

# ★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★

Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

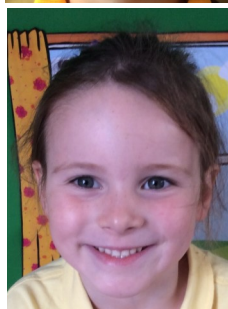
*We live and learn in the light of Christ!*

Weekly Newsletter to Parents  
Friday 22nd March 2019



Spring 2 - Week 25

This week we pray for these special people!



Bradley  
Cian  
Finn  
Maximus  
Amelia  
Luciana  
Caitlin

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## ACADEMY TERM DATES

Term	Autumn 2018	Spring 2019	Summer 2018
New Term Begins	Monday 3rd Sept	Monday 7th January	Monday 29th April
1st Half-Term Ends	Friday 26th October	Friday 15th February	Friday 24th May
2nd Half-Term Begins	Monday 5th Nov	Monday 25th February	Monday 3rd June
Term Ends	Friday 21st Dec	Friday 12th April	Friday 19th July

## SCHOOL FUND DONATIONS

(now including standing orders)  
Week 25

## School Fund will continue...

### Direct Debit

My mistake! If you pay school fund via direct debit we have been informed by the Multi Academy that we can continue to keep our School Fund account open for another year. Sorry for any confusion caused please continue paying as usual.

## School Fund Account Details.

Account Number: 30048268

Sort Code: 30 98 37

Thank you all for your support.

## School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours (3.30 pm - 8.00 am):



**07885 235 496**

## Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

This half-term seems to be flying by! I hope you all enjoyed your St. Patrick's Day celebrations last weekend. It has been another amazing week at SS Peter & Paul for your children, for Year 3 in particular as they received the Sacrament of Reconciliation in Church with Fr. Joe and Fr. Michael on Tuesday afternoon. Our Year 3 children made their first confession; saying sorry to God for the times they have done something they shouldn't have and asking God for forgiveness and absolution for these times. It was a lovely service; the children received the sacrament with reverence and respect, doing themselves, their families and our school proud. My sincere thanks go to Mrs Pawley and Mrs Panjanaden for preparing the children so well.

It was also Year 1 Class Assembly today. I could not be prouder of this group of staff and children, it has been a bit of a turbulent year for them with Mrs Dilks being away ill but it was fantastic to see the children perform so confidently and with such joy on their faces! My thanks goes to Miss Stansbie, Mrs Upton, Miss Swan and Mrs Alexander for all their hard work preparing the children. It was a treat to see and definitely worth all the hard work so thank you.

Thank you to all those parents who have already responded to the invitation but there are a number who haven't. Please can you ensure that you book your Parents Evening appointment via ParentMail asap. The appointment area went live this week and you should've received a notification via ParentMail. If you haven't or you are struggling to complete the booking, please pop into the school office where Mrs Wright or Mrs Pritchard will endeavour to help you.

**God Bless.**



Neil Porter –  
Head Teacher

## NEWS

**We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.**

- **Fashion Haircuts**—Please can I remind all parents that we have a very strict uniform policy which is clear on our high expectations regarding uniform, shoes and haircuts (See our website for more details). I have noticed a small minority of parents are ignoring our policy and having fashion haircuts which are too closely shaved to the skin or have a line shaved in as a parting. I would like to remind all parents that this is unacceptable. Thank you to all those parents who abide by our rules and keep their child's hair in a sensible and appropriate style for school. Thank you.
- **Parking issues raising their head again!!!** - I have been contacted by Birmingham City Council who has informed me that a number of our parents are using the yellow 'School Zone' lined area as a drop off and pick up point. This is unacceptable and endangers the safety of others using the crossing. This particularly applies to those arriving by taxi. Please can you stop doing this and if you are arriving in a taxi, please can you instruct the driver to drop you elsewhere, not on the yellow lines. Thank you.
- **Cakes in School**—There is a tradition of parents sending in a small token of celebration for children to share with their classmates, usually sweets or lollipops. We have no problem with this but it is our policy to send these treats home so that you parents can see what it is and see whether or not you allow your child to have it. However, we have recently had some parents sending in a cake to be shared with the children. I do not feel this is appropriate as we have children in school with allergies and we have no idea what is in the cake, neither do the other parents. Plus, it is messy to transport and time consuming for my staff to cut up and distribute. So from now on, we will not be accepting or distributing and cakes sent into school for a child's birthday. I do hope you appreciate my standpoint on this.
- **SPFA Second Hand Uniform Sale**—A big thank you to the SPFA, Emilia Zakrzewska and Zoe Santos in particular, for sorting and selling the second hand uniform this week.
- **Girls Football Team**—Well done to our girls football team who took part in their first tournament, finishing 3rd, at Erdington Academy this week. Well done Grace Bennett, Alice Cushion, Isabella Pulisciano, Akeelah Jackson, Amelia Kozłowska, Joan Jacob, Maisie Hughes and Lexi Dickinson. Big thanks to Mrs Seager and Mr Barnes for training and taking them.
- **Chess Team**—Well done to our Chess Team who played really well in the BCSSA tournament at the Abbey this week. Wiktor Krzeminski, Angelika Jackiewicz, Igor Dobron, Akeelah Jackson, Sean Smith-O'Donnell and Maja Podworska played the game to a very high standard and with great sportsmanship which was praised by the organisers. Well done to you all and thank you for representing our school so well.
- **Lenten Charities 2019**—This year the children have chosen to support the following charities in their fundraising: Global Charity - WE, National Charity - Fr. Hudson's Society, Local Charity - John Taylor Hospice. Each class will be organising their own fundraising events. I will publish them in the newsletter as soon as I know more. Thanks, in advance for your generosity.
- **SENCO**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding her next SEN drop in session on Friday 29th March @ 9.30 to 10.00 am. Please phone the school office or e-mail: [senco@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk](mailto:senco@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk), to book a session.

## IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

Y4 Class Mass for Key Stage 2  
Thursday 28th March @ 9.15 am

SPFA Mothers Day Treat Sale on drive  
Friday 29th March @ 2.00 pm

Y1 Class Mass for Key Stage 1  
Thursday 4th April @ 9.15 am

School & Parish Fashion Show  
Saturday 6th April @ 6.00 pm

Year 5 Easter Production  
Tuesday 9th April @ 2 pm - Church

Spring Term Parents Evenings  
Wednesday 10th April @ 3.30 - 6 pm  
Thursday 11th April @ 3.30 - 6 pm

Y3 Class Mass for Whole School  
Thursday 11th April @ 9.15 am

Non-Uniform Day - £1  
Friday 12th April 2019

Break Up for Easter Holiday  
Friday 12th April @ 2.00 pm

Teacher Training Day - School Closed  
Monday 29th April 2019

Summer Term 01 Starts for Pupils  
Tuesday 30th April @ 8.50 am

## TRAINING DAYS

- Monday 3rd September 2018
- Monday 7th January 2019
- Tuesday 22nd January 2019
- Monday 29th April 2019
- Monday 3rd June 2019 (MAC)

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

**Monday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Y5/6 Football

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**Tuesday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- KS2 Monster Craft

- Skills 4 Life Club

**Wednesday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Y5/6 Girls Football

- KS1 Toddler Tennis (4.30 pm)

**Thursday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- KS1 Monster Craft

- Y6 Tag Rugby

**Friday** (2.00 - 3.00 pm)

- Y3/4 Football

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### SS Peter & Paul School Mass Times

Thursday 28th March 2019 @ 9.15 am  
Key Stage 2 Children & Families - Led by Year 4



The details of our next school Mass will be in this newsletter each week. All parents, family members & Parish are invited to come and join our Mass celebration so please pop in if you have time to spare. See you soon.



## This week in school... Year 3 Sacrament of Reconciliation



SS Peter & Paul Girls Football Team!!!



## GENERAL INFORMATION

Copies of the newsletter with a larger font are available in the School Reception for people with visual needs and on the school website.

**[www.ssptrpl.net](http://www.ssptrpl.net)**

**Punctuality** – School starts at 8.50 am & closes at 3.20 pm Monday to Thursday. Every Friday it's open 8.50 am to 2.00 pm. Punctuality is important to ensure a good school day for both children and staff.

**Security** – Once children have been dropped off at school they must not, under any circumstances, leave the school premises for reasons of Safeguarding.

**Pupil absence** – If your child is absent from school please remember to **phone school before 9.30 am.** & send a note in when your child returns.

**Uniform** – Please ensure that **ALL** school uniform is clearly labelled with your child's name.

**Dinner money** – This is **£2.30 per day (£11.50 per week)**. Please remember we are now 'Cashless' so all dinner money payments must be made via **ParentMail**.

**School Dinners** – If your child changes their meal pattern from School dinners to packed lunch or swap from pizza day to packed lunch we must insist on half a terms notice. Thank you.

## Thought for our Diocesan Virtues

### Spring 2 - Learned & Wise

Our pupils are taught that it is important they are able to acquire as much knowledge & information as possible; being **learned**, so that they are able to use what they have learned to help them to make informed decisions and live their life in a way that Jesus would want; being **wise** like him.

## Riddle of the Week!!!

**Q: I do not speak, cannot hear or say anything, but I will always tell the truth. What am I?**

(See Mr Porter with your answer to check if you're right!)

**Last weeks answer was:**  
... the future ...

## Prayer of the Week!!!

### **Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi before the Blessed Sacrament**

We adore You, O Lord Jesus Christ,  
in this Church and all the Churches of the world,  
and we bless You,  
because, by Your holy Cross  
You have redeemed the world.

Amen.

(A prayer to say together with your family)

## Parish Events

### Parish Weekend Masses

Saturday @ 5.00 pm & Sunday @ 9.30 am  
(All school Sunday Masses will be at 9.30 am)

### Cultural Evening

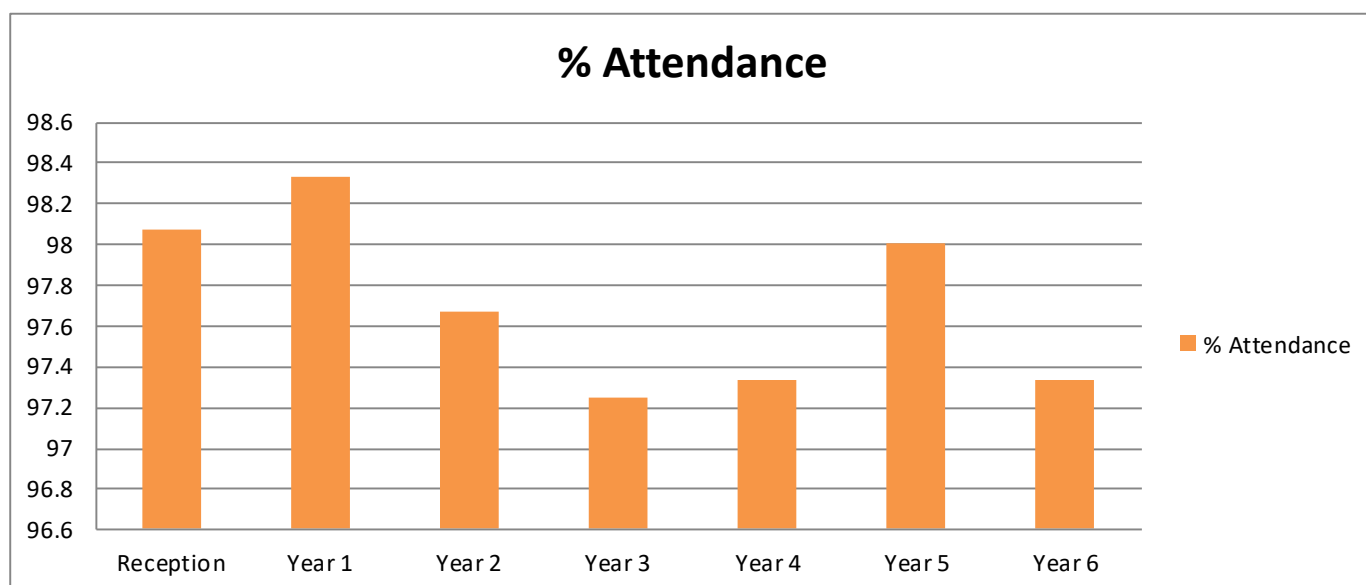
Saturday 29th June @ 7.30 pm  
Tickets available from Church Piety Stall

### Christmas Fair

Saturday 30th November 2019

As a School and Parish community we should be supporting these events to make SS Peter & Paul a lively and thriving Parish, full of joy and community spirit.

Pupil Attendance 11th March to 15th March 2019 = 96.51%



**Congratulations to and Year 1 well done for their excellent attendance.**

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**We wish the following children a very Happy Birthday:-  
Amelia Recci, April Salari, Faith Parry, Rylie-Rose Tyler.**



### 'STAR OF THE WEEK'

**Congratulations to these children awarded Star of the Week:-**

- **Reception — Daniel Ngum**
- **Year 1 — Whole Class for the wonderful Assembly**
- **Year 2 — Whole Class for the lovely Mass**
- **Year 3 — Grace Killarney**
- **Year 4 — Finton Dockery**
- **Year 5 — Liam Cole**
- **Year 6 — Elin O'Callaghan**



### House Points

Saint Peter	29
Saint Paul	58
Our Lady	47
Saint Joseph	69



**Well done to St Joseph our winners.  
Congratulations!!!**

## Stay Safe Online

E-Safety is very important! Do you know what your child is watching or doing on the internet?

Top Tips for staying safe online

Please check out this website for support

<https://www.internetmatters.org>

## Spanish Word of the Week

(Palabra de la semana)

"Semana Santa"

means... Holy Week



### Leading Light Club

#### Contact Details

07885 235 488

07885 235 491

[leadinglightclub@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk](mailto:leadinglightclub@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk)



**Thank you for taking time  
to read our Newsletter.**



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**SPFA Bonus Ball Winner**

**£174.00**

**Friday 25th January 2019**

**Ball 21 - Mrs Dymphna O'Brien**

**Well done to you!!!**

## **SPFA New Uniform Orders...**

I have attached the latest copy of the SPFA Uniform Order Form for you to look at. For anyone wanting to order any new Summer Uniform. Please get your order and payment to any member of the SPFA team by **Monday 1st April 2019**.

## **SPFA Second Hand Uniform**

Thank you to everyone who donated their unwanted, good condition uniform. The SPFA will be selling this on the drive every Monday after school up until Easter.

Take a look and grab a bargain!!!

## **SPFA information and events...**

- Friday 29th March - Mother's Day Treats for sale on the drive
- Saturday 6th April - Joint School & Parish Mother's Day Treat Night, Disco & Fashion Show
- Friday 12th April - Non-Uniform Day for £1.00 and free entry into an Easter Competition (TBC)
- Friday 17th May - Joint School & Parish Family Fun Night
- Saturday 22nd June - SPFA Car Boot Sale
- Friday 5th July - Summer Fair
- Friday 14th June - Non-Uniform Day for sweets or chocolate (TBC) for Summer Fair stalls
- Friday 28th June - Non-Uniform Day for Bottles for Summer Fair stall
- Friday 5th July - Non-Uniform Day for filled and decorated Lucky Bags (to be supplied by SPFA)

# SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School Uniform

Place your order by completing this form and returning it either to Kristina Moore at school or [katie@admerchandise.co.uk](mailto:katie@admerchandise.co.uk) – Mobile: 07748 685 998 or 07415 360 558.

Forms must be completed or you can also e-mail: [katie@admerchandise.co.uk](mailto:katie@admerchandise.co.uk) – we are not able to accept orders through text, social media or messenger.

You can also place your order and pay online if you prefer at: [www.pta-events.co.uk](http://www.pta-events.co.uk) – if you click on uniform and merchandise this shows a full list of all the uniform available.

We have uniform samples available in all sizes. If you are unsure of which size your child will need, please contact Kristina Moore: 07415 360 558 to arrange a fitting.

Please note that a donation from each order you place will go back to the SPFA to be used towards funds for the school.

Your order should be ready to collect/delivered to school within 2 weeks, during busy summer periods orders may take 2/3 weeks.

Please make sure all orders are accompanied with payment. You can pay using cash, bank transfer direct to the SPFA or with a cheque. Cheques should be made payable to SPFA. If you choose to order through [www.pta-events.co.uk](http://www.pta-events.co.uk) you can also pay through the website.

Any returned cheques due to insufficient funds will incur a charge.

## PLEASE SEND A SEPARATE ORDER FORM FOR EACH CHILD

Parent Name & Mobile Number .....

Address .....

CHILD'S NAME (Please print clearly) ..... Date of Order .....

(Please tick the relevant box below)

Deliver items to school: ☐




Collect from Katie: ☐

Deliver items to home: ☐

Payment Method: Cash: ☐

SPFA Bank Transfer: ☐






(see next page for bank account details)

GARMENT:	QUANTITY:	SIZE:	Sizes available:	PRICE:	TOTAL:
 <p><b>Banner Twin Pack Long Sleeve Boys shirt</b> Colour: Tussore</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Collar: 11", 11.5", 12", 12.5", 13", 13.5", 14"	<b>£15.00 per pack</b>	<input type="text"/>
 <p><b>Banner Twin Pack Long Sleeve Girls shirt</b> Colour: Tussore</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Chest: 22", 24", 26", 28", 30", 32", 34"	<b>£15.00 per pack</b>	<input type="text"/>
 <p><b>Woodbank Polo Shirt</b> Colour: Gold</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12	<b>£9.00 Each</b>	<input type="text"/>

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GARMENT:	QUANTITY:	SIZE:	Sizes available:	PRICE:	TOTAL:
 <p><b>Amber A Line Junior Skirt</b> Colour: Brown</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 9-10, 11-12, 13	<b>£12.00 per pack</b>	<input type="text" value="£"/>
 <p><b>Tenby Double Box Pleat Pinafore</b> Colour: Brown</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 9-10, 11-12	<b>£19.00 Each</b>	<input type="text" value="£"/>
 <p><b>Avon Zip-Fronted Corded Gingham Dress</b> Colour: Yellow</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 9-10, 11-12	<b>£13.50 Each</b>	<input type="text" value="£"/>
 <p><b>Rowlinson Courtelle Acrylic V-Neck Jumper</b> Colour: Brown</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Chest 24", 26", 28", 30" <hr/> Chest: 32", 34", 36", 38	<b>£16.00 Each</b> <hr/> <b>£19.00 Each</b>	<input type="text" value="£"/>
 <p><b>Rowlinson Courtelle Acrylic Cardigan</b> Colour: Brown</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Chest 24", 26", 28", 30" <hr/> Chest: 32", 34", 36", 38	<b>£17.00 Each</b> <hr/> <b>£20.00 Each</b>	<input type="text" value="£"/>
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<b>TOTAL AMOUNT TO PAY:</b>					<input type="text" value="£"/>

PLEASE NOTE: WE ARE UNABLE TO PROCESS ORDERS WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT

**SPFA Bank Details for Bank Transfer:**  
Sort Code: 77-85-41 Bank Account: 41677660

Signature: .....

**SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School**  
Kingsbury Road, Erdington,  
Birmingham, B24 9ND



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# SPFA Bonus Ball Draw Dates 2019

<b>January</b> <b>Friday 25th</b> <small>DRAW COMPLETE</small> (4)	<b>February</b> <b>Friday 22nd</b> <small>DRAW COMPLETE</small> Recorded & Posted (4)	<b>March</b> <b>Friday 29th</b> (5)	<b>April</b> <b>Friday 26th</b> Recorded & Posted (4)
<b>May</b> <b>Friday 31st</b> Recorded & Posted (4)	<b>June</b> <b>Friday 28th</b> (5)	<b>July</b> <b>Friday 26th</b> Recorded & Posted (4)	<b>August</b> <b>Friday 30th</b> Recorded & Posted (5)
<b>September</b> <b>Friday 27th</b> (4)	<b>October</b> <b>Friday 25th</b> (4)	<b>November</b> <b>Friday 29th</b> (5)	<b>December</b> <b>Friday 27th</b> Recorded & Posted (4)

\*Draws will take place during Celebration Assembly. Where no assembly takes place the numbers will be drawn by Mr Porter or Mrs Calvert-Lyons and sealed in an envelope for revealing on the draw date.





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**SHOW TO BE HELD AT**  
SS Peter Paul Church Hall  
Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2019  
1800 pm - Late  
£8 per ticket inc. glass of prosecco & cake

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Please ask for Anissa Tel: 0161 7...