



# St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary Academy

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Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2017



Waste time with your children so they realise that love is always free.  
Pope Francis

## Weekly Events

### No Clubs this week

#### Monday 27/03/17

#### Tuesday 28/03/17

NO Extra Tuition

10:00am Easter Bunny Run

#### Wednesday 29/03/17

9:30am Easter Passion – all parents welcome

NO Extra Tuition

Year 3 swimming

#### Thursday 30/03/17

9:05am Assembly Year 3 – all parents welcome

Year 2 London Zoo Trip

#### Friday 31/03/17

11:00am Mass, all parents welcome

2:45pm Eggshibition Assembly – all parents welcome

3:15pm PTA Easter Theme Tuckshop



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## Attendance

At St Peter and St Paul we aim to get 97% or over each week. The whole Academy attendance this week was 96.5%. – we were nearly there. Year One has the best attendance at 98.9% gaining 2 stars on the space race. The other classes were as follows:-

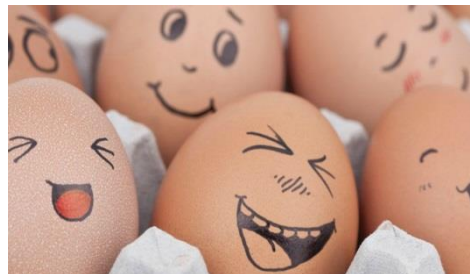
Year 1 98.9% = two stars on the space race  
Year 5 97.9% = one star on the space race  
EY 97.7% = one star on the space race  
Year 2 97.1%  
Year 3 96.1%  
Year 6 95.5%  
Year 4 92.8%

Don't forget the class with the best attendance for the whole year gets a surprise.

STOP PRESS KEY STAGE 1 have 100% attendance for Thursday and Friday, amazing.

## Eggshibition

Only one more week of hatching until the eggshibition for “Eggs Factors Got Talent”. We can't wait to see the children showcase their models on 31<sup>st</sup> March at 2:45pm where we will hold our celebration assembly. All parents are welcome to attend.



## Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

Sainsbury's have kicked off this year's Active Kids programme to encourage children to eat well and exercise more. If you are shopping at Sainsbury's, please collect the vouchers and pop them in our collection box situated outside our office window.





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## Young Voices

For those children who attended the concert in January, a DVD is available from the Young Voices website [www.youngvoices.co.uk](http://www.youngvoices.co.uk)



## Drop Box Reminder

When using the drop box for reply slips, payments and general letters please remember to write clearly on the outside of the envelopes who your child is and what the money is for.

## Mothering Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March

Children, don't forget this special day to celebrate Mothers/Grandmothers and carers. It's a brilliant way to show them your appreciation and love for all they do for you.



## Clocks Spring Forward this Weekend

**Did you know?** William Willett was the man who introduced the idea of British Summer Time, also known as Daylight Saving Time, in 1907. He was keen to prevent people wasting vital hours of light during summer mornings. He published a pamphlet called 'The Waste of Daylight' in a bid to get people out of bed earlier by changing the nation's clocks. Mr Willett's home was in Petts Wood and he is commemorated for his efforts by a memorial sundial in woods behind the Academy, set permanently to Daylight Saving Time. The Daylight Inn in Petts Wood is named in his honour and there is a road there called Willett Way. So don't forget to spring our clocks forward by an hour this weekend.

## Clothes labelling

Please label all clothes and shoes to be out in a carrier bag.



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## Dates and Events 2017

The following dates can be subject to alteration due to unforeseen circumstances.

Green items are new and red items are alterations.

### Mass

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 11:00am – all parents/carers welcome

### Church Visits

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Year 1

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June – Early Years

### Other Important Dates

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March – KS2 Easter Passion 9.30am - All parents welcome

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March – Year 2 Trip to London Zoo

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Eggshibition “Eggs Factor Got Talent” 2:45pm – parents welcome

### Assembly – All parents welcome

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Year 3

### First Holy Communion Dates

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June – Our Lady of the Crays

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June – Our Lady of the Crays

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June – St Mary’s

### PTA events

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Tuck Shop (Easter theme)

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Hat competition



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## Maths Challenge

- What is the product of the first 3 prime numbers?

## Science Challenge

What did the Italian astronomer Galilei use to see mountains and craters on the moon in 1609?