

PETERS HILL POST

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PRE-LOVED UNIFORM

We have a stock of pre-loved uniform in all age ranges that is washed and free of charge.

If you need anything for your child, please ask at the School Office or send an email to:

enquiries@petershillprimary.org

Please tell us what items/age you require.



COMMUNICATION

As you are aware, we communicate with parents via email whenever possible and would be grateful therefore if you could check your emails on a regular basis.

Letters with reply slips are sent home in paper form. When returning the reply slip to school, please could we ask that you retain the letter for future reference.

Thank you for your support.



Click [here](#) to view our lunchtime information and menus

INSTAGRAM

Follow Peters Hill on Instagram. Most days we post updates and celebrations, don't miss out!



Attendance

We have had some great attendance scores over the past two weeks.

22J & 5HT - 98.46%

Well done to everyone!

Please ensure that children are arriving punctually each day. School doors open at 8.35am and close at 8.45am.

Highest attendance:

WELL DONE!

Ambition

Belief

Compassion

Pride

Respect

GOVERNOR NEWS

Last Thursday 6 Governors had the opportunity to spend an afternoon in school, in classes, to share your children's daily experiences. We were in a variety of classes and year groups. Our experience was 'mind blowing'. We all wished we were back at school experiencing the education that your children receive.

Here are a few comments from Governors:

'I thoroughly enjoyed it'

'Pupils were on task and engaged in their learning'

'Classes were well resourced and inclusive'

'It was good to see the school living its core values'

'Respect shone through'

'What a privilege it was to spend time with the children. Every classroom I visited I was welcomed by enthusiastic, impeccably behaved children who were so happy to share their learning with me'

Our thanks go to the Leadership Team for their organisation but especially to staff who welcomed us openly into classes.

Mrs I Gilhooley

Chair of Governors

KS2 Accelerated Reader Leader Board

CLASS	WORDS READ
6KW	4,189,542
5AC	4,402,938
6AM	4, 843, 667

NURTURE ROOM CRAFTS

Our Nurture Room uses lots of art and craft supplies for the benefit of children across the whole of the school.



If you have any art and craft supplies or small solid cardboard boxes that you would be willing to donate, these can be brought to the main school Reception.

Thank you for your support.



ONLINE SAFETY

Staying safe online is extremely important for children. There is lots of information available for parents on our website which will be continually updated.

The following link will take you to our e-safety page:

<http://petershillprimary.org/Community/E-Safety>

TERM DATES

Please click [here](#) to view the term dates for this academic year. These can also be found on our website under the 'Useful Info' Tab.

CAN YOU HELP PLEASE?

We are currently looking for the following types of toys that your children no longer play with. We would really appreciate any of the following donations. These can be taken to the School Office. Thank you.



Wooden Jigsaws



Feely Books



Pop Up Toys



Spinning Tops

WE CAN SUPPORT

JUST REACH OUT TO US

There are a number of charities and organisations school can make referrals to on your behalf and sometimes we also have occasional extra funding.

If you need some help, please contact the school office who can put you in touch with Karen Bridgwater, our safeguarding officer. All referrals are treated with sensitivity and are confidential.

Sometimes we recognise that you may not wish to contact school. We are very fortunate to be able to work with some fantastic small charities where you can self-refer in times of need. Please see below and contact directly if needed.

heartsofgold19@outlook.com

YOUNG VOICES

Peters Hill Choir were lucky enough to attend Young Voices on Wednesday 29 January. This is the largest children's choir in the world, with well over 1000 children from numerous school choirs across the country. Choir have spent the last few months rehearsing and learning all the songs for this extraordinary concert. We took a total of 48 children and 7 staff and both children and adults thoroughly enjoyed themselves! We sang songs performed by artists such as Bob Marley and Emile Sande, so lots of variety. There was lots of fun, laughter, dancing and of course, SINGING!



NO LOLLIPOPS PLEASE

Due to health and safety concerns, could we please ask you not to send your child to school with lollipops.

Thank you for your support.



HEALTHY DUDLEY

Healthy Dudley is a one stop shop for health and all sorts of information for parents/carers.

To access the website, please click [here](#)

Phonics

Thank you to all the parents that came to watch our phonics sessions in Nursery during the last 2 weeks.

The children have been so excited to show you how good they are at listening, pronouncing the phonemes and blending them together to make words.

Support from home makes a huge difference, thank you.

COOKING IN YEAR 3

Year 3 had a great time making bread rolls in class. They learnt how to knead the dough so that the rolls were able to rise. Later in the day they made their rolls into sandwiches adding the fillings they planned a couple of weeks ago. Later in the day, grown ups came in to taste and evaluate their rolls. Everybody seemed to enjoy them!



Dates for
the Diary:

SPRING TERM 2025

Tuesday 4 February
Tuesday 4 February
Wednesday 5 February
Wednesday 5 February
Thursday 6 February
Tuesday 11 February
Wednesday 12 February
Thursday 13 February
Friday 14 February
17- 21 February
Monday 24 February

5JM & 5MM Come Dine with Me
RVW Phonics Workshop
5AC & 5HT Come Dine with Me
RBW Phonics Workshop
RBF Phonics Workshop
Safer Internet Day
4DE & 4LD Multiplication Workshop
4CS & 4SF Multiplication Workshop
Nursery Charity Day
Half-term
Inset Day