



St Peter's Eaton Square C of E

Friday 27th February

Service... Love... Hope... Forgiveness... Faith... Wisdom

Weekly News

Headteacher's note

Faith

Dear St Peter's Families,

We have enjoyed a very positive first week back at St Peter's.

Our Year 5 and 6 pupils represented the school at the Westminster Swimming Tournament and returned with some very well-earned medals. We are extremely proud of their determination and team spirit - well done to all involved.

Next week we look forward to celebrating World Book Day. I am very much looking forward to seeing the wonderful costumes and to hearing the children talk about their favourite books and stories.

Our Christian value is Faith: "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see." - Hebrews 11:1

Wishing you all a restful weekend.

A reminder that our monthly Book Look will take place on Monday from 8:40-8:55am. We look forward to welcoming you into school.

Mrs Carrington

Attendance and **punctuality** are crucial for the children's progress and wellbeing at school. Many thanks for all your support and efforts. Please ensure that your children are arriving to school on time. **Remember our gates close at 8:55am**

This week's winner is: 1 Ebury with 98.5%

The class with the lowest attendance is: 2 Eccleston with 91%

This week's overall attendance is: 94.45% which is below our school target of 96%

Celebration Awards

Awards this week go to...

EYFS SUPERSTARS Blaise & Diora

Keen Learners

Y1	Aren
Y2	Azaliah
Y3	Annabelle
Y4	Nyah
Y5	Ali
Y6	Elizabeth

Wonderful Writers

Y1	Beth
Y2	Charlie
Y3	Amara
Y4	Davie
Y5	Vincent
Y6	Levi

HOUSE POINTS

Matthew 228	Mark 268
Luke 243	John 213

Most points in KS1	Most Points in KS2
Rielle Sasha Theo	Ela

UPCOMING DATES & EVENTS

Monday 2nd March Parent's/Carers Book Look - 8:40 am-8:55am

Thursday 5th March: World Book Day- Children can dress up as their favourite book character

Monday 9th March: Science Week Dress Up Day

Important dates are all available to check on our [School Calendar](#)

*Key dates document is subject to change



RIGHTS
RESPECTING
SCHOOLS

Article 24

Every child has the right to the best possible health. Governments must provide good quality health care, clean water, nutritious food, and a clean environment and education on health and well-being so that children can stay healthy. Richer countries must help poorer countries achieve this.

Q. Why is it important to eat well, drink water and get enough sleep?

Greetings from St Peter's Church

From Fr Jonathan

Vicar of St Peter's Church and Chair of Governors

Dear parents and carers,

At the School Mass this week we explored the Christian Season of Lent which began this year during half term on Ash Wednesday. We saw how Jesus going into the desert for forty days and forty nights is determinative of the length of the Season, not including Sundays (which are always a celebration of the Resurrection) and Festival Days.

A letter and email have gone out to parents and carers of children in Year 5 about this year's Confirmation Service by Bishop Anderson Jeremiah on Sunday 26 April at 10.30 am in St Peter's Church. We would love for your child in Year 5 to be confirmed this year and, if they haven't already been baptised, the Bishop can administer this in the same service. Please do let me know as soon as possible on frjonathan@stpetereatonsquare.co.uk. If your child is in Year 6 and hasn't already been confirmed we can also organise for that too.

You are always warmly welcome at everything we do at St Peter's and especially our 9.30 am Family Eucharist each week. Other Sunday services include a quiet, meditative celebration of the Eucharist from the 1662 Book of Common Prayer at 8 am and also our beautiful Choral Eucharist with our professional choir at 11 am.

EYFS RE Learning this week

This week in R.E, Reception have begun exploring their big question: *“Why is Easter so special to Christians?”*

We have started learning about the story of Palm Sunday and thinking carefully about the different people involved and the roles they played. The children have explored why Jesus entered Jerusalem in the way that he did and what this might have meant to the people who were there.

This week, we have looked more closely at the special role of the donkey in the story. The children have shared thoughtful ideas about how the donkey might have felt carrying such a special king on his back.

We have also used role play and discussion to imagine the scene in Jerusalem, thinking about how the crowds welcomed Jesus and what the children themselves might have said if they had been there.

Yr 5 Prayer

Heavenly father,

We thank you for our school community that has helped guide us to our best learning ability.

We also thank you for our hard working teachers, that help us to learn and thrive every day.

We pray that every child has the right and opportunity to go to school and learn.

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Swimming gala

Well done to all the children who competed at the local swimming gala at Queen mothers leisure centre. Pupils in year 5 and 6 competed against other schools in a variety of races showcasing their incredible swimming talent. We had a wonderful medal haul! 🏊‍♂️