St Peter's Eaton Square C of E Weekly News

Friday 2nd October

Service. Love. Hope. Forgiveness. Faith. Wisdom

Headteacher's note



Dear Parents and carers,

It has been a great week at St Peter's, with lots of learning and plenty to celebrate. It is lovely to see the children growing in confidence, sharing their ideas and taking pride in their work.

A big thank you to the parents who organised and ran our pre-loved uniform stall this week. What a great way to promote sustainability, give uniform a second life and help families keep costs down. Thank you, too, to everyone who donated or picked up items.

Monday is our monthly Book Look morning, when you are welcome to come in during soft start to look at your children's books. It is a lovely opportunity for them to share their learning with you and show you the work they are proud of.

Thank you for your continued support. Do ask your children what they have enjoyed this week and what they are proud of—it is always lovely to hear their reflections.
Have a lovely weekend.

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 winners are EYFS Belgrave and Year 3 Victoria with 100%!

The class with the lowest attendance is: 5 Westminster with 95.95%

This week's overall attendance is above our target of 96% with 97.7%

Celebration Awards

Awards this week go to...

EYFS SUPERSTARS: Edgar & Arielle

Keen Learners

Y1	Isla
Y2	Theo
Y3	Aaden
Y4	George
Y5	Lea
Y6	Sumaya

Star Reader

Y1	Tilly
Y2	Beth
Y3	Alice
Y4	Linda
Y5	Tidus
Y6	Ahmad

HOUSE POINTS

MATTHEW 656	MARK 640
LUKE 664	JOHN 684

Upcoming Dates & Events

Monday 5th October- 8:40am: 8:55am Parent book look

Tuesday 6th October- 9am Parent workshop- Mental health workshop

Friday 9th October- Wear Yellow for world mental health day
Donate to Young Minds: HERE

*Key dates document is subject to change

Article 39

Children who have experienced neglect, abuse, exploitation, torture or who are victims of war must receive special support to help them recover their health, dignity, self-respect and social life.

Q. What does peace mean to you?

Prayer of the week

Dear God,

Lord we thank you for all the special events like the Harvest Festival where we can come together share and have a memorable time. We are thankful you are there to help us through tough times.

Please help those who are homeless to find shelter and food this harvest season. Please help them find food, water and somewhere safe. Please help the animals at risk become less at risk, like tigers, lions and even cats and dogs who need homes. Please help all kinds of animals.

Please give us your guidance to help us continue to follow the St Peter's way and to treat each other like 'thy neighbour'.

Lord in your mercy,

Greetings from St Peter's Church

From Fr Jonathan - Vicar of St Peter's Church and Chair of Governors

Dear parents and carers,
It has been very good to have Harvest as our theme at School Mass this week and thank you so much for the gifts the children have brought in.

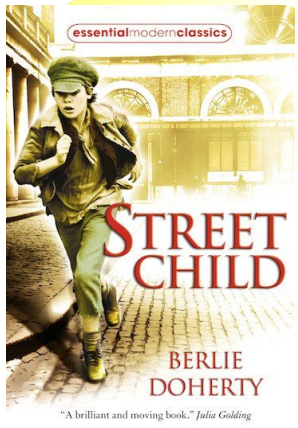
Over at the church it is our big Harvest Festival Service on this coming Sunday morning (February 4th) at 10.30 am (please note the time). You are all very warmly invited to this special annual service, which will be followed by a bring and share lunch, hot dog BBQ and there will be activities and games for children. We shall also be serenaded by the wonderful saxophone group who played for the May Fair.

It would be absolutely wonderful to see as many of you as possible. Here at St Peter's Church we are always here for you and you are always welcome at everything we do.

Reading Spotlight

YEAR 6

In Year Six we have been thoroughly enjoying our class novel 'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty. The story follows Jim Jarvis as he faces the harsh realities of life as a poor child in Victorian London. Alongside our novel, we have been reading extracts from Charles Dickens, including 'Oliver Twist', to deepen our understanding of what life was like for the poor during this period. We have been exploring how brilliant writers use carefully chosen vocabulary, sentence structure and imagery to create atmospheric settings and influence the reader's emotions. The children have particularly enjoyed investigating how writers manipulate language to bring characters and settings vividly to life, and have begun thinking about how they can put these techniques into practice in their own writing!









Trip to Westminster Cathedral



Year 5 visited Westminster Cathedral as part of their Humanities curriculum, to find out more about where their class name comes from.

Year 5 learned that the Cathedral is a Catholic place of worship that is visited by Catholics from all over the world. Parts of the Cathedral are dedicated to St. Peter and they visited the crypt chapel that depicts his life in mosaic.

It was really lovely to visit a special place of worship for Christians and they found out what it is like to worship there as a Christian. At 12:00pm we listened along to the daily Angelus which is a traditional Christian prayer to commemorate the Incarnation of Jesus.







YOUNGMINDS

Hello Yellow
FRIDAY 9 OCT

Wear yellow, say hello.

Join us for our 10th Hello Yellow! Wear yellow, start a conversation about mental health and raise money in your school – so we can be there when you need us most.

#HelloYellow

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YoungMinds, registered Charity in England (1016968) and Scotland (SC039700)

We want to share the resources which YoungMinds offer to support if you ever need help and advice.

This includes:

• Online resources
www.youngminds.org.uk/parent

• A phone line service for parents and carers to speak to trained professionals if you're concerned about your children's mental health:
0808 802 5544
(Open 9.30am-4pm)

• As well as an online chat and email service
www.youngminds.org.uk/parentshelpline