



St. Peter's Roman Catholic Primary School

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18th October 2024

Dear Parents / Carers,

It has been a very busy start to the academic year with everyone settling in to their new classes and working well. We are delighted that the children are eager and willing to learn. We work together to make St Peter's a happy and fun learning environment, where every child can thrive. We will continue to make regular contact with you and provide you with updates about your child's progress. This will be achieved by being present at the gate each day, class dojo updates and invitations to parent assemblies and consultations. Our whole school liturgy is on Mondays at 2.30 pm, and celebration assembly is at 2.30 pm on Fridays; parents/carers are kindly invited to join us. The staff look forward to a busy, hard-working and enjoyable year ahead, and greatly value your continued support.

Non-Pupil Day: As listed in our term dates, please note that the school will be **closed** on **Monday 4th November** for a staff training day.

Harvest Appeal: Many thanks to you all for the very generous items of food brought in for our CAFOD Harvest Appeal, which have been donated to the St Peter's Church. We really appreciate all of the offerings.

Parent Consultations: The autumn term parent/carer consultations take place on Monday 21st and Tuesday 22nd October, 3.30 – 5.30 pm. This is a great opportunity for you to see your child's class teacher and discuss their progress. Please contact your child's class teacher on dojo to make an appointment. Please note that consultations for Turtle Class will take place during the week after half term.

School Mass: Our next whole school Mass is on Thursday 24th October at 9.00 am. All parents/carers are invited to join us. This Mass is a very important celebration and gathering of our school and Parish community.



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September 2025 admissions: A reminder to those parents of Year 6 children that you will need to apply for a secondary school place by **31st October**. For further assistance please contact the School Admissions Team on 307469; or visit www.plymouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions. The parents' guides are available on their webpages under the 'Apply for a school place' section. Please note that for those making an application to St. Boniface's or Notre Dame, you must also complete the necessary form specifically for those schools. (These forms are available on the admissions website and or from the secondary schools).

Open Morning: If you have a child who is due to start school in September 2025, or know someone who has, please come and visit us on **Thursday 14th November** or **Thursday 28th November** from 9.30 – 10.30 am. You can arrange your visit by calling the school on 217010. You are warmly welcome. If you cannot make either of those dates, please contact us, and we will be happy to arrange another time.

Staffing: We are sad to inform you that Mrs Solomon will be leaving us at half term as she has a new job. We thank her for all of her contributions to St Peter's and wish her the very best in her new role. We shall all miss her.

We have 2 new teaching assistants joining the St Peter's team and look forward to introducing you to them soon.

We finish for half term on Friday 25th October and in advance would like to wish you a safe and enjoyable break; we look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 5th November.

Yours sincerely,

MRS E ARCHER
HEADTEACHER



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