



# St Peter's Catholic Primary School Hinckley



## Spring Term Diary Dates

(all dates are subject to change)

25.01.24 – Beaumanor Hall Parent info evening  
3.30pm  
26.01.24 – EYFS Act of Worship  
26.01.24 – Year 6 Young Voices Concert  
30.01.24 – St Thomas Aquinas Feast Day  
31.01.24 – Yrs 5 & 6 Science/Space Day  
01.02.24 – Year 5 Mass  
02.02.24 – Year 6 Act of Worship  
05.02.24 – Internet Safety Week  
06.02.24 – Maths Sessions for Parents  
07.02.24 – Internet Safety Presentation to parents  
08.02.24 – Maths Sessions for Parents  
09.02.24 – Father Frank Act of Worship  
14.02.24 – Ash Wednesday Service  
15.02.24 – Year 4 Residential trip to Beaumanor  
15.02.24 – Year 6 Mass  
16.02.24 – Year 5 Act of Worship

**School Closes for half-term and re-opens  
Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024.**



Year 4 Parents are invited for a meeting on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January at 3.30pm (Year 4 classroom) to discuss the upcoming residential trip to Beaumanor. We hope to see you there.

Good luck to our Year 6 pupils who will be singing in the Young Voices concert this Friday... we hope you all have a fantastic day/evening.

EYFS Act of Worship this Friday – parents welcome to come and watch (2 visitors per child please, due to space).

A reminder to only send your child in with fruit for their breaktime snack, thank you.



## PTFA News

We are meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm here in school. Everyone welcome.

Watch this space for more details of our next event – Chocolate Bingo! – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March.



## House Cup Winners

**Last week's House Cup Winner**

**St Teresa**



## Stars of the Week!



**Y6** – Florence for concentration & perseverance with algebra questions.  
**Y5** – Francesca for confidence in Maths.  
**Y4** – Liam for perseverance in everything he does and great confidence in Maths.  
**Y3** – Charlie for writing a great imaginative letter in English.  
**Y2** – Teo for enthusiasm and great knowledge shown in all his lessons.  
**Y1** – Max for talking about his RE work and remembering his learning.  
**FS** – Olivia for outstanding writing about Penguins.



## 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 .....

**96.6%**



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. [NHS 'Is my child too ill for school?' guidance](#)



A reminder to return your reply slips for our Maths Sessions for Parents to attend. These will be Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February. Please return the reply slip if you would like to join us.

## 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 [FreeSchoolmeals@leics.gov.uk](mailto:FreeSchoolmeals@leics.gov.uk). They will be able to tell you over the phone if you are eligible.

## 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](https://www.hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk/info/200411/cost_of_living_support)

Also, the Leicestershire County Council equivalent:

<https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/leisure-and-community/find-help-with-cost-of-living>

Please do not leave your child unattended in the playground in the morning before they line up to come into class. Once your child is handed over to you at the end of the school day, it is your responsibility to ensure their safety, especially near the school gates and on the playground equipment.



This week's 'Statement To Live By' ....  
**"I know we are happiest when we are united".**

