

Peace Post

School Motto:
In God we love, laugh and learn



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Our Mission Statement:

"I have come so that they may have life and have it to the full" John 10:10.

At St. Mary's and St. Peter's Catholic Primary School God is at the heart of our faith and learning family. We nurture everyone and celebrate their uniqueness. Together we inspire children to build on their hopes and dreams. Our school is a diverse community which lives justly, loves tenderly and walks humbly with God.

Meet the Family Event

Come and meet your local organisations and see what they offer. Better Start and Women Zone are running two sessions for parents of children under 5 years old. Let your younger children have fun with all the activities whilst you learn about all the FREE things that are happening in the area. The sessions are on Wednesday 7th February:

10.45 – 11.45 (AM nursery parents)

12.15 – 11.15 (PM nursery parents)

Refreshments will be provided.

Questionnaires

On the school website, there are two important questionnaires about internet safety - one for Key Stage 1 and another for Key Stage 2. We would appreciate it if you could sit down with your child and complete these. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the school.

Website App

We now have an App for your phone. Just go to the App store and search St. Mary's and St. Peter's School Bradford and install it as normal. Through this App you will receive the Peace Post, have access to the school calendar and also receive notifications/messages. We are encouraging all parents to install this App as we will be using it a lot more regularly.

Reading

Parents often ask for advice on how best to support their child and we continue to say that the best way for a parent to help their child is to encourage them to read. This can mean reading to them, listening to them read, reading together or asking them to tell you about the book that they are reading. In school, our highest achievers are almost always enthusiastic readers.

After School Clubs

If your child attends any of the 'PE' after school clubs and they require a separate PE kit make sure your child brings it into school in the morning. Please do not bring it in during the day or at the end of the school day.

Warm Clothing

Please ensure that you send your child/children to school with coats, hats, scarves, gloves etc. If your child comes to school in boots please ensure they bring a change of shoes to wear in school. Please make sure all items are correctly named.

Nursery Library Sessions

Reminder: Every Monday parents are invited to attend a library session with their child. The morning session finishes at 9.30 a.m. And the session for the afternoon children starts at 2.45 p.m.

Uniform

There are still a considerable number of children who are wearing incorrect uniform. Make sure your child has the correct uniform, especially black footwear.

The Stars of the Week

Monika Kirvejova; Enoch Ajiboye; Jaanvi Palagiri; Samee-Ul-Haq Shazad;
Peter Vales; Rafika Begum and Giovani Huczko.

The Attendee Bear Winner is Year 2 with 100%

Attendance in school this week is 93.1%
and this year it is 95%

Singapore Maths

- Reception:** More/less
- Year 1:** Subtract by counting back
Subtract by subtracting ones
- Year 2:** Mass and temperature
Word problems
- Year 3:** Length — solving word problems
- Year 4:** Drawing and reading line graphs
- Year 5:** Line graphs
Fractions
- Year 6:** Find percentage of and percentage off amounts

Dates for the Diary

- 5th February: Year 2 trip to Thackray Museum
- 9th February: School closes for Spring half term
- 19th February: School opens
- 23rd February: School closed for teacher training
- 9th March: School closed for teacher training
- 29th March: School closes for Easter
- 9th April: School re-opens
- 7th May: School closed
- 25th May: School closes for Summer half term

Parents & Toddlers Group

Don't forget the Parents & Toddlers group in the Bottom Hall every Wednesday 9.00 - 11.00 a.m. Tell all of your family and friends.