



**St Peter's
CE Primary School
Bratton**

NEWSLETTER

Friday 21st June 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a week of trips and visits this week. Reception visited Weston Park and had a super time, Year 4 explored the Tudors at Shrewsbury museum, Year 1 went to Blists Hill and Year 6 have had a visiting theatre company.

Next week, we have Key Stage 1 sports day. Let's hope the rain holds off this time! Followed by St Peter's day on Friday.

I hope you all have a super weekend.

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Head Teacher

UPDATES AND INFORMATION:

Inspiring Digital Enterprise Award (iDEA)

The Duke of York Inspiring Digital Enterprise Award (iDEA) is a programme that helps young people and adults develop digital, enterprise and employability skills for free. Through their series of online challenges and events, iDEA learners are awarded a digital badge for every new skill mastered and earn points towards industry recognised awards. These badges are flexible and fun, and they cover a wide range of bite size topics from cyber security and video editing, to coding.

This term, Year 5 and 6 are being introduced to the award scheme through our Computing lessons. As our pupils are under 13, we would appreciate your support in helping them to sign up online. To give permission, simply follow the instructions on screen to input your email address.

We would also like to invite parents/carers and all members of the community to get involved with the programme too if they wish to do so. It's a fun, flexible (and free) programme if you want to develop new skills or simply learn more about the digital world. Many employers and universities make use of the programme; it's not just for students. If you would like to get involved, visit the iDEA website (<https://idea.org.uk>) or view the attached iDEA programme booklet.

Online Safety:

We have previously highlighted online safety information to parents. Although shared before, this page explains the minimum age as set by the maker and risks associated with certain apps.

<https://www.net-aware.org.uk/#> examples include:

Whatsapp – 16+

Instagram – 13+

Snapchat – 13+

Facebook – 13+

Parents (and children) can report concerns about how someone has communicated online with them at <https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/>

Parking:

We've been made aware that some parents are leaving their engines running whilst waiting in the roads around school. Please switch off when waiting, to reduce the amount of pollution around school.

UPDATES FROM THE CLASSES:

This week the Year 3 classes have been busy learning about the Romans. We have done a recount of our excellent trip to Dewa Roman Experience in Chester, practiced shield formations and marching in PE and learned how to use Minecraft so that we can build a Roman city. We have attached two examples of recounts from children in year 3.

Year one enjoyed a fantastic day at Blists Hill on Tuesday. We visited the different houses and were able to compare them to our own using our observational skills. We were fascinated by the differences in the school and had to be on our best behaviour as the teacher told us all about the cane!

The children behaved beautifully throughout the visit and many of the team at Blists Hill commented on how the children listened well and asked thoughtful questions. Well done year one.



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event
Monday 24 th June	Reception September 2019 Induction morning
Tuesday 25 th June	Reception September 2019 Induction morning
Wednesday 26 th June	Rescheduled Reception and KS1 Sports Day
Friday 28 th June	St Peter's Day celebrations
Friday 28 th June	Year 6 Crucial Crew trip
Friday 12 th July	School Fete – details to follow
Tuesday 16 th July	Hopes and Fears Workshop Year 6 – details to follow
Wednesday 17 th July	Leavers Service in school Year 6 pupils and parents only – details to follow
Thursday 18 th July	Year 6 Leavers Service 10am St Peter's Church, Wrockwardine
Friday 19 th July	End of term