

St. Peter's Primary School



Newsletter: 27th February 2026

Awards:

	Pupil of the Week	Book Worm	Behaviour Champion
Preschool	Nancy	Oliver	-
Reception	Finley R	Thomas	-
Year 1	Hallie	Dylan	-
Year 2	Liam	Darcy W	-
Year 3	Isla	Freddie	-
Year 4	Molly	Mariya	-
Year 5	Jade	Hubert	-
Year 6	Cecilia	Harper	-



Reception Our current Story Launch is Superworm by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler. This week we have been exploring and

comparing length (long and short) and Miss Christie shared her fascinating collection of mini beasts with us - wow! Mrs S Finlow

Year 6 have explored the wonderful world of paper in their English experience lesson! We have gathered together as many different uses of paper and adjectives to describe paper as we can and we have even had a go at making some Origami creations!

Miss E Chambers



Congratulations to Edyth who raised an incredible £1425 whilst donating her beautiful hair to the Little Princess Trust. We are very proud of you Edyth – many thanks to anyone who very kindly donated towards Edyth's fundraising challenge.

Mrs H Yarnold



Year 3 had a fabulous time making their own pizza wraps as part of their exploration of fractions. The children enjoyed topping their wraps, and cutting them into equal parts. The children did a fantastic job at recognising the fractions they had created. Most importantly, they went down a treat!

Miss E Boddice



Break the Rules Day

Thanks to your generosity we have received a wonderful variety of food donations and raised a fantastic £147 to give to the Food Bank in Bromyard.



ST. PETER'S PRESCHOOL

Discover a World of
LEARNING & WONDER!

WHERE LEARNING IS AN ADVENTURE

Spaces available
for:
**September
2026**

PLAY

Hands-on Learning
We emphasize experiential learning, where your child's natural talents and interests are encouraged.

Holistic Development
We nurture not just academics but also social, emotional, and life skills to prepare your child for a bright future.

Inspiring Environment
Our classroom is vibrant and fun and designed to spark curiosity and creativity, creating a love for lifelong learning.

Teacher Led
Your child will be guided by our passionate Nursery team who understand their unique needs and offer flexibility to cater those needs.

LEARN

GROW

JOIN US FOR
STAY AND PLAY
Wednesday 4th March
9.30am-10.30am
Bring your little ones along to
play, learn and have
fun together

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gunwin@st-peters.hereford.sch.uk
www.st-peters.hereford.sch.uk

Parents' Evening Appointments



Dear Parents

Spring Term 2026 Parents' Evening for all year groups

Our Parents' Evenings will be held as follows:

Tuesday 10th March - 3:35pm to 6:30pm
Wednesday 11th March - 3:35pm to 5:30pm

Parents are invited to book a parents' evening appointment with their class teacher via the online booking system

[My Child at School \(MCAS\)](#)

You are invited to look at your child's work and school displays before seeing the class teacher; appointments will be for 10 minutes.

Please contact the school office if you are having difficulty accessing the online booking system; gunwin@st-peters.hereford.sch.uk or 01885 483237.

Thank you

School Office

After school activity clubs on TUESDAY 10th are cancelled. Normal home time applies. Wednesday clubs will run as normal. After school provision will run as normal.

We are thrilled to invite you to join us on **4th March** for **The Art of Maths!** After the fantastic success of last year's workshop, we can't wait to bring the magic back again. This time, our aim is to create a **mathematical city**, where numbers, shapes and patterns come together.

Key Stage 1 Workshops:

Time: 9:00 - 10:00 am

Drop-off: Please drop your children off at the normal time.

Location: Please head to the main reception, where you will be let in to join your children's classrooms and help them construct their mathematical piece for our group display.



Key Stage 2 Workshops:

Time: 10:30 - 11:30 am

Location: Please arrive at the main reception to join your children's classrooms and enjoy working together to help them construct their mathematical piece for our group display.



Our class teachers have been working hard to set up a fantastic range of activities, including our exciting main tasks that will become a part of our whole school display. All the resources and instructions are ready to go, so you and your children can jump straight in and enjoy the learning adventure together!

Refreshments will be provided in the school Hall between 10.00-10.30, please join us for refreshments.

Dates for your diary:

March	
4 th	Art of Maths workshop – parents invited
4 th	Stay and Play in Preschool, 9.30am-10.30am – under 3's invited
5 th	World Book Day/Story in a Jar Competition/The Big
10 th -11 th	Parents Evening (no after school clubs on 10 th)
18 th -20 th	Red Ridge Residential – Year 6
20 th	Red Nose Day – Whole School (P-6)
26 th	iRock Assembly – invited parents only
27 th	End of Spring Term
April	
13 th	Summer Term 1 begins
30 th	Bingo
May	
1 st	TED (Inset Day) – school closed
5 th	Class Photos and Year 6 Leavers
11 th 14 th	SATS Week – Year 6
22 nd	End of Summer Term 1
25 th -29 th	Half Term
June	
1 st	Summer Term 2 begins
July	
1 st – 3 rd	Year 6 Transition Days at QE High School

Attendance:

Attendance this week is:

97.1%

A reminder that if your child is well enough to attend school, please send them as it is vital they attend school as regularly as possible. If your child has been off school with a sickness bug, they need to be 48 hours clear before they return.

Absences must be reported daily either via message through the MCAS app, emailing gunwin@st-peters.hereford.sch.uk or calling the school on 01885 483237.

Highest Class attendance this week goes to:

YEAR 2

Breakfast Club and After School Provision:

Please could we you remind you that ALL breakfast club and after school provision sessions must be booked and paid for prior to the day it is required. This is to make sure that there is the correct staff to pupil ratios in place. Thank you

Breakfast Club:

7:30am - 8:45am £3.50 per child
 Breakfast served from
 7.30am-8.15am

After School Club:

3:30pm - 4:30pm £5.00 per child
 4:30pm - 5:30pm £2.00 per child
 5:30pm - 6.00pm £1.00 per child



When children come in to school dressed in their PE kit it allows for more time to be used for physical activity rather than time taken up changing.



Monday	Year 6 bring kit to school to change
	Year 5 bring kit to school to change
	Year 3 wear kit to school
Tuesday	Year 2 wear kit to school
Wednesday	Reception wear kit to school
Thursday	Year 1 wear kit to school
Friday	Year 4 wear kit to school



Year 3 – Monday

Please come to school dressed in your Forest School clothes, with your outdoor boots or wellies in a carrier bag
School uniform MUST be brought in to change in to after the lesson.

Reception - Monday

Please come to school dressed in your Forest School clothes, with your outdoor boots or wellies in a carrier bag. If you have an all in one suit, please bring it in. School have waterproof trousers and jackets for all children.



Zivah (Y3) Rosa (YR)
Maya (YR) Noah (Y4)



After School Clubs:

Day	Activity	Year Group	Led By	Time
Monday	Computing Club	5, 6	Mr L Hollywell	3.15pm-4.15pm
	Science Club <i>Repeat of spring - new children only please</i>	R, 1, 2	Miss S Nash	3.15pm-4.15pm
	Lego Club	1, 2	Miss R Jinks	3.15pm-4.15pm
Tuesday	Creative Writing Club <i>4 weeks only (not 10th March parents evening)</i>	3, 4	Miss E Boddice	3.15pm-4.15pm
Wednesday	Dance Club <i>4 weeks only (not 18th March)</i>	3, 4, 5, 6	Alessandra Nicholas (Youth Worker for St Peter's Church)	3.15pm-4.15pm
Wednesday	Art Club <i>£10 per session 4 weeks only (not 18th March)</i>	4, 5, 6	Mrs J Rocca	3.15pm-4.30pm
Thursday	Play Dough Club	R, 1	Mrs Z Johns	3.15pm-4.15pm
	Football Club	4, 5, 6	Mr L Hollywell	3.15pm-4.15pm
	Drama	3, 4, 5, 6	Miss E Chambers	3.15pm-4.15pm
Friday	Cricket Club <i>(not 27th March)</i>	2, 3	Hosted by 'Chance to Shine Cricket'	3.15pm-4.15pm

NHS
Children and Adolescent Mental Health Services

WELLBEING AND EMOTIONAL SUPPORT TEAMS

Parents online Workshop

Helping your child cope with the stress of exams and tests.

Run by the NHS's Wellbeing and Emotional Support in schools team. (WEST)

On the 26th of March, Online, on Teams: From 12pm to 1pm

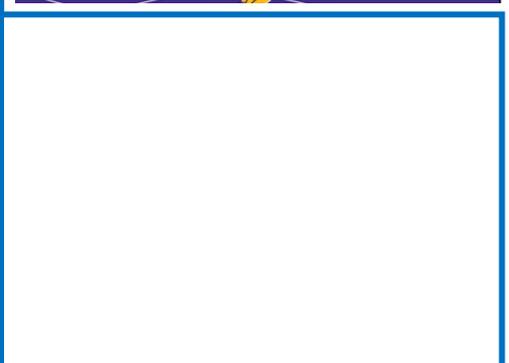
Who is it for:
Parents who want to learn more about

Tips on how to support your child.

How to plan for exams and manage the associated stress and anxiety.

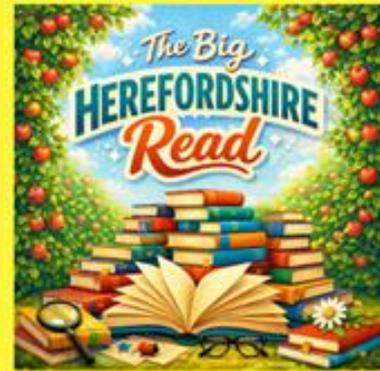
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Passcode: dk92dc7j

www.camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/west Provided by Herefordshire and Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust



The Big Herefordshire Read:
Monday 2nd – Monday 9th March

We are excited to say we have joined many other schools across the county to take part in 'The Big Herefordshire Read'. This sponsored reading event, organised by Rosie's Book Store, is running this March to celebrate World Book Day and the National Year of Reading. To take part pupils can get sponsored for the amount of time they spend reading. All monies raised will go towards books for our school. More details to follow after half term.



Our School is taking part!

2nd - 9th March 2026!

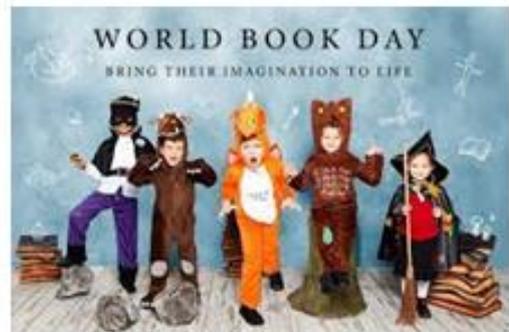


Red Nose Day:
Friday 20th March

Our theme for Red Nose Day this year is 'Share a smile; Tell a joke'. Children are invited to **wear something red** and to prepare a joke to tell their classmates. £1 for Comic Relief.

World Book Day:
Thursday 5th March

Children are invited to come to school dressed up as their favourite character, or non-uniform if you prefer not to. We can't wait to see your fantastic costumes!



Story in a Jar Competition:
Thursday 5th March

To celebrate World Book Day, we are inviting the children to create a 'Story in a Jar'. This can be a story of their choice and can include props and decorations on the theme of the book. Story jars need to be brought in to school in time for World Book Day. We will choose a winner from each class to receive a prize! We can't wait to see your wonderful designs.



CHAT

What can CHAT support with?

- Family relationships (this may include domestic abuse or parental arguments)
- Child development and education
- Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) (support can be provided up to the age of 25)
- Emotional and mental health
- Challenging behaviours
- Support with budgeting and housing
- Child exploitation
- Keeping your child safe (online and in the community)
- Parenting courses

The Children's Help and Advice Team (CHAT)

01432 260261
CHAT@herefordshire.gov.uk

You can speak with an experienced advisor Monday-Friday 9am-4:45pm

The CHAT Telephone Line

- Parents can call for advice, signposting and support (including an Early Help Assessment)
- Professionals can call for advice for a child with consent from parents
- General advice and guidance can be given about early help provision
- If there is a safeguarding worry or the professional is unsure – in the first instance call MASH – 01432 260800

CHAT can support partner agencies with completing Early Help Assessment (Early Help or Vennture)

CHAT LOCALITIES

North

Natalie Barnard
Kim Vaughan-Akcha
Lauren Baker
Hannah Shuker

South

Nikki Ernest
Tess Quinsey
Paula Anderson
Donna Savory

Central

Jo Measor
Beth Moss
Vicky Teece

Herefordshire
Council

My Early Years child has had a recent diagnosis of Autism

Scan the QR Code to access supportive information, links and advice.



Building Better

Our aim of this project is to understand your knowledge and expertise of our service and EHA's to allow our team to continue to build and strengthen the relationships with partner agencies.

As part of this project we would like to visit you in your setting to explore any potential needs and barriers to provide further tailored support to ensure a restorative approach allowing families to receive the right help at the right time.

Please contact the CHAT team on 01432 260261 or via email at CHAT@herefordshire.gov.uk

Framework

- 118. **Early help** is support for children of all ages that improves a family's resilience and outcomes or reduces the chance of a problem getting worse.
- It is not an individual service, but a system of support delivered by local authorities and their partners working together and taking collective responsibility to provide the right provision in their area.
- Some early help support is provided through "**universal services**" such as education and health. They are universal because they are available to all families, regardless of their needs.

