

Welcome to Year 1!



Meet the team



Miss Stamford
Class teacher



Mrs Tina
Class TA

Mrs Okello
Class TA

Miss Natasha
Class TA

Miss Silvia
Class TA

Specialist teachers for: Music, Spanish, Computing, PE, Art and RE

Weekly time table

Arrival: 8:35 - 8:45am
Register: 8:50am

Pick up: 3:20 - 3:30pm
Club pick up: 4:30pm

	-8:35	8:50-9:40	9:40-9:50	9:50-10:40	-11	11-12	-1	1:00-3:30	1:10-1:55	1:55-2:40	-3	-3:25
Monday		Phonics Spelling quiz		English		Maths Handwriting			RE	Art		
Tuesday		Phonics Shared reading		English		Maths Handwriting			Spanish	Computing		Assembly
Wednesday	Morning task	Phonics Shared reading	Active 10	English	Break	Maths Handwriting	Lunch	Storytime	Music	PE	Break	
Thursday		Phonics Shared reading		English		Maths Handwriting			Science			PSHE
Friday		Phonics 1:1 reading		English		Maths Handwriting			History/ Geography	PE		Assembly

Please let the office know if a child is being picked up by someone else.

Attendance and punctuality



Whole school 2024/2025: 93.4%

Whole school 2025/2026: 94.7%

Target for 2025/2026: 96%

We notice and miss your child when they're not here!

If your child is feeling a bit under the weather, please bring them in, let one of us know on the gate and we will monitor them carefully and always call you if we think they need to go home.

Is my child too ill for school?

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

CONJUNCTIVITIS	You don't need to keep your child away from school if they have conjunctivitis. Do get advice from your pharmacist. Encourage your child not to rub their eyes and to wash their hands regularly.
COUGHS & COLDS	It's fine to send your child to school with a minor cough or common cold.
HAND, FOOT & MOUTH	If they seem well enough to go to school, there's no need to keep them off. Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues straight away and to wash their hands regularly.
HEAD LICE	There's no need to keep your child off school. You can treat head lice and nits without seeing your GP.
THREADWORMS	Speak to your pharmacist, who can recommend treatment.
SORE THROAT TONSILLITIS	You can still send your child to school if they have a sore throat. But if they also have a high temperature, they should stay at home until it goes away.
SLAPPED CHEEK	You don't need to keep your child off school if they have slapped cheek syndrome because, once the rash appears, they're no longer infectious.

Attendance and punctuality



If your child is unable to attend school due to an unexpected reason, you must notify the school office by 9:30am.

New National Government guidelines from September 2024.

If any child is absent from school due to a term time holiday, or any other unauthorised reason, we will be required to refer the case to the Local Authority.

The LA will then assess the situation and may choose to issue a fine. In the first instance, payment of a penalty notice within 21 days is £80 and payment after this time but within 28 days is £160.

Attendance and punctuality



Circumstances where a Penalty Notice may be issued:

- cases of overt truancy
- cases of parentally condoned absence, where this can be demonstrated.
- instances where parents take children out of school for holidays/leave in term time.[ag](#)
- instances of excessive delayed return from holidays/leave in term-time.
- persistent lateness (unauthorised)

We will not authorise any holidays in term time.

We will report your child's attendance to you half termly.
We will contact you if we notice attendance is dropping.

Attendance and punctuality



Please check the website for term dates.

Please come and talk to us if there is anything we can help with. We are here to try and help if you are having any challenges with attendance.

We will be required to make a referral when:

- a pupil has failed to attend school regularly over a 10-week period (when their attendance has fallen below 85%)
- and/or holiday/leave amounting to 10 or more sessions (5 days) is deliberately taken in term time

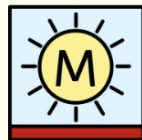
Homework



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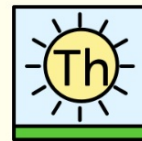
Your child will have the following homework in Year 1 each week:

- Phonics: spelling words and sounds
- Daily reading
- Numbots



Monday

Reading diaries in and checked
Books brought in
Spelling books in
Numbots checked

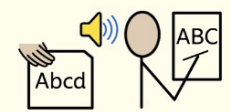


Thursday

Little Wandle reading book
goes home

Everything goes back home
Colour banded reading book goes
home

Homework



Phonics/Spellings

Year 1 Autumn 1 week 1

Graphemes

ee	oo	or	ow
igh	ar	oo	ear

Spellings

feel	food	sort	down
right	hard	took	hear

Tricky words

go	my	into	out

Autumn 1 week 1

The toads feel so cool.
The boot on my right foot is too hard.
I can see foxes in the car lights.
We can go down to the town on the bus.

1. **Read** - Read each word aloud, using phonics to sound out and blend.

2. **Sound buttons** - Add dots and dashes to show the sounds in each word (you can find the different sounds on the grapheme sheet in your child's homework book).

3. **Tricky words** - Do not add sound buttons. Instead, circle the tricky part of each word.

4. **Write from memory** - Turn the page and write each word from memory on the next lined page.

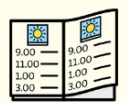
Use the **Additional Dictation Sentences** to challenge your child to write short sentences from memory. These are sentences they have already read and practised in class from the previous week. Remember to encourage **capital letters, finger spaces and full stops**.

Homework

Strong literacy benefits learning across all subjects.



Reading



diaries

Why read for 20 minutes a day?

CHILD A

reads 20 minutes
per day

hears 1,800,000
words per year

CHILD B

reads 5 minutes
per day

hears 282,000
words per year

CHILD C

reads 1 minute
per day

hears 8,000
words per year

Subject & Year group	Homework set
English All years Daily reading	Reception and KS1 children: 10 minutes 5 x a week. Parents need to write a short comment in the diary for each day and sign it at the end of the week. Books and diaries need to be in school every day. To begin with, if your child is in Reception, they will receive wordless picture books. Please share this book with your child and talk about the story and characters as well as practising the sounds. More information about Reception reading will follow at the Reception Phonics Workshop on 11 th September at 9am.

Homework



Maths Online Years 1-6	Timetables Rockstars/ NumBots at least 3 x a week for 10 minutes Logins will be stuck into your child's diary next week.
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Just 3 × 10 minutes a week can make a difference!

NumBots is a fun and engaging way for your child to practise their early maths skills at home. Regular short sessions can help your child:

- Build number confidence and become more comfortable working with numbers.
- Develop quick recall of addition and subtraction facts.
- Strengthen number bonds, including bonds to 10 and 20.
- Improve mental maths fluency, helping key facts become easier to recall.
- Build confidence and independence through enjoyable, game-based practice.

Our recommendation

Little and often is the key! Please encourage your child, celebrate their progress and keep the sessions fun.

Certificates will be awarded to the top 3 pupils with the most minutes played each week.

Uniform

PE kits on a Wednesday and Friday.

Winter

- Navy blue St Peter's wool V neck or V neck St Peter's sweatshirt or St Peter's cardigan
- White St Peter's polo shirt or white shirt or plain white polo shirt for under sweatshirt or jumper
- Navy blue skirt or pinafore or trousers
- Black/Navy school shoes (No logos)
- Navy tights or white/ black or navy socks

Summer

- Light blue & white checked summer dress (which includes a skirt option)
- Navy blue shorts
- Black or navy sandals
- A cap in summer months. St Peter's school cap optional

All children

- A St Peter's school bag
- Navy blue headbands / headscarves
- No jewellery except studs or small sleepers. A religious necklace may be worn for religious purposes under the polo shirt
- Navy blue school blazer is optional
- Long hair should be tied back

Please ensure all
uniform is clearly
named.

<https://www.stpeterscm.co.uk/uniform-information>
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Urban Apparel- 373, Harrow Road London W9 3QA or the uniform website

www.your-school-uniform.com

Behaviour

We teach behaviour, not tell.

We have a behaviour curriculum which is covered in depth in Autumn Term 1 and revisited throughout the year.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
All Year Groups From Reception to Y6	Explicit teaching of the full behavior curriculum content	Ongoing revision of content	Longer recap of the behavior curriculum	Ongoing revision of content	Longer recap of the behavior curriculum	Ongoing revision of content

Why? So children feel safe, secure and confident. When children know what is expected of them, they are more likely to behave appropriately and can focus on learning. We provide children with a predictable structure that supports both their well-being and learning.

St Peter's School Rules	
Be Respectful	
Be Responsible	
Be Safe	

Safeguarding

Safeguarding is at the forefront of everything we do. We are committed to providing an environment which is safe and where the welfare of each child is of paramount importance. This includes a commitment to ensuring that all pupils feel confident that any concerns they may have will be listened to and acted upon.

If a child makes a disclosure of any kind of harm we have a legal duty to report it to the Designated Safeguarding Lead and they have a legal duty to report to Children's Services. It is Children's Services who will assess the information and decide what action, if any, is required. Our role is not to determine whether harm or the risk of harm has occurred; our responsibility is to listen, take the child seriously, record concerns accurately and report them through the appropriate safeguarding procedures. Passing on a concern is never personal. It is about ensuring that children are safe and that the right professionals have the opportunity to assess the situation.

Our Designated Safeguarding lead (DSL) is Alice Ducros (Headteacher)

Deputy DSL's are Hattie Friedman (Deputy Headteacher) and Micaela Wright (SLT)

Our DSL link Governor is Louise Macho

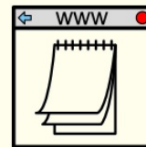
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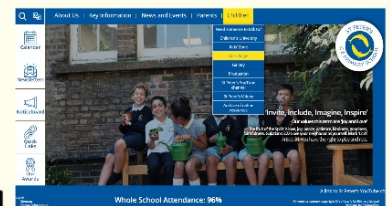
Emails



WhatsApp



Website



If you'd like to talk to me I:), please feel free to catch me at the end of the day or email the office to arrange a formal time.

- Webpage
- Instagram
- Tuesdays



Parent rep for whatsapp?

Trips

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	 Maida Vale Library	 Nativity	 Maida Vale Library	 Talent Show	 Maida Vale Library	 Maida Vale Library
	 London Woodland	 Maida Vale Library	 London Woodland	 Maida Vale Library	 London woodland	 London Woodland
	 Farm trip	 Science Museum	 Museum of London- Great Fire	 London woodland	 London Wetland Centre	 Kew Gardens
		 London Woodland	Synagogue- RE Trip	 Perform Drama workshop	London Zoo Trip	
		Floating Classroom		 London Transport Museum	Social Action Project	
		Story Telling workshop		Story Telling workshop		
		Poetry Competition				

Year 1 (30ch.)	12.10.26	7.12.26	1.02.27	15.03.27	10.05.27	28.06.27
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Any questions?



Thank you for listening

It's going to be a fantastic year!