

★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★



Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

We live and learn in the light of Christ!

Weekly Newsletter to Parents

Autumn 2



Friday 21st November 2025

Well done to the KS2 Girls Football Team



Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

Thank you to all of you who have donated Tombola prizes today for the Christmas Fayre. All contributions are gratefully appreciated and help to make the Christmas Fayre a successful and enjoyable event. Next Friday we will be asking for children to wear non-uniform and bring in a pound.

The SPFA are looking for volunteers to help with the set up and running of the Christmas Fayre on the 12th December. If you could spare anytime at all please let the office know as without volunteers these events can not take place.

This week the Infant Climbing Frame has been installed and the Junior Climbing frame repaired. This has been funded by monies that have been raised by the SPFA. The children are very excited about using these and weather permitting should be able to use them from next week.

School photos will take place on Monday 24th November in the ICT suite in school. Can I ask that all children wear school uniform on this day regardless of whether it is PE day or not. P.E kits will not be required on Monday. Photos with siblings who do not attend SS Peter and Paul school can be taken from 8 am. Individual and school sibling photos will be taken during the school day.

The Key Stage Two Christmas production will take place at 6pm on December 16th. Can you please advise the office if your child will not be attending as during rehearsals alternative arrangements will be made for these children.

I am delighted to announce that SS Peter and Paul school were awarded their 'Birmingham SEND Co-production Award Scheme' Bronze Certificate. This is in recognition of the schools commitment to working together with children, young people, and parent carers in promoting their voice and participation in the co-design, co-delivery, and co-assessment of services.

As you are aware this Christmas we will be doing our annual Rudolph Run to raise money for Birmingham Hospices. The children should have brought home a Reindeer Run sponsor sheet. If you require another sponsorship form please contact the school office. We will be welcoming Hospice representatives into our assembly next week who will talk to the children about all of the different ways their sponsorship money will support this valuable charity and patients in the most difficult of times. The Rudolph Run will take place on Friday 12th December. Children will also be invited to wear Christmas jumpers on this day along with their antlers which will be handed out at school.



Mrs Calvert-Lyons
Head of School

Have a lovely weekend everyone.

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ACADEMY TERM DATES 2025—2026

Autumn 2

Mon. 3rd Nov - Fri. 19th Dec

Spring 1

Mon. 5th Jan - Fri. 13th Feb

Spring 2

Mon 23rd Feb - Fri. 27th March

Summer 1

Mon. 13th April - Fri. 22nd May

Summer 2

Mon. 1st June - Fri. 17th July

ACADEMY FUND DONATIONS

Academy Fund via ParentMail (School Enrichment Funding)

This is a voluntary contribution to be paid each term which goes towards buying additional equipment and resources for your children. This can be paid via My Child At School App termly...

"St. John Paul II Multi-Academy invites parents to give annually to your school fund. A donation of £10 per term is suggested but you may contribute more if you wish."

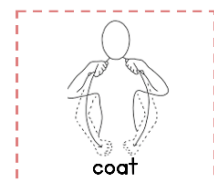
Please rest assured that any payment you make is for our school and our children only, guaranteed!
Thank you for your support.

School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours (4.30 pm - 8.00 am):
07885 235 496



Makaton Sign of the week Mime putting coat on over shoulders



NEWS

We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.

- **Start and Finish Times**—Children can be dropped off from 8.40am when the school gates open. They must be in school by 8.50am (which is when the school gates close). Any child arriving after this will be marked late and parents will need to sign them in using the monitor outside the school office. The school day finishes at 3.20pm Monday to Thursday and 2pm on a Friday. Children who are not collected on time will be sent over to Leading light club and parents will be charged.
- **Dogs**—Dogs are not to be brought onto school premises at any time.
- **Celebration Assembly**—You will be notified if your child has been awarded writer of the week and star of the week and will be invited into school to attend the assembly. Parents are not invited into school for completed reward charts or outside achievement awards due to lack of space.
- **Photographs**—A polite reminder that **no photographs** are to be taken during Celebration Assembly or anywhere on school premises. We have a strict policy to safeguard all of our children. Thank you for your co-operation with this.
- **Food Bank**—A reminder that any parent that would like to access this service or who may need some financial support can contact the school on our confidential email address: family@ssptrpl.net
- **Operation Encompass**—SS Peter & Paul is an Operation Encompass School, working closely with West Midlands Police to identify and support victims of Domestic Abuse. We remain vigilant and urge anyone suffering domestic abuse to contact the school or Police for help.
- **Birmingham Local Offer**—This link to Birmingham's Local SEN offer website provides information and support for families with children who have any special educational needs or disabilities. Take a look. www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk
- **SENCo**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding her next SENCO drop in morning on Friday 28th November at 9am. Please contact the school office if you require an appointment. If you have any SEND concerns regarding your child please contact Mrs Calvert -Lyons on the SENCo email which is senco@ssptrpl.net
- **Children's Liturgy**—This takes place every Sunday at 9.30am Mass and is available to all primary aged children. This group is run by volunteer parishioners who are all DBS checked. All children are welcome.

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

Non—Uniform Dates for Christmas Fayre Donations

Fri. 28th Nov— £1 donation
Friday 5th December—Bottles

Mass Dates

Thur. 4th Dec.— Y6 Mass
Thur. 4th Dec.—Y3 Reconciliation
Thur. 22nd Jan—Y6 Confirmation 7pm
Sat. 20th June 9.30am— Y3
Holy Communion

Other Events

Mon. 1st Dec. —Fri. 5th Dec —Bikeability
Y5 and Y6
Mon 8th Dec.—KS1 Movie Night
Tue. 9th Dec.—KS2 Movie Night
Fri. Dec. 12th—Christmas Fayre
Fri. 12th—Christmas Jumper Day and
Rudolph Run
Tue. 16th Dec.—Elfridges
Wed. 17th Dec. — School Christmas
Dinner
Thur. 18th Dec.— KS1 and KS2
Christmas parties
Fri. 19th Dec—Break Up

Assemblies

Wed 10th Dec. 1.30pm —KS1 Nativity
Thur. 11th Dec. 9.15am—KS1 Nativity
Tue. 16th Dec. 6pm—KS2 Christmas
Concert
Fri. Jan 16th 9.10am—Y4
Fri. Feb 13th 9.10am—Y3
Fri. Mar. 27th 9.10am - Y5
Fri. Apr 24th 9.10am—Y2
Fri. May 22nd 9.10am —Y1
Fri. June 19th 9.10am—Reception
Tue. July 14th 1.30pm—Y6

TRAINING DAYS

Monday 5th January
Monday 13th April
Monday 1st June
One date TBC
Friday 3rd July—MAC Training Day

AFTER SCHOOL

Tuesday - Football Yr 5 & Yr 6 3:20pm-
4:20pm
Thursday—Girls Football 3.20– 4.20pm
Friday— Football Yr 3 & Yr 4 2pm-3pm

- **P.E. Kits**—Children should only wear plain **black** tracksuit bottoms and tops, with a pair of black shorts and the t-shirt colour of their house team.
- **Water Bottles**—Please ensure that all children have a labelled water bottle in school every day. These are to be filled with water only. Squash is not permitted in school.
- **Earrings**—a reminder that earrings are **not allowed** to be worn in school and children will be asked to remove them if they are wearing them. Children are permitted to wear plastic retainers in their ears.
- **Uniform**— Please ensure that children are wearing sensible shoes. These shoes must be black. **Children are not permitted to wear trainers**, unless it is their PE day. Please ensure all uniform is labelled.
- **Hair**—A reminder that **all long hair should be tied back**. Large hair bows and head bands are not permitted, hair bands and ties should be kept simple. Fashion hair cuts and lines shaved into hair are also not allowed. Please refer to the schools uniform policy or ask at the school office if you are unsure.

Bookworm

Zion Robinson, Skylar Barrett,
Laura Kimble, Borbala Borsos

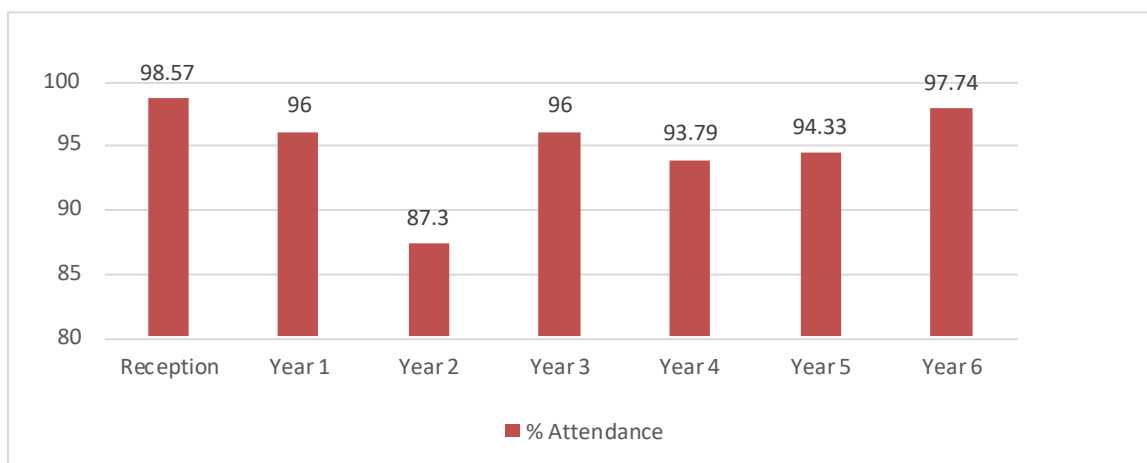


Writers of the Week

Reception - Frankie Wilson
 Year 1 - Mateo Meneses-Stone
 Year 2 - Bethany McMahon
 Year 3 - Orlah James
 Year 4 - Matthew Rodrigo
 Year 5 - Mikhail Bookal
 Year 6 - Nicola Mozes



Attendance this Week 94.67%



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Olivia Okoye, Nathan Skoczen, Arlo Moran.



'STARS OF THE WEEK'

Congratulations to these children for being awarded Star of the Week:

Reception - Michalina Skorska
Year 1 — Roma Brannon
Year 2 — Aine Musoke
Year 3 — Charlie Stinton
Year 4 — Emaleeya Savva-Stanley
Year 5 — Ezekiel Smith
Year 6 — Borbala Borsos



House Points

St. Peter - 154
St. Paul - 122
Our Lady - 168
St. Joseph - 139

**Congratulations !!!
Our Lady Weekly Winners**

The SEND Local Offer website - support, information & advice for SEND, all in one place



www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk



BIRMINGHAM
CHILDREN'S TRUST



Dinner Rota

Monday	3	4	5	6
Tuesday	4	5	6	3
Wednesday	5	6	3	4
Thursday	6	3	4	5
Friday	Alternate order in each week			

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CAN HELP



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