



Academy Newsletter

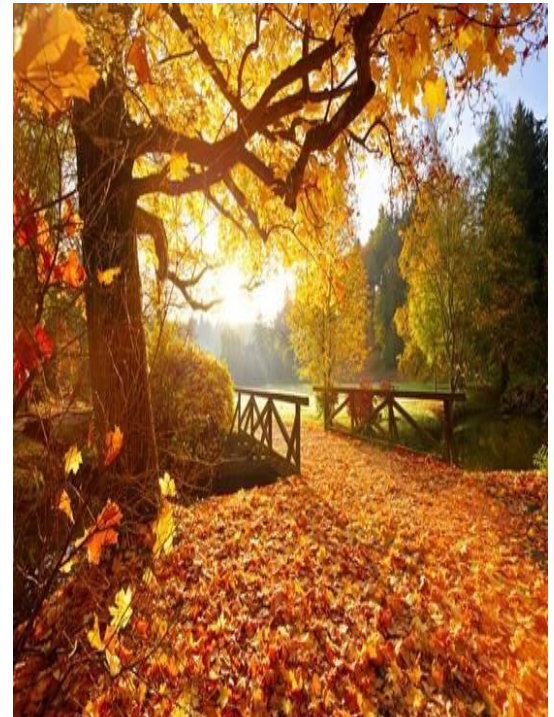
Friday 17th September 2021
Autumn Term
Issue: 2

This week, we were very excited to welcome our EYFS children into the Academy following their onsite visits last week. The EYFS team has done a great job of welcoming the new children and their parents, along with our older pupils. We look forward to having them in full time next week.

We are very happy to announce that our swimming lessons have restarted after the enforced COVID break. Classes will be attending the Walnuts Swimming Pool during the year as part of their statutory PE lessons. Year 6 had their first session on Wednesday to allow us to start our assessment.

Other Key Stage 2 classes will be informed closer to their time.

Thank you again for adjusting to the new routines at the gate. We are continuing to monitor this and welcome your feedback. A reminder please, that in order to avoid congestion around the Academy gate all parents are expected to leave the vicinity as soon as they have dropped their child in the mornings and also when having collected their child from the class teacher at the end of the day, keeping to the path. Thank you for your support and in helping keep everyone safe at these busy times of the school day.



Covid-19 Update

What happens if my child has been in contact with someone with COVID-19 symptoms?

If your child has been identified as a close contact, you will be advised that your child takes a PCR test. They will not have to self-isolate, unless they have a positive PCR test result.

What should I do if my child has COVID-19 symptoms?

If your child has any of the main COVID-19 symptoms (a high temperature, a new continuous cough, or a loss or change to sense of smell or taste), they should not attend school and should stay at home. You should arrange for them to get a PCR test and tell your child's school the test results. Your child should not attend school while you are waiting for test results, even if they are feeling better. If the test is negative, they should go to school as normal. If they test positive, they should continue to isolate and follow public health advice.





Star of the Week

Year 1	Matthew
Year 2	Florence-Anne
Year 3	Cody
Year 4	Annabel
Year 5	Michael
Year 6	Whole Class



Jane EYFS

Zach Year 2

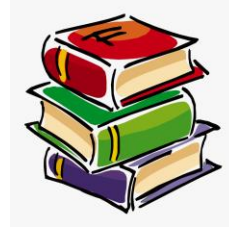
Florence-Anne Year 2

Harley Year 3

Joshua Year 6

Reading

We will be continuing with the Collins e-books for the time being, so please make sure that your child is logging on and reading at home. We are currently auditing our 'real' reading books and will inform you if there will be a change. Thank you for your continued support.



Illness



When reporting your child's illness please could you state the symptoms, rather than just saying they are unwell as this will help Mrs Baines when looking at attendance.

Pupils will be expected to wear their Academy PE kit on their PE days. Please see below:

EYFS: Tuesday and Wednesday

YEAR 1: Monday and Wednesday

YEAR 2: Thursday and Friday

YEAR 3: Tuesday and Wednesday

YEAR 4: Thursday and Friday

YEAR 5: Tuesday and Wednesday

YEAR 6: Monday and Friday **(Please note that Year 6 will be swimming for 4 weeks from Wednesday 15th September. This swimming lesson will replace the Friday PE lesson and the Year 6 pupils will be expected to wear their PE for these four Wednesdays).**



Chromebooks

Chromebooks will be available to purchase throughout the autumn term. All orders take around 4 working days to process.

All purchases can be made through School Gateway.

If you have any further questions regarding the purchasing of Chromebooks, please email admin@stpstp.co.uk



Medication

Please return your child's medication as soon as possible and ensure you enclose the medication forms that were sent home at the end of last term.

All medication must come to the school office. Please note children must not have it in their possession.



Outstanding Balances



Please ensure all your invoices/debts are paid from your account at the beginning of term.

Many Thanks.

Individual Photographs

On Tuesday 28th September individual photographs will be taken. The Academy will organise sibling photographs for those attending the Academy. Please ensure the pupils are in full Academy uniform on this day – even if it is your PE day. Year 1 will do an alternative PE lesson.

Academy Uniform

Academy Uniform will no longer be sold in the Academy, please see below a list of all remaining uniform we have left in stock, if you require anything please order via the Gateway. Once stock has been sold uniform will only be available to order online using this link

<https://www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/stpeterandpaulcatholic>

Please note we will always hold Academy Ties in stock

<p>V-neck Jumper £13</p> <p>24" x 8 26" x 6 28" x 2</p> <p>Cardigan £13</p> <p>22" x 1 24" x 6 26" x 5</p> <p>Polar Fleece Jacket £13</p> <p>7-8yrs x 1</p> <p>Right Hand Buttoned Blazer £22</p> <p>32" x 1</p>	<p>Summer Dress £9</p> <p>9-10yrs x 1 11-12yrs x 1 12-13yrs x 1</p> <p>Polo Shirt £8.50</p> <p>22" x 7 26" x 4</p> <p>Left Hand Buttoned Blazer £22</p> <p>30" x 4</p>	<p>PE Green Shorts £5.50</p> <p>18-20" x 10</p> <p>Tracksuit Top £9</p> <p>22" x 6 24" x 19</p> <p>Tracksuit Bottoms £11</p> <p>3-4yrs x 10 13yrs x 3</p> <p>Gold PE T-Shirt £4.50</p> <p>3-4yrs x 8</p>	<p>Shower Proof Coat £16</p> <p>3-4yrs x 7 5-6yrs x 11 7-8yrs x 11 9-10yrs x 2 11-12yrs x 2 13yrs x 3</p> <p>Baseball Caps £4.50</p> <p>3</p> <p>Fleece Hat £4.50</p> <p>Small size only x 4</p> <p>PE Bags £4</p> <p>23</p>
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Diary Dates

Please note the lists of dates below are subject to change and we encourage you to look each week for any changes. Amendments are in **Green** and Cancellations are in **Red**.

Autumn Term 2021

Monday 20 th September 2021	EYFS start full time
Tuesday 28 th September 2021	Individual photographs – full winter uniform
Monday 4 th October 2021	The Big Anti-Bullying Assembly (more information to follow)
Thursday 7 th October 2021	Hello Yellow Day – Wear Yellow for World Mental Health Day (more information to follow) *moved from Friday 8 th October 2021
Friday 8 th October 2021	PTA AGM meeting
Monday 11 th October 2021	Mental Health and Wellbeing Week
Friday 22 nd October 2021	Last Day of Half Term – Stars close at 4:30pm
Monday 1 st November 2021	Pupils return to Academy
Monday 1 st November 2021	Inter-Faith Week (more information to follow)
Thursday 4 th November 2021	Whole Academy Diwali assembly and Year 5 Workshop
Monday 15 th November 2021	Anti-Bullying Week (more information to follow)
Friday 19 th November	Children in Need (more information to follow)
Monday 6 th December 2021	Enterprise Week (more information to follow) TBC
Friday 10 th December 2021	Christmas Jumper Day and PTA Christmas Fayre TBC
Friday 17 th December 2021	Last Day of term – Stars close at 4:30pm