



21st July 2022

At the end of this school year..

Dear Parents and Children,

What a way to end the school year! The children were amazing this week, managing the heat marvelously with lots of cool activities planned by our staff including a very interesting visit from Fantastic Fred and watching the wonderful Y6 Play.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you, on behalf of all my staff, for your support this year. St Peter's is a community, a family founded on trust, respect and shared values and never is this more apparent than in the positive memories and kind words that you have shared with me and the staff this week.

I would also like to say a very big well done and thank you to all our children. It has been a pleasure to walk into your classes this year and see you enjoying your learning. It has also been a pleasure to watch you grow and change, from our youngest children who came into Reception unsure and a little nervous and now leave for Year 1 full of enthusiasm, and to our Year 6 children who are ready to take their next steps in the

world as capable, confident young people.

To our Governors, thank you for your time, support and challenge this year. As a leader, I am very pleased to work with a group of people who, have the best interests of the children at heart.

Thank you also to our fantastic FOSP. The time that you give supporting school events creates a wonderful sense of community in our school. Your invaluable financial support also enriches the children's learning in many ways,

I would also like to thank all my staff, especially those who are leaving us for pastures new, for their hard work and dedication this year.

We had a very emotional assembly this morning where we said goodbye to Mrs Shabankareh, Mrs Hartfield, Miss Devlin, Mr Tredger and Miss Joslin, sending them off with our best wishes for their future adventures.

We also said congratulations to Miss Bartle, who is getting married during the summer holidays. We send her, and her

fiancé George, all our best wishes as they embark on this exciting new life together. In September, Miss Bartle will be known as Mrs McWilliams.

Tara, our school chef is also getting married this summer and we send her and her fiancé our warmest congratulations also. In September, the children can call her, Mrs Tara!

I would like to welcome Mrs Peart, who is an experienced teacher, to our teaching team. She will be sharing Rowan Class with Mrs Williams and teaching on Fridays.

I look forward to seeing everyone back at school on Monday 5th September, relaxed and refreshed after the summer holiday.

Have a wonderful summer break.
Yours sincerely,
Richard McKenzie
Headteacher

Farewell and thank you Year 6



On Wednesday evening, we welcomed our Year 6 children and their families to a special Leavers Mass to celebrate their remarkable achievements. These occasions are often sad and emotional; however, they are also a time for joy and celebration as we reflect on the journey of our pupils and look forward to the journey that they are all about to embark upon as they move into their new secondary schools.

Our Year 6 children are an amazing group; not just in their academic or sporting achievements but in the way they have demonstrated our Gospel Values of respect, resilience, tolerance, understanding and responsibility. They are a credit to themselves, their families and our school and we would like to wish each of them every success in the future.



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School Safeguarding Team

If you are worried about something that your own, or another child has told you, or you think that they may be at risk of harm, please contact our Designated Safeguarding team:

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Supporting Families

We are able to offer support to any families experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact us in confidence and we will do whatever we can to help you.

Active Summer Challenge



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Over the summer there are going to be a number of fantastic sporting events, including the UEFA's Women's EURO 2022 to the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham. To celebrate these events, all children are invited to complete the Active Summer Challenge.

The Active Summer Challenge aims for children to be active every day by setting their own pledge and taking part in the six weekly challenges. Use the pledge tracker to write down the pledge and record what activity takes place every day.

You can download the pledge tracker and activity pack for children in Year R-2 [here](#).
You can download the pledge tracker and activity pack for children in Y3-5 [here](#).

Don't worry if you miss a day, the most important thing is that your child is keeping active during the holidays. Once children have completed their pledge and the challenges, please hand the pledge tracker to your class teacher. There will be a certificate for all children who complete the challenge.

Mr Tyler—PE Lead

Fantastic Fred Workshops

FOOD

Eating the right foods

REST

Getting enough sleep

EXERCISE

Being active

DEVICES

Managing time on digital devices

Fantastic FRED and the professor will deliver a series of entertaining experiments and demonstrations in an interactive and memorable way. The performance will include facts and examples of why the human body is fantastic and practical tips on how to maintain good mental health. Adapted for both Key Stage 1 and 2 age groups, the performance is suitable for primary school children in Reception and Years 1 to 6.

F.R.E.D is an acronym for the four practical ways in which children can look after their own good mental health.

They produced a video to help children share with parents and guardians the important messages of FRED. The video is a summary of what the children have learnt and helps to communicate the messages in a fun and engaging way so that the children's learning can carry on at home too. You can watch and share the video here: www.thefantasticfredexperience.com/for-parents-guardians

Congratulations



Congratulations to **Ruben** who passed his Grade 1 piano exam with a distinction and to **Marysol** who shared her Royal Academy of Dance certificate with us today.

Apologies to **Mia K** who completed her First Aid training as part of First Aid club but was missed off the list last week.

FOSP News

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising events over the Summer. From the Colour Run, Sport days, Summer Raffle and cake sale we have raised a fantastic £3,432.52!

AGM Notice - our AGM will be held at the school on Wednesday, 7th September, time to be confirmed. The main agenda points will be a financial review and the election of new committee members to the roles of Vice-Chairperson and Co-Treasurer. We have nominees for each role, but if you would like to nominate yourself for either role, please contact us at fosp.stpeters@gmail.com

See you in September! The FOSP Team

Statutory Assessment Results

We are delighted to announce the results of the statutory assessments that are carried out at the end of each Key Stage as well as the Phonics checks in KS1. Well done to all our pupils who have worked so hard this year, and a huge thank you to all the teachers, teaching assistants, parents and carers whose support has enabled our children to achieve such brilliant results!

Early Years Foundation Stage

Teachers assess children in each of the areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage Profile. Children are deemed to have attained a 'Good Level of Development' (GLD) if they have reached at least the expected standard in all of their Prime areas of development as well as the specific areas of Literacy and Maths

Percentage of pupils attaining the 'Good Level of Development' measure: 90%

KS1 Phonics Screening Check

The check is designed to give teachers and parents information on how children are progressing in phonics, and assesses whether they have reached the required standard in phonics skills and knowledge. Children who have not yet met the standard at the end of Y1 will be screened again at the end of Y2

Children reaching the required standard in phonics: Year 1: 83%

KS1 (end of Year 2) Teacher Assessment Data

	Reading	Writing	Maths
Working towards Expected /Pre KS level (-)	15%	8.4%	20%
Working at Expected level (=)	63.3%	86.7%	66.7%
Working at Greater Depth (+)	21.7%	5%	13.3%
Total % of children working at = or +	85%	91.7%	80%

KS2 (end of Year 6) Validated Results

	Reading	Writing	GPS	Maths
Children reaching at least expected standard(=)	83%	76%	85%	83%
Achieving a high level of attainment (+)	38%	15%	42%	40%
Average test scaled score (100 expected)	106	N/A	106	107

School Games Award

We are delighted to announce that St Peter's has achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2021/22 academic year.

The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme which rewards schools for their commitment to and development of competition, school sport and physical education.

We are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of physical activity and school sport, and in particular our School Sports Crew, who helped organise event like Sports Day and the football tournament.

Congratulations also to Mr Tyler for all his hard work in submitting this assessment and as our PE Lead.



Support for Families over the Summer Holidays



KIDS

KIDS EAT FOR £1*

ALL DAY, EVERY DAY
DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

Choose from our cold pick & mix selection or hot favourites!

ASDA

Kids across England and Wales can eat for just £1 at any time of day in Asda Cafés, seven days a week, with **no minimum adult spend required**. To help tackle holiday hunger at a time when the cost-of-living is higher than ever, children aged 16 and under can access a hot or cold meal for just £1. An Asda spokesperson said:

“We know that families can find the summer holidays tough, and our customers are telling us that this year more than ever, they’re concerned about holiday hunger. With that in mind, we are so pleased to be able to offer children’s meals for just £1, with no minimum adult spend, to ensure that those who would normally rely on a school meal aren’t left without.”

The Kids Eat for £1 initiative is available all day, every day from 25th July until 4th September in England and Wales, as long as the Café is open and dependent on the store, a hot meal or cold meal, or both, will be on offer. Baby food is also available as part of the initiative, with little ones able to enjoy a free pouch of Ella’s Kitchen baby food (70g pouch) in their local Asda Café. You can find your nearest Asda café, wherever you are in the UK, [here](#).



During the summer holidays, children aged 16 and below can get one free meal with every adult meal. In addition, every day from 3pm Morrisons discounts their daily special meal to £4.99, meaning a parent and child can be fed for less than £5. You can find more about this offer and find your local Morrisons [here](#).

Other sources of support

You can find information on other places offering reduced price meals for families here: <https://www.bigissue.com/life/food/all-the-places-where-kids-eat-free-during-the-holidays/>

If you have a Safeguarding concern (the welfare or safety of a pupil at our school) or are in financial need and in need of a Food-bank referrals), please email dsl@stpeters-leatherhead.surrey.sch.uk as this inbox is monitored throughout the summer.

Dates for your diary

01.09.22	INSET Day—school closed for children
02.09.22	INSET Day—school closed for children
05.09.22	Children in Y1-6 return to school Stay and Play sessions for new YR children
06.09.22	YR Children in for morning OR afternoon session
07.09.22	YR Children in for morning OR afternoon session
08.09.22	YR Children in for morning OR afternoon session
09.09.22	ALL YR children in for morning session and lunch You can find full term dates on the school website here