

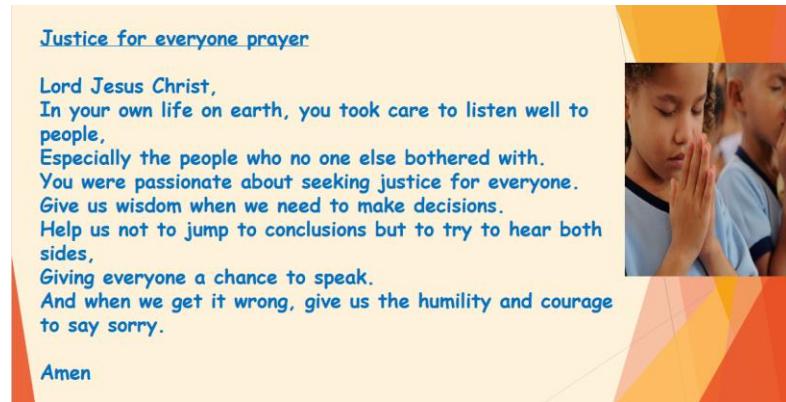
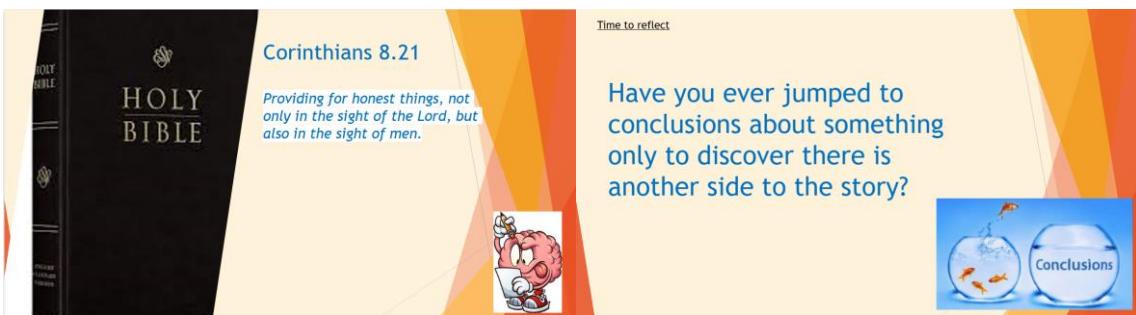


NEWSLETTER

As we finally reach the end of January, there has been a really lovely feel around school. Pupils have continued to be ready, respectful and safe, and several visitors this week have commented on the calm, positive atmosphere across St Peter's. We also took time to acknowledge Holocaust Memorial Day, reflecting on the importance of compassion, remembrance and standing up for what is right. I can't quite believe we have only two weeks left until half-term—this term is certainly flying by!

Our Christian Values

In collective worship this week, we explored 1 Corinthians 1:21 and the idea of *not jumping to conclusions*. The children thought about how easy it is to make a quick guess about a situation without really knowing what's going on. Paul reminds us that God often works in ways we don't expect, so slowing down and looking a little closer can help us see things more clearly. We encouraged the children to pause, ask questions, and stay open-minded—because sometimes, when we don't rush to judge, we discover something kinder, wiser, or more hopeful than we first imagined.



Bratton's Bright Stars



Bratton's Bright Star Award

Awarded 30.01.26

Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 1 Academic	Harlee	For her fantastic Maths this week! She can now recognise amounts up to 10 without counting and match them to numerals. Super job!
Bratton 1 Citizenship	Cloda	Cloda has impressed Mrs Wells with her super Phonics this week. She has shown amazing perseverance and is now blending sounds together to read words. Well done, Cloda!
Bratton 2 Academic	Lucja	For your focus and perseverance in Phonics. You have tried extremely hard to blend new sounds that you have learnt.
Bratton 2 Citizenship	Alfie	For always showing respect to his peers and classroom belongings.
Bratton 3 Academic	Nicky	For demonstrating wonderful Maths work, estimating where numbers go on a number line. You showed great concentration in this lesson.
Bratton 3 Citizenship	Leo	For working hard to maintain the school rules, earning house points and stars on your chart. Well Done Leo
Bratton 4 Academic	Leo	for incredible work with Miss Harris, demonstrating excellent engagement and progress using Colourful Semantics.
Bratton 4 Citizenship	Mollie	For being a fantastic member of the class and for always showing kindness and caring for others.
Bratton 5 Academic	Olivia	Your consistent hard work, positive attitude, and kindness. You are an absolute pleasure to have in our class.
Bratton 5 Citizenship	Archer	Being a kind and caring friend to your peers. You are always there to offer support to those who need it. Well done I am so proud of you.
Bratton 6 Academic	Amber	Working to a very high standard, with excellent presentation, as well as contributing brilliantly to class discussions. Well done.
Bratton 6 Citizenship	Christopher	Being a fantastic role model to others. You are always ready to learn and such a kind friend in everything you do. Well done.
Bratton 7 Academic	Toby	For working incredibly hard in his swimming this week. Toby has been demonstrating the different types of strokes and doing the best diving Miss Jones has ever seen!
Bratton 7 Citizenship	Harriet	For working hard and always being a role model to others inside the classroom. Harriet always displays our school values of ENRICH and it is always a pleasure to teach Harriet.



Bratton's Bright Star Award

Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 8 Academic	Rowan	For completing some brilliant maths work with Mrs Solomon. Rowan really used his amazing times tables knowledge. Well done Rowan you concentrated hard and achieved a lot.
Bratton 8 Citizenship	Tommie	For amazing handwriting, presentation in Maths and general behaviour this week while working with Mrs Solomon. Well done Tommie you are a star.
Bratton 9 Academic	Kate	For always getting on with the job without any fuss and being consistently attentive and imaginative. Well done.
Bratton 9 Citizenship	Issac	For completely changing his attitude to his work and cracking on with the task with absolute minimum fuss. Well done.
Bratton 10 Academic	Delilah	For her times tables test results this week showing amazing progress and growing confidence when learning about mixed numbers. Well done!
Bratton 10 Citizenship	Willow	For always having a fantastic attitude to learning, being ready and respectful to all.
Bratton 11 Academic	Ria	For your excellent piece of writing and wonderful description.
Bratton 11 Citizenship	Evie	For being a fantastic role model to others and always meeting our school rules of Ready, Respectful and Safe.
Bratton 12 Academic	Finley	For focusing on using the skills gained in class within your writing this week. You continue to make great progress every day.
Bratton 12 Citizenship	Harrison	Continuously modelling our rules of ready, respectful and safe around the school and on the playground.
Bratton 13 Academic	Grace	For her improved attitude towards work that she may find tricky - you are now having a go and persevering through challenges!
Bratton 13 Citizenship	Sophia	For showing a great readiness to learn, a respectful manner towards all peers and staff and ensuring she keeps herself and others safe through her words and actions.
Bratton 14 Academic	Mollie	Working quickly and efficiently in Maths, presenting work beautifully in your Maths Book and clearly showing your working out to prove an answer.
Bratton 14 Citizenship	Ibby	Showing readiness to work complete tasks, join in collaborative discussions and for being a dedicated member of the School Council.

Attendance and Punctuality



House Points



School Council Meet our New Catering Manager



This afternoon, our School Council met with Cheryl and Dawn to talk about exciting updates to our school lunch menu and new healthy eating ideas. We're looking forward to seeing the creative suggestions they come up with!



We are delighted to share that, working in partnership with Councillor Kim Tonks, our school has been awarded £3,000 to enhance active play across St Peter's. This grant will allow us to install a range of playground markings on all four of our playgrounds, supplied by [Mark My Play](#) [Playground markings](#) | [School sports markings](#) | [Mark My Play](#). These markings will give pupils more opportunities to be active during break and lunchtime, encouraging games, movement, and imaginative play. They will also support important social skills such as turn-taking and cooperation. The new road track will help children learn about road safety in a fun, practical way, while our EYFS pupils will benefit from activities that develop their gross motor skills. With around 400 children using our outdoor spaces every day, this project will make a lasting difference for many years to come. We are extremely grateful to Councillor Tonks for gifting us this from her allocation.

Have your say on Childcare Provision



Telford and Wrekin have asked us to share the following with you. The Childcare Sufficiency Survey is now open for parents and carers in Telford and Wrekin to share their views, and we would like to hear from you. Your feedback will help shape childcare across Telford & Wrekin, including nurseries, wraparound care, holiday clubs, after-school care and support for younger children. The survey takes just a few minutes to complete.

To take part, please complete the short survey: <https://online1.surveymonkey.com/r/hy7stf>

Pupils We Are Proud Of



Paige received a 1000 piece jigsaw puzzle and has spent the last month working really hard to complete the dolphin puzzle with her family. Paige is very proud, as it has taken a very long time to complete especially with all the blue pieces! Well done Paige 😊



As we come to the end of another busy week, a huge thank-you goes to our wonderful staff for their hard work, energy, and care. Our pupils have been fantastic too—full of enthusiasm, kindness, and curiosity, making St Peter's a joyful place to be each day. Enjoy these last few days of January and have a fantastic weekend. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday.

Mrs Welsh 😊

Parent Maths Sessions

Come and join us for a fun evening of Maths learning.

You will get to understand our calculation policy, learn how we teach the children Maths and have a go at the Maths yourself using practical resources.

Year 1 and 2 Parent Maths Session

Monday 9th February 2026 at 3:30pm

This is a great opportunity for you to learn more about Maths life at school and how best to support your child at home.

Children are welcome at the session.

Please sign up using the following link or QR code:

<https://forms.office.com/e/b25C370gNN>



We have an exciting opportunity where you are able to come into school and learn more about Maths life within our school. This is your opportunity to explore the calculation policy and have a go at the Maths yourselves. We believe these parent maths sessions will both be beneficial for yourselves as parents and the children as you will understand how to support your child better at home. The Year 1/2 parent Maths session will be held on Monday 9th February at 3:30pm.

Please follow the link/scan the QR code in the attached flyer to sign up now.

Year 1

We have continued our learning about the **seven continents**, building on the children's understanding of the world around them. This week, we focused on the continent of **Asia** and learnt that it is the largest continent in the world. We discovered that Asia is home to many **mega cities**, which are cities with very large populations and lots of tall buildings.



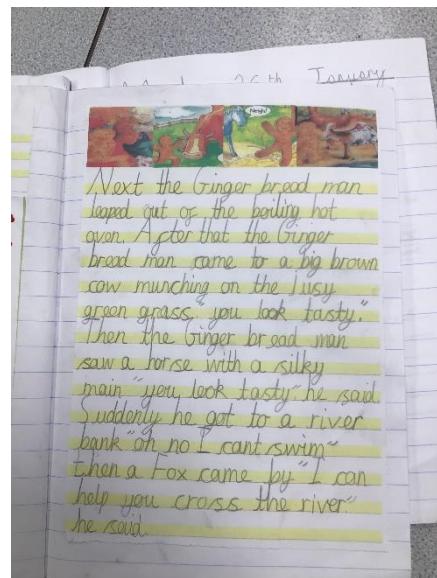
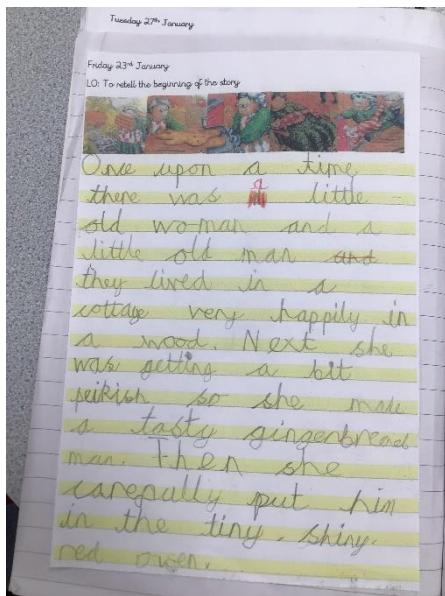
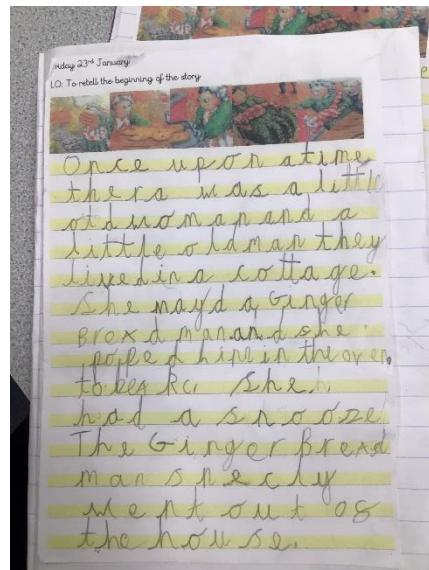
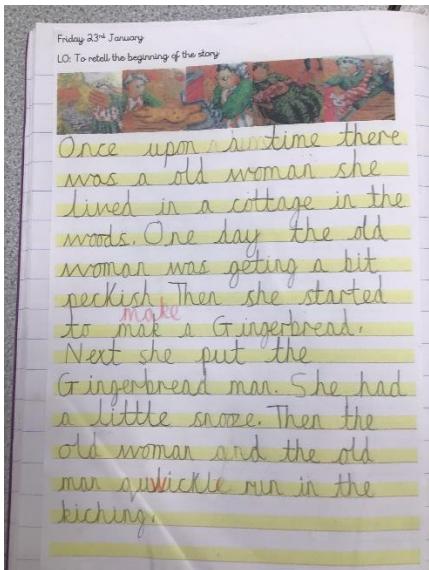
The children enjoyed exploring what makes a city a "mega city". To develop this understanding further, the children worked together to **design and build** their own mega cities using junk modelling materials. They carefully selected materials, shared ideas, and talked about the features they wanted to include.





English

This week, our budding writers have been busy bringing stories to life in the classroom! The children took on the classic tale of The Gingerbread Man and had the exciting task of retelling the story. We are so proud of how our young writers used creativity, sequencing, and expression to write their retell. Their work reminds us that storytelling is not just about reading – it's about imagining and sharing ideas! Look at some of our amazing writing.





After writing our stories, we enjoyed sharing them with our friends. We then shared 1 thing we liked about that persons work. The children loved using expression in their voices to make their stories sound interesting. Well done year 2, we are so proud of you.

Art

The children got to experiment on the different effects that we could create by adding washing up liquid, icing sugar and flour into paint. They loved mixing the icing sugar to create a thick lumpy paste to paint with! The children then created a colour gradient in preparation for our ocean scenes. Check out our amazing paintings. The children are so excited to develop their skills further.





Wraparound

A final reminder that bookings for February half term close on Friday 6th February at 6pm, once this date passes, we are unable to accept any late bookings.

We are open on Friday 13th Feb and the week Monday 16th-Friday 20th Feb.

Future Holiday club dates to note –

The dates for Easter Holiday club are –

Monday 30th March- Thursday 2nd April

Tuesday 7th April- Friday 10th April

The dates for May Holiday club are –

Tuesday 26th May-Friday 29th May

The dates for summer holiday club are –

Monday 20th July- Friday 24th July

Monday 27th July – Friday 31st July

Monday 3rd August – Friday 7th August

Monday 10th August – Friday 14th August

Monday 17th August – Friday 21st August

We are closed the last week of August (24th-28th) and closed bank holiday Monday 31st August.

Tuesday 1st September (PD Day) (open for holiday club)

Back to school Wednesday 2nd September.



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FEbruary SOCCER SCHOOL

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February 2026

Times:
9am to 3pm

Telford College
Haybridge Road, Wellington,
Telford, TF1 2NP

Ages:
Years 1 to 5

WOLVES FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT

To book, visit coaching.wolves.co.uk
or email footballdevelopment@wolves.co.uk
for more information

Little Gannets



Cooking Club Pop-Up!

For kids 5-7
& 7-11

Monday 16 February
KS1 Group: 10-11:30
KS2 Group: 12-1:30
Admaston House, TF5 0BN

For more information
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Diary Dates

[Diary Dates for 2025 2026](#)

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