



St. Peter's
Catholic Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Dear St. Peter's Families,

We have had a lovely week in the sunshine at St. Peter's. The children are already well settled in their new classes and are already learning lots of new and exciting things.



Before the Summer, I announced that we would run some after school clubs in September. Last week a letter was sent home and sadly, we have only had 14 children want to take part across the three clubs offered. If you are planning on signing up to a club, please make sure that you do so by Monday or unfortunately, we won't have enough children to run the clubs.

On Friday 30th, the PTFA are running a Macmillan Coffee Afternoon at the church hall. I would like to encourage as many of you as possible to attend to support such a worthy cause. After the coffee morning, the PTFA are holding a Magician show for all of our children immediately after school. Please bring your child along (and don't forget your earplugs!).

Have a lovely weekend,

Miss McNamara.

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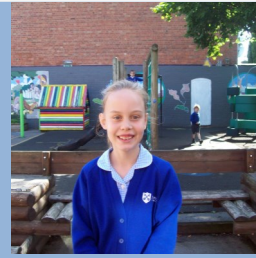
Class 1

Sophia for an amazing piece of artwork representing creation.



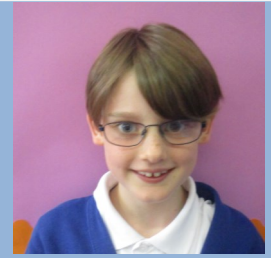
Class 2

Sophie for returning to school really ready for Year 3.



Class 3

Amelie Barker, for some beautiful writing and being and excellent role model.



Class 4

Anna, for proving how much she cares about her learning.

This week we have been learning...



Class 1 Class 1 have been learning all about creation in RE and the children have produced beautiful pictures and prayers. In English, Year 1 have been focusing on punctuation and in Maths securing number knowledge to 10 and beyond. Reception have been learning rhymes, brushing up on their Phase 1 phonic skills, writing their names with chalk, creating homes through junk modelling, modelling them selves with play dough and learning many social skills. The children continue to settle well into school life.

Class 2 Class 2 have had a brilliant week, starting of by learning lots of geography skills about different islands and oceans and countries around the World. They have also been imagining themselves marooned on a desert island and writing letters, messages in a bottle and their own inspired adventure story. Whilst Year 3 have started their Grammar lessons, the Year 2's have been busy with their phonics lessons. Every child has been exceptional this week in terms of the effort they have put into their new learning.

Class 3 Class 3 have had some interesting geography lessons this week, learning all about the layers in the rainforest. They had a lively debate about the right to strike on Monday, and learnt all about respect and care in RE. They've all completed their star reading tests, and are now enjoying reading every day - sometimes in interesting positions! It's been lovely to watch them running each morning, keeping fit despite the heat!



Class 4 This week in Class 4 we have been getting into our text 'Cosmic' and have begun our 'Number' work in maths: everyone in the class has stepped up brilliantly in terms of the independence expected and to the way challenges are focused on and set! We have been thinking about what being made in



the image of God means and have been describing our solar system!

Dates for the Diary

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| 23/09 | Class 1 service in school @9.30am |
| 27/09 | Devizes collection
PTFA Meeting @7pm (Upstairs in the Star and Garter) |
| 30/09 | Class 2 Class Mass in school @9.30am
Macmillan Coffee Afternoon in Parish Centre @12.30pm
Magician Show @3.30pm-5pm |
| 07/10 | Whole school mass in church (9.30) |
| 14/10 | Class 3 class mass in school (9.30) |

Prayer for the weekend

People are often unreasonable, irrational and self centred. Forgive them anyway. If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives. Be kind anyway. If you are successful, you will win some unfaithful friends and some genuine enemies. Succeed anyway. If you are honest and sincere, people may deceive you. Be honest and sincere anyway. What you spend years creating, others could destroy overnight. Create anyway,

If you find serenity and happiness, some may be jealous. Be happy anyway. The good you do today will often be forgotten. Do good anyway. Give the best you have, and it will never be enough. Give your best anyway. In the final analysis, it is between you and God. It was never between you and them anyway.