25th February 2025 Newsletter



St Peter's Catholic Primary School Hinckley

Spring Term Diary Dates

(all dates are subject to change)



28.02.25 – Year 4 Celebration of the Word

28.02.25 - Dance Festival at Green Towers

28.02.25 – Young Voices Concert, Birmingham (Y6)

1.03.25 – Swimming Gala at Leisure Centre 5.30-⁸pm

5.03.25 – Ash Wednesday Mass at Church 9.30am (tbc)

6.03.25 - World Book Day Act of Worship

14.03.25 - Year 5 Celebration of the Word

20.03.25 - Year 4 Mass

25.03.25 – Parents' Evening (all year groups)

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31.03.25 - Stations of the Cross

03.04.25 - Year 2 Mass

04.04.25 – Liturgy Group Celebration of the Word

04.04.25 – PTFA Quiz & Chips Night at Mary Forryan Centre

11.04.25 – Easter Liturgy in Church (time tbc)

School closes Friday 11th April and re-opens Monday28th April.



There is no Mass this Thursday. Friday's Celebration of the Word will be led by Y4.

Good luck to Year 6 pupils in the Young Voices Concert on Friday!

CGP Books should be available by the end of this week (they will be in the Arbor Shop).

A reminder to please contact the school office via telephone or email with queries for the Headteacher and not Class Dojo. Thank you.

We will be celebrating World Book Day on **Friday 8th March.**

More information to follow.



PTFA

Our popular Quiz and Chips night will be on Friday 4th April at the Mary Forryan Centre. Tickets are now available to purchase via the Arbor shop, priced at £12 each (includes supper) – maximum of 6 per team (Adults). Please let the office know of any dietary requirements.



House Cup Winners

St Francis



Stars of the Week!



Year 6 – Charlize for an enthusiastic approach to her learning.

Year 5 – Stanley for showing enthusiasm in History.

Year 4 – (away at Beaumanor).

Year 3 – Charlotte for her hard work in art.

Year 2 – Hattie for imagination, concentration & presentation.

Year 1 – Billy for always having a positive attitude.

FS – Wojciech for his positive attitude and hard work in phonics.

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

95.9%

Punctuality is also very important. Please remember that Years 1-6 should be lined up in the playground ready to come into school at **<u>8.50am</u>**. Foundation Stage pupils should be lined up ready to come in at **<u>8.45am</u>**. **Pupils should be collected promptly at the end of the school day**.

CALLING CATHOLIC TEACHERS

Do you know somebody who is a practising Catholic and who is a teacher or senior leader working in a school outside of the Catholic sector?

The Diocese of Nottingham along with the Catholic Multi-Academy Trusts is leading a virtual information session about working in a Catholic school on Wednesday 26 March from 7.00pm – 8.00pm. For further information, please contact: Gill Burns at the Diocesan Education Service (gill.burns@nottingham-des.org.uk).





Our hardworking PTFA need volunteers to continue to function as quite a few members are coming up to their final years here. At the next AGM, we will be looking for people to take on the following roles:

Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasure & 100 Club Administrator.

If you are interested, please contact the school office in the first instance.

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'

ry to keep going when things get difficult and not give up hop