



# St. Peter's C.E. School

## "Learn, sparkle & shine..."

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Week ending Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January; Number 14

Congratulations to the children in the smile file this week and last week!

Dear parents.

Happy New Year.

Welcome to our first newsletter of 2019; a belated Happy New Year to you all.



### Update on Mr Lane

Mr Lane was admitted to hospital over the holidays for an expected, routine operation. Whilst in many regards the operation went well, there have been some complications which mean he will be absent from school a little while longer than anticipated. During this time myself, Mrs Williams deputy and Mrs Scott will be increasing our class based teaching responsibilities, in order to ensure that the learning of the Year 6 children is of the highest quality and is not interrupted. This may mean we are not as readily available as usual, however, we shall endeavor, as always, to get back to you as soon as possible should you wish to talk with any one of us.

Your understanding is appreciated.

### Applying for Free School Meals

Please see the information at the end of this newsletter if you are not yet in receipt of Free school meals, but feel you ought to be entitled. Clicking on the link at the bottom of the page will take you to the online application form.

Thank you for all your support  
L.M. Williams

Name	Name	Name	Name
April W	Elsie B	Lucas J	George H
Maisie B	Isla G	Leia E	Karim O
Holly S	Mia J	Gracie S	Edith R
Alexis A	Summer H	Kenyon B	Thomas J
Lyla G	Alicia W	Cameron M	Ethan D
Seth R	Lily R	Macie J	Callum L
Lexi M	Daniel B	Lee R	Dani-Lee H
Morgan B	Evie M	Ellie H	

### Attendance this week!

Well done to **Y5G** - this week's top attenders!

Green = 98% +

Orange = 95-97.9%

Red = below 95%

YRB	91.7%
YRG	96.3%
Year 1B	98.7%
Year 1G	98.7%
Year 2B	95.0%
Year 2G	98.7%
Year 3B	97.0%
Year 3G	97.2%
Year 4B	98.3%
Year 4G	98.0%
Year 5B	95.9%
Year 5G	100%
Year 6B	94.0%
Year 6G	98.3%
Whole school	97.0%
All year so far	96.9%

Free to all registered pupils;  
outstanding education!

All you have to do to take advantage of this amazing offer is turn up every day!

Lessons lost = learning lost.

Miss it - miss out!



## TT Rock stars

Please remind your child to log on and play regularly. Practice of the multiplication facts will help those facts to stick and ensure working memory space is freed up to concentrate on other mathematical concepts when problem solving. Times table facts need to be automated, so that recall is instant! This really helps in all areas of mathematics.

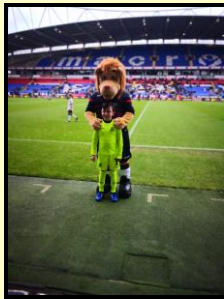
## Next Week's Highlights

### Amazing pupils!

Congratulations to all these pupils who are 'sparkling' in the community!

If your child has achieved something special outside school, please let us know by emailing school on [office@st-peters-farnworth.bolton.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-peters-farnworth.bolton.sch.uk) and we will mention the achievement here.

Jack K – mascot at the BWFC match



Lucas W – red belt karate  
Milo YN – man of the match

Lexi W – winner of the £5 attendance prize for 100% attendance in December

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> December** - 3pm Vicar Carol's final service at St. John's. All welcome.

After school clubs start next week. See letter sent home to individual classes.

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January;** Y1 to Manchester museum of Science and industry.

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January;** Family service in the studio 2pm All welcome.

### Menu week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> January

**Monday;** Cheese whirl or pasta bolognaise, garlic and herb potatoes, mixed vegetables. Shortbread

**Tuesday;** Meatballs or vegiballs in gravy, Savoury rice and carrots  
Marble sponge and custard.

**Wednesday;** Roast chicken or quorn slice in gravy or filled jacket potatoes, mashed potatoes, Yorkshire pudding and broccoli.  
Chocolate Fudge Cake.

**Thursday;** Chicken Balti or vegetarian sausage roll, wholegrain rice, jacket potato, sweetcorn,  
Orange Crunch muffin.

**Friday;** Breaded fish or cheese & onion panini, Potato waffles and baked beans.  
Fruity Friday

A selection of potatoes, vegetables, fresh salad and fresh fruit are always available.

**We are on the web!!**

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We now have **1,962** followers – thank you!  
Follow us on twitter @stpetersfarn

Please take a moment to visit our class blogs. Every week we post pictures of the children at work, showing the amazing learning opportunities that are provided.

**✂ Please cut off the slip below and return it to school – we welcome your feedback!**

If you wish to make a comment about anything about our school, please do so by returning this slip to your child's teacher with your thoughts. We appreciate your feedback and will always seek to take your comments on board.

Thank you. L.M. Williams (headteacher)

I wish to make the following comment - my child is in Year \_\_\_\_\_.



## Holiday List - 2018/19

### Spring Term 2019

Term Begins	Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> January
Half Term (one week)	Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> to Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> February
Term Ends	Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> April

### Summer Term 2019

Term Begins	Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> April
Local Election Day	Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> May
Bank Holiday	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Half Term (one week)	Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May
Term Ends	Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> July

## Holiday List - 2019/20

### Autumn Term 2019

School re-opens after Summer break	Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup> September
Half Term (one week and one day)	Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> October
Term Ends	Thur 19 <sup>th</sup> December

### Spring Term 2020

Term Begins	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> January
Half Term (one week)	Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> to Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> February
Term Ends	Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> March

### Summer Term 2020

Term Begins	Tues 14 <sup>th</sup> April
Bank Holiday	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Local Election Day	Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup> May
Half Term (one week)	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May
Term Ends	Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> July



# Free school meals

There are two free school meal schemes:

- income related free school meals
- universal free school meals

## Income related free school meals

Income related free school meals can be given to your child in any year at school.

This includes nursery children if they attend before and after lunch at a local authority nursery school or nursery class.

If you get any of the benefits below, you can claim free school meals.

- Income Support
- Jobseeker's Allowance Income based
- Employment Support Allowance Income related
- Support under the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Guaranteed Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit - as long as your letter shows you have an income of less than £16,190 and do not get Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit - your earned income must be less than £7,400 a year

## Applying for free school meals

- if you already receive housing benefit or council tax support, your income related free school meals will be given automatically and you don't need to apply
- if you have already applied for help with school uniforms, we will look at the free school meals at the same time and you don't need to apply separately
- if you don't receive housing benefit or council tax support, you need to apply for free school meals

When your child gets free school meals, your school will also benefit with additional funding to use in the school.

[Apply for free school meals](#)

