St Peter and St Paul Catholic Academy

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Academy Newsletter

Year 3 Free Range Assembly

Thank you to all the parents and carers that were able to attend the Year 3 Free Range Assembly on Thursday. Most parents were surprised to see that it was not a traditional assembly taking place, in fact a creative assembly. The children invited the parents and pupils to board the 'aircraft' and from then on were taken to Ancient Greece to find out about what the class have been learning.

Please see below some of the pictures of the children teaching.





Academy Attendance:

EYFS - 92.3%

Year 1 - 97.2%

Year 2 – 98.7%

Year 3 – 98.7%

Year 4 - 97.6%

Year 5 – 95.8%

Year 6 - 96.8%

Overall Academy Attendance – 96.7%

Our aim is 97%



Exploring in Year 2

Children in Year 2 were immersed into their learning through a range of creative activities on Monday, including a mini 'safari' within our Academy grounds. This fun day was an exciting introduction to their class zoo trip to Drusillas the following day.











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Educational Visits this week

Please see below some pictures of the Year 2 and Year 3 children enjoying themselves on their Educational Visits this week to Drusillas and The British Museum.



















Donate £1 and Receive Your Own Tree Planting Kit

Thank you to all those parents/carers that supported the National Woodland Charity and purchased trees for £1.00. The Academy still have some remaining trees available. If you would like to purchase any please speak to Mr Nagre, Year 4 Class Teacher.

Once trees have been collected, they need to be planted in a large pot or preferably the ground soon as possible.

The kit includes:

A tree sapling, a tree protector and a supporter.

Thank you again for your support.

Easter Bunny Run

On Thursday 28th March, 16 schools gathered at our Academy and participated in the annual 'Bunny Run'. The 'Bunny Run' involves Key Stage 1 children from across the borough, completing a fun cross country run. The Academy has held this event for 3 years in total and every year we have watched it grow successfully – this year we had a record 132 pupils take part!

Well done to all our pupils that participated and thank you to those parents that supported as spectators.



Polite Reminder

When you are on the school run, we ask you kindly to turn off your vehicle engines while waiting and not leave them running as this is not environmentally friendly and can be harmful to the children.

Summer Term Clubs

All clubs have concluded this week. There will be no clubs week commencing 1st April 2019. The new term of clubs will start back week commencing 29th April 2019. Letters will be sent home in the near future.

Mrs Rodney's Booster Class will still be running.

Year 3 Tate Britain Workshop

On Tuesday 2nd April Tate Britain will be carrying out a workshop with our Year 3 pupils, exploring aspirations for the future, linked to the London wide Tate Year 3 photograph project. The pupils will be exploring and sharing ideas about identity, beyond what can be seen in a photograph. The children will create artwork and ideas for a 'vault' which will capture and share things about them a photograph cannot.

In the final session, at 2:45pm, the children would like to share what they have created with parents and carers.

It would be great to see you at this sharing session!



Neekly Challenge

Maths Challenge

If:

X + y = 8

2x + 4y = 28

Find the value of x and y.

The answers should work in both equations.

Science Challenge

Which planet orbits the sun at an average distance of 150 million km?

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**.

Spring Term 2019

Spring Term 2019	Key Dates, Class Assemblies and Liturgies
1 st April 2019	Easter Garden entries to be handed in
2 nd April 2019	Year 3 Tate Britain Workshop
4 th April 2019	KS2 Easter Passion Production at 9:45pm - Parents/Carers all welcome
5 th April 2019	Easter Mass at 11:00am (Led by Year 1) - Parents/Carers all welcome
5 th April 2019	Easter treats will be on sale in the playground after school
5 th April 2019	Stars (Extended Day Provision) closes at 4:30pm

Summer Term 2019

Summer Term 2019	Key Dates, Class Assemblies and Liturgies
23 rd April 2019	Back to School
1st May 2019	Year 2 Liturgy (Crowning of Our Lady) at 11am - Parents/Carers all welcome
2 nd May 2019	Year 1 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
6 th May 2019	Bank Holiday – Academy CLOSED
7 th May 2019	Year 3 Bright Sparks Trip – More information to follow
8 th May 2019	Year 5 Liturgy - Parents/Carers all welcome
9 th May 2019	Year 1 Church Visit – More information to follow
9 th May 2019	Year 3 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
9 th May 2019	Piano lessons today due to Bank Holiday
9 th May 2019	Chislehurst Environmental Awards Ceremony – Red Hill Primary School
	Time TBC
10 th May 2019	PTA Tuck Shop
13 th May 2019	KS2 SAT's Week
16 th May 2019	PTA Mini Olympics (Year 4, 5 and 6) – More information to follow
17 th May 2019	Summer Fayre Donation Day – More information to follow
22 nd May 2019	Year 1 Liturgy - Parents/Carers all welcome
22 nd May 2019	Year 5 School Trip – More information to follow
23 rd May 2019	Year 4 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
24 th May 2019	PTA Tuck Shop/BBQ
27 th May 2019	Half Term Starts
3 rd June 2019	Back to School
3 rd June 2019	PGL Week
7 th June 2019	PTA Tuck Shop
13 th June 2019	Year 5 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
13 th June 2019	PTA Mini-Olympics (Year 2 and Year 3) – More information to follow
19 th June 2019	Year 3 Liturgy - Parents/Carers all welcome

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20 th June 2019	Year 6 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
	EYFS Church Visit – More information to follow
21 st June 2019	
21 st June 2019	PTA Tuck Shop
27 th June 2019	Year 1 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
28 th June 2019	Feast Day Mass at 11am - Parents/Carers all welcome
28 th June 2019	PTA Summer Fayre
2 nd July 2019	EYFS Significant Role Model Day – More information to follow
3 rd July 2019	Year 4 Liturgy - Parents/Carers all welcome
4 th July 2019	Year 2 Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
4 th July 2019	PTA Mini-Olympic (EYFS and Year 1) – More information to follow
9 th July 2019	Sports Day
11 th July 2019	EYFS Assembly - Parents/Carers all welcome
11 th July 2019	Whole School Open Evening (5:00pm to 7:00pm)
12 th July 2019	Leavers Mass at 11:00am
12 th July 2019	PTA Tuck Shop
15 th July 2019	Year 6 School Trip – More information to follow
16 th July 2019	Year 6 Bikability – More information to follow
17 th July 2019	Year 6 Bikability – More information to follow
19 th July 2019	Year 6 Production and lunch with Year 6 parents
19 th July 2019	Stars finishes at 4:30pm