



# St Peter's C.E. Academy

12<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

We are really pleased to welcome back all the children to school today and look forward to cracking on with lots of lovely learning across the Summer term. I would like to extend a warm welcome to the new families who have joined us in the last few months.

This is an update about the key dates and events coming up over the next term.

### **School Timings**

The start times and end times for this term remain unchanged. The gates will be open in the mornings between 8:20 – 8:40am only. Anyone arriving after this time will be marked as late. Children can be collected at the end of the school day between 3:00 – 3:20pm. Please can I ask all parents who drive to school to park safely and respectfully outside on the surrounding roads. Parents are not permitted to drop off on the drive way during these times as the school buses for Manor School use this area constantly. Thank you for your continued support with this.

### **Mufti Day for Stanwick Lakes**

During the Easter holidays, the new play equipment at Stanwick Lakes was set alight which has destroyed the new play area. As a school team and wider Trust, we were devastated to hear this news and want to support this local park by fundraising on their behalf. Therefore, all schools in the Trust will be participating in a mufti day on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April**. Donations can either be made in cash on the day, or online via a link that will be shared later in the week.

### **Spring Term Parent Consultation Meetings**

From Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April, our staff team will be contacting all parents who have completed the online form to provide an update on their child's learning since the Autumn term. Dates and times will be confirmed via your child's school planner. Please be aware that the call will show as a private number.

### **Swimming Lessons**

Year 5 will commence weekly swimming lessons every Friday from the 23<sup>rd</sup> April until the 28<sup>th</sup> May. The same arrangements are in place as before – the children will need to come to school wearing their swimming costumes underneath their PE uniform ready to change after the lesson.

### **School Photos**

Class photos will be taken on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> April. Please make sure your child wears the correct uniform on this day. There will be no PE lessons on this day; lessons will be rearranged by the teacher and classes will be informed separately.



### **Vision Day**

On Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> May, we will be hosting a whole school vision day to launch our new school vision 'Let Your Light Shine'. The children will be participating in a variety of activities throughout the day which we look forward to sharing with you via our social media pages.

### **School Structure 2021-22**

Due to an increase in pupil numbers, I am pleased to confirm that we will be increasing the number of classes from 7 to 8 from September 2021. This means there will be two single age classes per year group instead of mixed age classes.

### **Vacancies**

We currently have two posts available to join our team. One post is for a full time Office Administrator to work term time only. The other post is for a class teacher to join our existing team. If you know anyone who may be interested in these posts, please see the vacancy page on our website for more information <https://www.stpetersschoolraunds.co.uk/about-us/vacancies>.

We hope this information proves useful in the coming weeks and we will send any further updates in due course.

Kind regards,

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