



NEWSLETTER

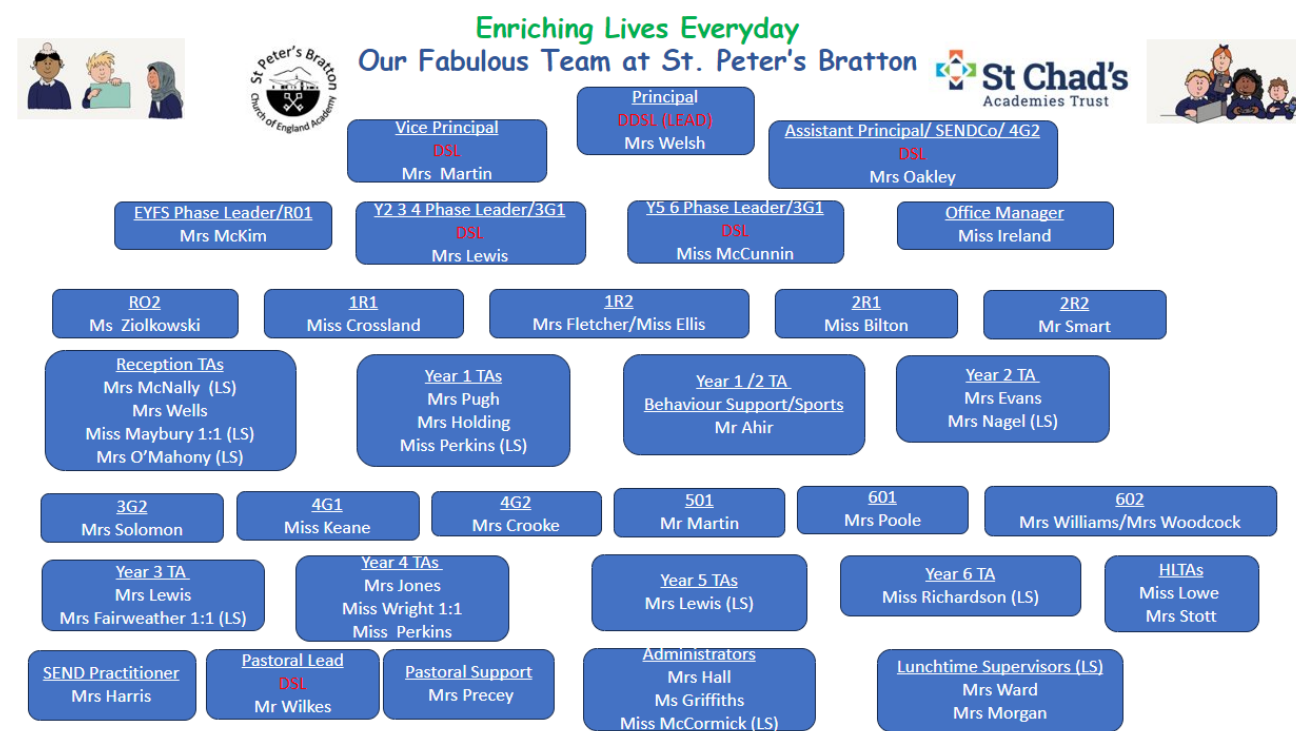
Friday 26th January 2024

What another fabulous week we have had at St. Peter's Bratton although I want to apologise that I have not been around as much as I would like to as I have been attending the latest Safeguarding training for two days and I will now be taking over as DSL lead from Mrs Martin. We also had lots of very excited children who attended Young Voices. Thank you to Miss Keane for all her organisation and Ms Griffiths for sorting out the tickets and of course Mrs Oakley, Mrs McNally, Mrs Fairweather and Miss McCormick for kindly supporting the pupils who have made such a fabulous memory.



Staffing

I am aware that there have been a few changes in staffing so in order to support with this, (and it has really helped me as well) I have created this staffing structure.



Principal's Award

On Monday during Collective Worship for KS2, we celebrated the pupils who received the Principal's Award. To read the beautiful reasons for each of them being presented the award was heart-warming and made me exceptionally proud to be the Principal. I look forward to the next Principal's Awards and promise they will be given to the whole school on the same day 😊.



Principals Award Y3-6

- 361 Lucy Naditha
- 362 Jackson Rose
- 461 Evana Emma
- 462 Charlie Alesha Mae
- 501 Lexie Mason
- 601 Karam Madison
- 602 Jan Sofie

Adults at home Survey



Last week, I discussed our pupil survey and mentioned that I would be sending a survey for you. This is a chance for us as a school to capture your voice and then work in partnership to address any concerns raised. It is not a requirement to provide your name and name/s of your children however, this will make it much easier to resolve anything highlighted. This is online, drop-down menus and has only 15 questions so it will not take very long (less than 10 minutes) but will have a huge impact. The survey will close on Thursday 8th February. To take the survey click on the link below -

Parent survey link - <https://forms.gle/61179HxhHnF7pax6A>



Social Media

In a world where mental health and well-being is at the fore, it is important to remember that as a school we strive on a daily basis to do the best that we can, however, sometimes we may not get it completely right. As we instil into your children, no one is perfect, and mistakes can be made, I can assure you that these are never intentional. It has been brought to my attention that some communications on social media may not be very supportive of regimes or staffing decisions. Can I ask that if you have an issue that you contact school and we will work with you to resolve this. Remember if we aren't doing a good job – tell us (in a kind and respectful way). If we are doing a good job – tell others.



Christingle Candles

Last Friday after our Christingle Service the pupils received a donation candle. Thank you to everyone who has returned theirs already. We appreciate that at this time every penny counts so please do not feel that you have to donate. If you are hoping to, please could you return these by Friday 2nd January.



Happy Retirement!

Sadly, we are saying goodbye to one of our ladies from the catering team Mrs Cathy Wellings. She has worked at St Peter's for 19 years and her cooking and puddings are legendary! We will miss her smiley face and want to wish her a long and happy retirement.



Last weekend of January, February is peeking around the corner 😊 Have a fantastic one whatever you are doing.

See you all on Monday 😊



Mrs Welsh xx George and Teddy



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2D and 3D Shapes

This week children in Reception have been exploring and talking about 2D and 3D shapes. They have done a super job at using mathematical language to explain their features.

Great work Reception!



Year 6 News



In Year 6 we have been working hard in grammar and arithmetic lessons this term. We have been revising facts from earlier years in school and learning some new ones too.

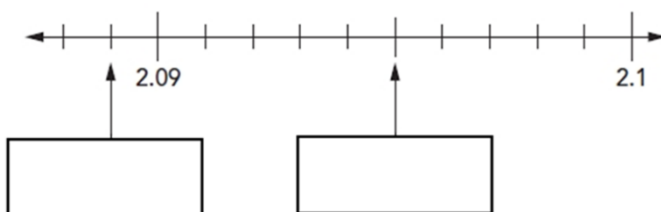
This week our focus in maths has been decimals, and in grammar we have been identifying determiners and prepositions.

The Year 6s would like to challenge you to answer some of their questions from this week:

Q4.

This is part of a number line.

Write in the missing numbers.



1 mark

Q5. Here are three supermarket bills.

apples	1.99	apples	1.99	apples	1.99
bananas	1.50	bananas	1.50	bananas	1.50
carrots	1.25	carrots	1.25	carrots	1.25
potatoes	1.00	potatoes	1.00	potatoes	1.00
tomatoes	0.80	tomatoes	0.80	tomatoes	0.80
onions	0.55	onions	0.55	onions	0.55
broccoli	1.67	broccoli	1.67	broccoli	1.67
spinach	1.99	spinach	1.99	spinach	1.99
Total £74.68		Total £65.90		Total £59.05	

Tom rounds each bill **to the nearest £10** and then adds them up.

What is the total amount that Tom gets?

£

1 mark

Mary adds up the three bills **exactly**. What is the total difference between her total and Tom's total?

Show your method

2 marks

Circle the two **determiners** in the sentence below.

In an hour, we will be getting on our train.

1 mark

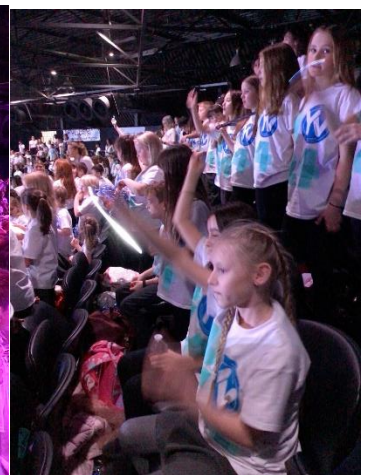


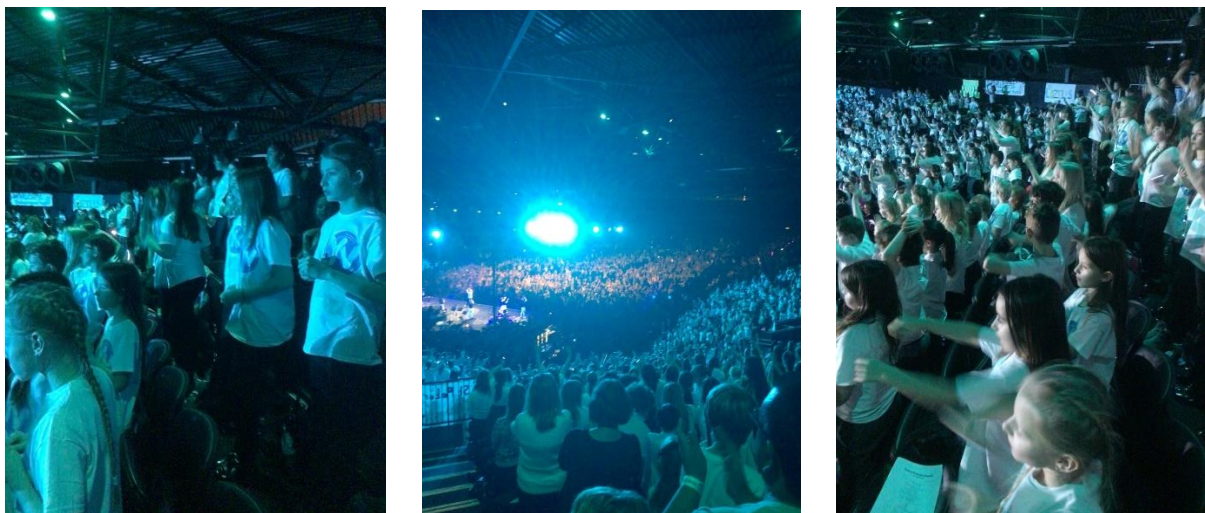
YOUNG VOICES

Our Young Voices choir have worked so hard over the past four months in preparation for the Young Voices concert. We had an absolutely brilliant time on Tuesday and wanted to share some photos of our day with

you all. Thank you so much to the adults who travelled to Birmingham and back to cheer on your children, I know they were so happy to have you there! Myself, Mrs Oakley, Mrs McNally, Mrs Fairweather and Miss McCormick were so impressed with both the singing and the behaviour of the children on the day. It was a long day, but they definitely did us proud. Well done YV team!

Miss Keane 😊





House points

This week	Caer Caradoc 671	Haughmond 569	Stiperstones 717	Wrekin 592
So far this term...	2010	1997	1915	2109

Weekly winners!

Well done, Stiperstones!

Termy winners so far!

Well done, Wrekin!

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event
Friday 22 nd December	February Half Term Holiday Club - Bookings open
Friday 19 th January	Dental Nurses visiting Reception – postponed to February – date to be confirmed
Tuesday 30 th January	Firefighters visiting Reception
Friday 2 nd February	February Half Term Holiday Club – Bookings close
Friday 9 th February	PD Day – Open for wrap around holiday club
Monday 12 th February	Half Term – Open for wrap around holiday club

Monday 11 th March – Friday 22 nd March	Learning Conference Fortnight – details to follow
Wednesday 20 th March	Year 4 visit to Wroxeter
Monday 25 th March	Easter Holidays
Monday 8 th April	Summer term begins
Monday 6 th May	Bank holiday
Friday 24 th May	PD Day
Monday 27 th May	Half Term
Monday 22 nd July	PD Day
Tuesday 23 rd July	Summer holidays