

## St Peter's Catholic Primary School School Newsletter 19

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019

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Local Parish Mass Times	St Peter's	English Martyrs	St Augustine's
Saturday	6pm		6.30pm
Sunday	9am 10.30am 5.30pm	9am	11am

#### **CURRICULUM INFORMATION**

The table below details what your child will be learning from Monday

Year Group	Maths	English	Science
Reception	Make, solve & record number calculations	Assessment Writing	
Y1	Part, part whole to + and -	Trip re-count	Classifying animals
Y2	Division	Dragon non-chronological reports	Animals including humans
Y3	Money	Persuasion	Animals including humans
Y4	2 and 3 digit Division	Story writing	Electricity
Y5	Fractions	Newspaper Reports	Stargazers
Y6	Place Value	Letters and arguments	Evolution Inheritance



### A BIG THANK YOU!

Thank you to all parents who got their children into school today - they all had a wonderful time in the snow!



## PFA FAMILY QUIZ NIGHT Free Entry - FRIDAY 8<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY - 7.00pm - 9.00pm

The PFA are holding their family quiz night on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February at 7.00pm. The quiz will include child friendly rounds/questions – so there will be family fun for everyone! **Free entry.** 



# Y1 BRISTOL ZOO TRIP – TUESDAY 5<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY

Y1 are going on their trip on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February – the classroom doors will open at 8.10am and the register will be taken at 8.20am. We are expecting to leave school at 8.30am prompt. Please make sure your alarms are set early!



#### **WANTED - MILK BOTTLES**

The OPAL team are looking for used 4pt and 6pt milk bottles to make the children an igloo in the school grounds. From Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February there will be a large box outside the school reception area where you can drop them off. Please can we ask that you wash them out before donating them to us. Many thanks.



## **Y4 TRIP TO THE LIVING RAINFOREST**

On Wednesday 30th January, Year 4 went on a trip to The Living Rainforest. In class we have been learning about deforestation and the damage that is being done to the rainforests, so we went on a tour called 'Sustainable Future'. We learnt about the threats to different species but also heard about lots of good things that are being done to help preserve them for the future. It was wonderful to see rainforest animals first hand, such as a toucan, monkeys, turtles, a sloth and many more, along with cocoa and coffee beans and flowers used for medicine. It brought our learning to life and we look forward to continuing with our 'Remarkable Rainforests' topic this term!

'We loved it because we got to see lots of animals and learnt about the Blue Poison Dart Frog.' - Bernie and Jessica 4EI 'I enjoyed exploring the rainforest and seeing the Toucan.' - Chris 4SD.





### **FACEBOOK AND TWITTER**

Don't forget to follow and like us on Facebook and twitter to ensure that you keep up to date with what exciting learning we get up to at school. These platforms will also be used to remind you of events coming up in the future! Please invite others to like our page and share our page! Click on the following links below:

https://www.facebook.com/St-Peters-Catholic-Primary-School-Gloucester-1931009036995896/https://twitter.com/StPetersPri

#### ST PETER'S UNDER 5s FAMILY NIGHT

St Peter's Under 5s are holding another Family Night on Friday 15th February from 6.30pm - 9pm at St Peter's Social Club. Tickets are on sale at playgroup. £5 for a family ticket up to 5 people. Additional tickets £1.50 each.

## **DIOCESAN FINANCE VACANCY**

An exciting opportunity has arisen in the Curial Finance Team! The Diocese is currently rolling out a new online accounting system (OPAS) for all of its 107 parishes. Additional support is needed in the Finance team over the next twelve months to help train and support parishes with the new system, as well as general administrative support within the Finance team to allow other members of the team to work on this project. Full training on OPAS will be provided. The role is a full-time, fixed term contract for twelve months, salary up to £22,000 depending on experience. Interviews will take place in late February. Ideally the successful applicant will be in post by mid-March. Please visit cliftondiocese.com/diocese/working-for-us for a full job description and application form. The role is based at Alexander House, Bristol but there may occasionally be a need to travel to parishes throughout the Diocese. The deadline for applications is Wednesday 13th February.



#### ATTENDANCE FIGURES FOR THIS WEEK

Please find below the attendance figures for your child's class – how did they do this week?

RJB	77.2%
RAE	87.3%
1LD	90.7%
1AH	65.2%
2SP	81.3%
2VM	87.3%
3KM	90.3%
3RM	90.3%
4SD	92.8%
4EI	79.0%
5HC	89.7%
5MD	94.2%
6CJ	95.2%
6YW	90.7%



**HOUSE POINTS** (to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019)

Weekly Totals		<b>Cumulative Totals</b>	
Fire	170	Fire	744
Wind	167	Wind	704
Earth	122	Earth	535
Water	90	Water	526



DINNER MENU – w/c 4<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY

Monday	Cheese Pizza	Vegetable Fajita	Jacket Potato with Beans
Tuesday	Spaghetti Beef Bolognaise	Lentil & Sweet Potato Curry	Jacket Potato with Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Turkey	Vegetable Wellington	Jacket Potato with Tuna
Thursday	Sausage & Mash	Cheese & Pepper Pinwheel	Jacket Potato with Beans
Friday	Breaded Fish	Quorn Burger	Jacket Potato with Cheese



# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 5" February	Y1	Bristol Zoo Trip	8.30am returning by 3.10pm
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Y5	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Weds 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Y5	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> February	Whole School	PFA Quiz Night	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> February	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Weds 13 <sup>™</sup> February	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Weds 13 <sup>th</sup> February	KS2	Spanish Celebration Day	During the school day
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> February	INSET Day		
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Half Term Break		
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> February	Whole School	Start of the new term	8.40am for 8.55am
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Whole School	St David's Day	Wear yellow accessory
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> March	EYFS/KS1	School Disco	5.30pm – 6.30pm
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> March	KS2	School Disco	6.45pm – 8.00pm
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole School	World Book Day	Dress as a book character
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole School	Life Education Bus	During the school day
Weds 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4	Clarinet Concert	2.00pm
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Y1	Class Assembly	9.15am and 2.30pm
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole School	St Patrick's Day	Wear a Green accessory
Weds 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole School	Learning Experience for Parents	6.30pm to 8.30pm
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Y3	Cadbury World Trip	9.00am
Weds 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2	Goodrich Castle	9.00am
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Whole School	Palm Sunday Service	9.05am All welcome
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Whole School	Maundy Thursday Service	
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Whole School	Good Friday Stations	9.15am
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Finish at 1.00pm		

Carol Baron Headteacher











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