7th November 2023 Newsletter



St Peter's Catholic Primary School Hinckley

Autumn Term Diary Dates

(all dates are subject to change)



- 8.11.23 Y4 Cineworld 10-11.45am
- 9.11.23 Y5 Space Centre trip
- 9.11.23 Y4 Mass
- 9.11.23 KS1 Cineworld 10-11am
- 10.11.23 Y6 Cineworld 10-11.45am
- 14.11.23 Whole School Skipping Event
- 16.11.23 Y5 Mass
- 17.11.23 School Closed for Trust Training Day
- 20.11.23 Y2 Fireman visit
- 21.12.23 Y3 Cineworld 10-11.45am
- 22.11.23 Y5 Cineworld 10-11.45am
- 24.11.23 Y1 Act of Worship
- 24.11.23 PTFA School Christmas Fair 5-7pm
- 1.12.23 Menphys Carol Concert (School Choir)
- 9.12.23 Parish Christmas Fair
- 14.12.23 KS1 Nativity Performance 2pm, Church
- 14.12.23 PTFA Christmas Disco at School
- 15.12.23 Christingle Day
- 20.12.23 Panto Day FS/Y1 am, Y2-Y6 p.m.
- 21.12.23 Advent Liturgy 9.45am
- 22.12.23 School closes for Christmas & re-opens

8th January 2024



Friday 17th November school is closed on this day for a Trust Training Day.



All classes will be visiting the cinema in Hinckley in the next coming weeks, this is free and in school time.

Please remember that school starts at 8.50am. Registers will close at 9.00am, arrivals after this time will be marked as 'late'.

School Fleeces are being phased out. Swifts will eventually stop selling them when all the stock is sold.

Monday is 'Odd Socks Day' for Anti-bullying Week, pupils will be learning with various activities all week.



Thank you to everyone who supported our Chocolate Bingo event, we raised £350!

Look out for details of our Christmas Fair on 24th November. We are accepting donations of uniform to sell at the Fair (pre-loved).

Please note, our Christmas Disco will now be on 14th December (infants 5-5.45 & juniors 5.55 – 6.40pm) timings subject to change.







 $\mathbf{Y6}$ – William for showing enthusiasm for our new class book.

 $\mathbf{Y5}$ – Sofia for listening and showing respect to all adults.

Y4 – Vito for good humour, making everyone laugh and smile.

Y3 – Alexia for always trying her hardest and being a pleasure to teach.

Y2 – Edward for creativity and imagination in writing a newspaper report.

Y1 Hattie for great ideas for her Autumn senses poem.

FS – Tracey for respect in Church & creativity in Baptism role-play.

School Attendance

St Peter's School and its Governing Body is committed to improving achievement through attendance and monitors the attendance of all its pupils.

Children must attend school regularly to ensure that the maximum benefit is obtained from the education provided.

Our Whole School Attendance is currently

95.6%

Unsure whether to send your child into school or not? With winter fast approaching, it can be hard to know whether to send your child into school or not.

It is usually appropriate to send children to school with mild respiratory illnesses. This would include general cold symptoms: a minor cough, runny nose, or sore throat. However, children should not be sent to school if they have a temperature of 38°C or above. Follow the link for further information on when it is appropriate to send your child to school. <u>NHS 'Is my child too ill for school?' guidance</u>



Cost of Living Support

Please find the link to the Hinckley and Bosworth council cost of living support page:

https://www.hinckley-

bosworth.gov.uk/info/200411/cost_of_living_ support

Also, the Leicestershire County Council equivalent: <u>https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/leisure-</u> and-community/find-help-with-cost-of-living

Free School Meals/Pupil Premium

The school receives funding to help pay for staff to support children's learning as well as resources for pupils who receive free school meals and or pupil premium. Pupils who are eligible receive a free hot meal, access to free school uniform, free school trips and discounted residential trips as well as an allowance to spend on after school clubs etc. During this cost-of-living crisis we are all experiencing, it is important to get access to any extra funding you may be entitled to.

If you think you may be entitled to support, please call 0116 305 5417 or email

<u>FreeSchoolmeals@leics.gov.uk</u>. They will be able to tell you over the phone if you are eligible.



This week's 'Statement To Live By'

"I try to be just and fair".

