

St Peter's Catholic Primary School

School Year 2025 - 2026

School Newsletter

June 2026



Welcome

Dear parents

The month of May flew by in the blink of an eye and we now find ourselves in the final term of this academic year.

Thank you to all members of our community who supported the school last term; helping on trips, with the community day or lending a hand or support in another way.

I hope that you were all able to stop and enjoy at least a little time in the sunshine last week and that those who celebrated the Feast of Pentecost feel the peace and power of the Holy Spirit in your daily lives.

Please, please keep an eye on the school calendar and the dates page at the end of the newsletter to ensure you are prepared for the events of the next 7 weeks.

God Bless

Miss Vedamuttu

Come to us God almighty,
Send your Spirit.
Ignite the fire in our hearts,
Feed your flame within.
Rushing wind blow on us,
Grow the sparks and spread them,
Let your Spirit prepare,
Strength and equip us.
Come to us Lord Jesus,
Send your Spirit.
Let it proclaim who you are,
And multiply your presence,
Throughout the earth.
Ignite its flame to fill us
with generosity and caring.
Come to us Spirit of truth,
Consume us with your fire.
Let your power shape our world,
with love and peace and justice.
Let your love fill our world
with compassion, and joy and hope.
Amen.

Christine Sine <http://godspace-msa.com>
Image: Pentecost by Simon Marsh <http://simonmarsh.org/>



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Staffing

Following a successful and rigorous interview process, I am pleased to inform you that we have appointed two teachers to start in September.

Final arrangements for staffing structure will follow in the coming weeks but, please be assured, we will do all we can to ensure the smoothest of transitions for all pupils.

Mrs Cooper and Miss Wallis continue to be committed to St Peter's for term 6 and will do what they can to support with this.

New Management Information System - UPDATE

You should have received an email from Arbor inviting you to download the App and log in. Please do so as we hope to be able to use the in - app messages to communicate with you in addition to emails.

This is the Arbor logo which you will see when looking for the APP.

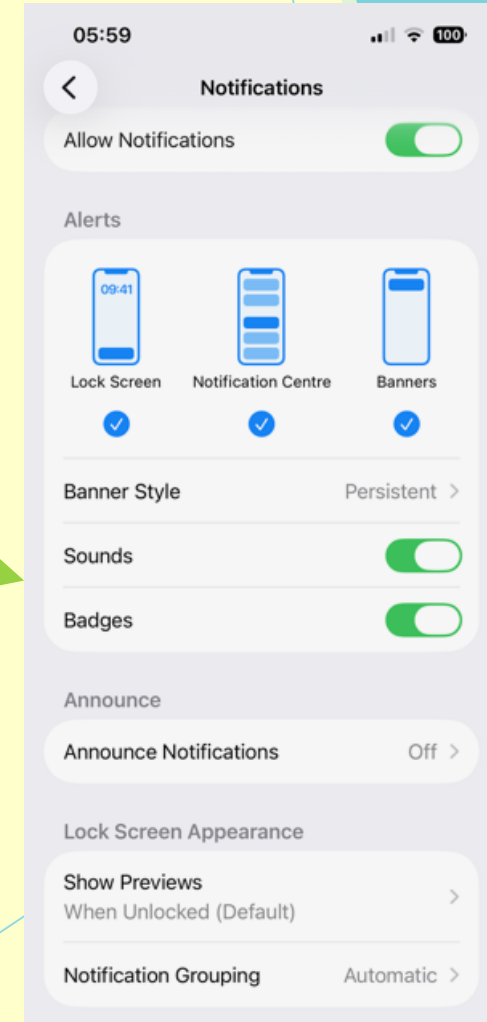
Please ensure you have notification settings set in a way that mean you receive notifications. (Apple version)



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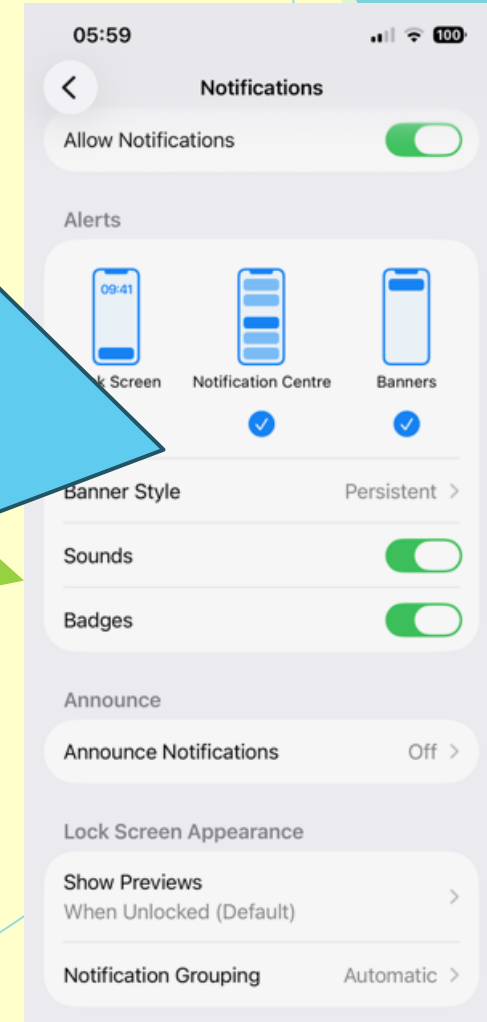
The push notifications in the App are a quick and easy way for us to communicate with you.

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Website - UPDATE

We are still ironing out our new website - keep check back to see more being added.

The new website address remains the same: [Home | St Peter's Catholic Primary School Sittingbourne](#)

Homework for this term, for each year group, can be found here:

[St Peter's Catholic Primary School - Homework](#)

The **School Calendar** on the website is now up to date. Find it here:

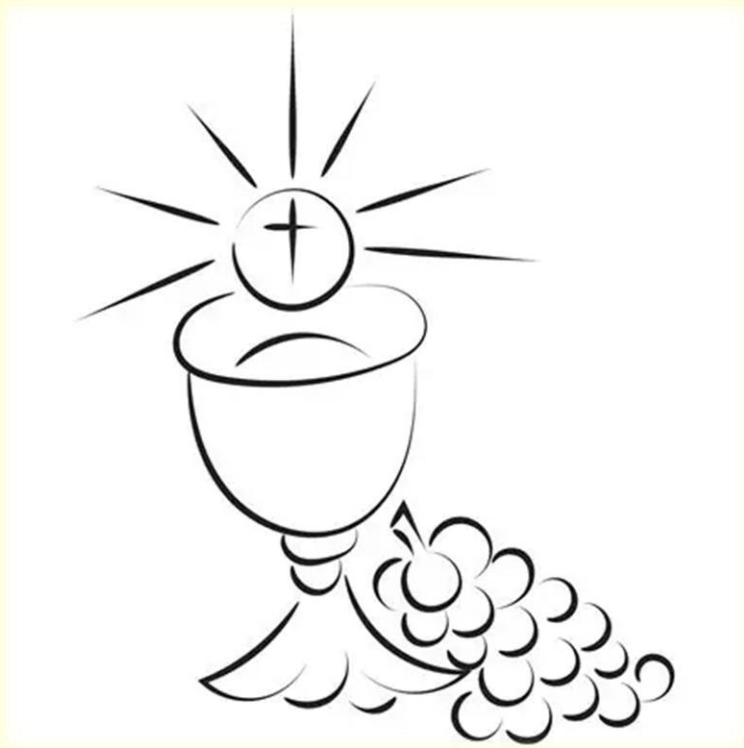
[St Peter's Catholic Primary School - Our School Calendar](#)

Scroll to the bottom of the page on your device and with just a couple of clicks you can sync the school calendar to your phone or outlook calendar. (It took me about 30 seconds)

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First Holy Communion 2026

We would like to send congratulations to all the children from St Peter's and the wider parish community who received their First Holy Communion in May. It is always a privilege to see the children receive the blessed sacrament.



We will give the children who received their First Holy Communion, this year, the chance to share their special day with the rest of the school when they lead a special assembly on Friday 3rd July.

Thank you.. again!

4th Milton Regis Cubs have been back again and have painted the tyres at the back of the school and filled them with some beautiful herbs for all to enjoy. Perhaps the children will be able to use them in their cooking during their D & T lessons this term!

Thank you also to Mr and Mrs Mann who donated some tomato plants to us. We've planted them at the back of the school and hope to have some tasty tomatoes for snack time before the term is out!



Community in Action Day



So much was achieved!
Thank you!!

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Dates for your diary - June and July

Date	Event
Thursday 4 th June	8:40am sharp - Year 6 Top Up Swimming begins - all pupils to attend first session at least (life saving skills)
Friday 5 th June	Wizard Stories visiting the school for Transition to Secondary School Workshop for Year 6 1pm - Year 5 Swimming lessons (5 sessions) (Help desperately needed to accompany the children, please)
Monday 8 th June	Whole Class photos
Tuesday 9 th June	Year 5 Trip to Otterden 6pm - Current Year 5 Residential Visit Initial Meeting (Teams Meeting - see letter)
Wednesday 10 th June	Year 3 trip to Canterbury Cathedral Year 4 trip to Faversham Police Museum
Friday 12 th June	School Fete Donations - new toys for the Toy Tombola please
Monday 15 th June	Year 2 visit to Wingham Wildlife Park 1:30pm - Year 6 Workshop - Money Matters
Wednesday 17 th June	5:30pm - New parents meeting (Reception class 2026)
Friday 19 th June	School Fete Donations - bottles for the bottle tombola Sports Morning - 9:10am - EYFS and KS1 (Year R - Year 2) - 10:45am (ish) - KS2 (Yr 3 - 6) Finish at approx. 12pm

Date	Event
Monday 22 nd June	1:30pm - Year 6 Workshop - Money Matters
Tuesday 23 rd June	9am - 10:15am - Science Fair - all years
Thursday 25 th June	8:45am - Year 3 to attend Aylesford Priory hosted by Education Service for the Archdiocese of Southwark - letter to follow
Saturday 27 th June	School Fete - helpers needed please.
Monday 29 th June	Feast of St Peter and St Paul Celebration 2:45pm - Parents and family members warmly welcomed 9am - Bikeability begins (continues this week for Year 5 and 6 pupils if signed up)
Friday 3 rd July	First Holy Communion Celebration
Monday 6 th July	2:30pm - Rock Steady Concert - all welcome
Tuesday 7 th July	Transition Morning for all classes - further details will follow
Wednesday 8 th July	Transition Morning for all classes - further details will follow
Thursday 9 th July	Year 6 Trip to Margate - Railway Safety session - letter to follow

The last week of term!

Date	Event
Monday 13 th July	9.15am - Year 6 Leavers' Breakfast at Matt Matt's Café (more information to come)
	2.00pm - Year 6 Dress rehearsal of performance to the school (children with main parts <u>must</u> be present)
Tuesday 14 th July	2.00pm - Year 6 First performance of <i>Pirates of the Curry Bean</i> to parents (all Year 6 children <u>must</u> be present)
	6.00pm - Year 6 Second performance of <i>What a Knight</i> to parents (all Year 6 children <u>must</u> be present)
Wednesday 15 th July	9.15am - School's Got Talent (parents invited to attend)
	1.15pm - Year 6 Parents vs. Children Rounders match (parents invited to attend)
	2.15pm - Year 6 water fight (children only - parents return to pick up children at regular time of 3.25pm. Children to bring in a water pistol (non-electric), towel and spare change of clothes - don't forget spare shoes and socks!
Thursday 16 th July	10.00am - End of Term Leavers' Mass (ALL parents invited to attend)
	12.00pm - Year 6 Leavers' Lunch in school hall (children only)
Friday 17 th July	9.10am - End of Year Celebration Assembly (ALL parents invited to attend)
	10.00am onwards - Year 6 Shirt Signing (Please bring in the shirt you want signed separate to the one you are wearing. Bring your own pens too!)
	2.00pm - School Day Ends