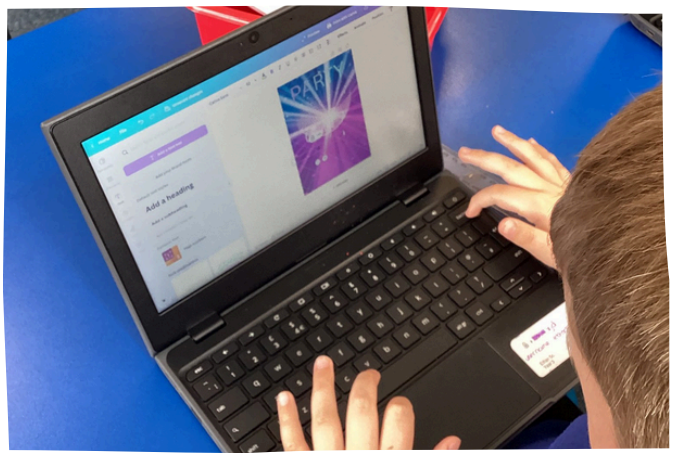
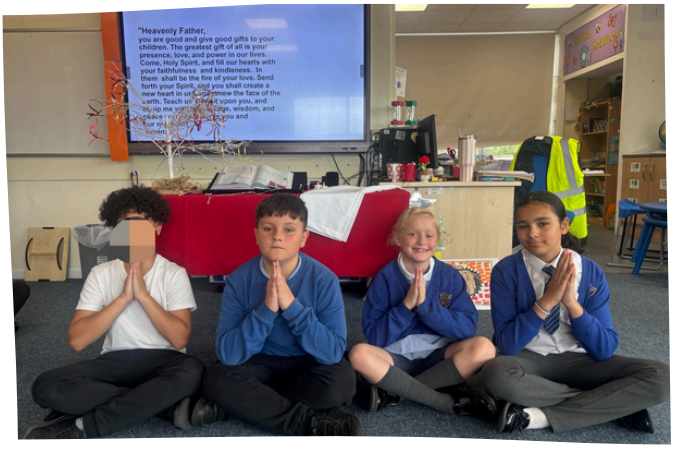
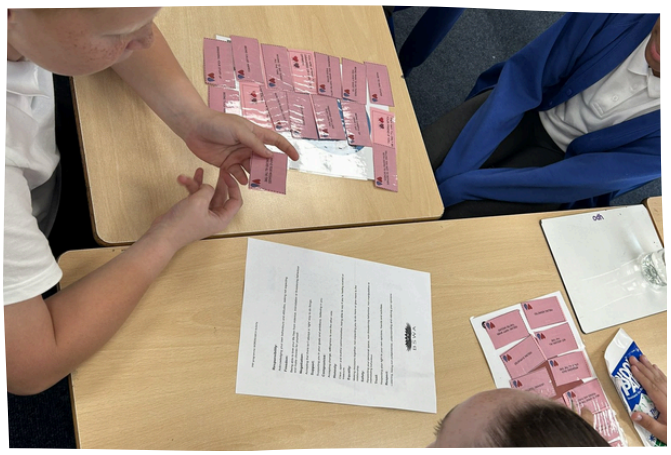
Events of the Year

Diary Dates 2025-2026

Below, is an overview of diary dates for the next academic year. All dates are **subject to change** so please be mindful of this. If there are any changes, we will give you as much notice as possible.

Our 'Gifts from God' praise assembly will be held on a **Friday morning, 9am-9.30am.**

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	ALL

	May	
05.05.26	May Procession	POSTPONED
14.05.26	Ascension Feast Day	
11.05.26–14.05.26	Year 6 SATs Week	Breakfast for Y6 only served at 8am Monday to Thursday.
19.05.26	Y6 Parent Lunch	Parents are invited to share lunch with their child at 11.45am
21.05.26	Y6 School Trip to Bletchley Park	
21.05.26	Children break up for half term	Normal 3.30pm finish
22.05.26	INSET DAY	
	June	
01.06.26	Children Return – Summer Two	
02.06.26	YR Transport Museum Visit	See Letter
01.06.26-12.06.26	Y4 Multiplication Assessments	
03.06.26	New Reception Induction Evening	
04.06.26	KS2 Sport's Day	At Tudor Grange starting at 12.30pm. Parents welcome to attend
08.06.26-12.06.26	Y1 Phonics Assessments	
09.06.26	Y1 Parent Lunch	Parents are invited to share lunch with their child at 11.45am
11.06.24	YR Class Assembly	9-9.30am – school hall
17.06.26-19.06.26	Y5 & Y6 Alton Castle Residential	
23.06.26	Y2 Harvington Hall Visit	See Letter
25.06.26	Y1 St Peter and Paul Class Assembly	9am – school hall
25.06.26	Reception Father's Day Workshop	2.15-3.15pm - playground
28.06.26	Family Mass	Please attend mass on Sunday as a whole school community
29.06.26	St Peter and Paul Feast Day	*Look out for more information!*
30.06.26	New Reception Teddy Bears Picnic	2.15-3.15pm - playground
30.06.26	Reception Parent Lunch	Parents are invited to share lunch with their child at 11.45am
	July	
01.07.26	Transition Day	Whole school to move to their new teacher for the day
03.07.26	Y1 Weston Super Mare Trip	See Letter
07.07.26	Y5 Back to Backs Trip	See Letter
09.07.26	Y6 Production	Change of date - see front page.
10.07.26	School Reports out to parents	
14.07.26	Y6 Leavers Mass	
15.07.26	School Report Drop in	3.40pm-4.40pm - classrooms
17.07.26	Y6 Leavers Assembly	9am – school hall
17.07.26	Break up for the year	2pm break up
20.07.26	INSET DAY	

This Week in Pictures...