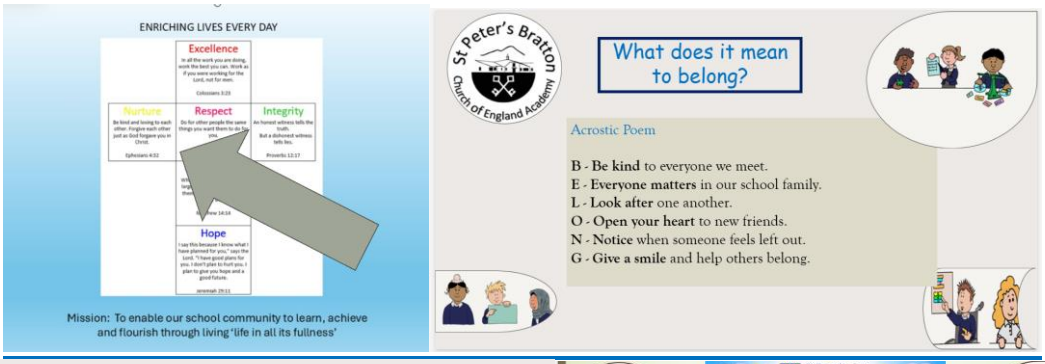
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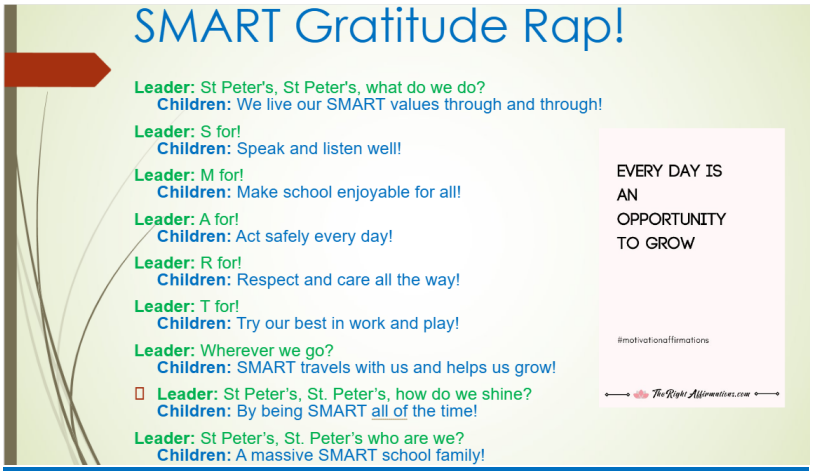


What a busy and exciting first week back it has been at St Peter's! The children have returned to school with enthusiasm and have settled back into their learning exceptionally well. This week, we launched our new SMART Behaviour Curriculum, helping everyone understand how we can *Speak and listen well, Make school enjoyable for all, Act safely, Respect and care for everything, and Try our best*. It has also been wonderful to welcome families into school for our Learning Conferences, where we have shared children's achievements and discussed their next steps. Thank you for your continued support as we work together to ensure every child thrives.

Christian Values

Our Christian Value this term is Nurture. We have been exploring the theme of belonging through the story of The Lost Sheep, thinking about how we can help everyone in our school family feel welcomed, valued and included. This links closely to our SMART values and our commitment to ensuring everyone knows they belong at St Peter's. We have also been starting to learn our st. Peter's SMART Rap.





Attendance and Punctuality

Third Place 	99.48% B12	5 Minutes Free Time
Second Place 		10 Minutes Free Time
First Place 	99.52% JOINT B4 & B8	15 Minutes Free Time



5 Minutes Free Time

Classes with 0 Lates

B6 B7

B14 B8

Bratton's Bright Stars



Bratton's Bright Star Award

Awarded 06.11.26

Class	Pupil (First Name)	*Reason why a Bratton Bright Star*
Bratton 1 Academic	Billy	For always trying your best and having a go. Billy is always positive when completing new tasks. Keep working hard!
Bratton 1 Citizenship	Arthur	For working hard to be SMART. Arthur has been making super choices this week and being a kind friend in Reception.
Bratton 2 Academic	Jesse	For his brilliant can-do attitude to his learning this week. Jesse has tried so hard to recognise and form the sounds that we have learned in Phonics.
Bratton 2 Citizenship	Millie	For being polite and friendly to all the adults around our school. You have wonderful manners!
Bratton 3 Academic	Harry	For his consistent positive attitude to learning and always trying his best.
Bratton 3 Citizenship	Isabelle	For her growth in confidence and building her resilience.
Bratton 4 Academic	Cataleya	For her positive attitude to learning in writing this week and exploring vocabulary from our story The Gingerbread Man.
Bratton 4 Citizenship	Eabha	For her brilliant attitude to her learning this week, being super helpful, respectful and caring in class!
Bratton 5 Academic	Miran	Your excellent answers about The Great Fire of London during our English lesson. Well done.
Bratton 5 Citizenship	Harriet	Always looking out for others and such a great help around the classroom. You're a star!
Bratton 6 Academic	Lucas	For working so hard in maths this week. You are doing brilliantly and that is all because of the effort and focus you show! Well done, Lucas!
Bratton 6 Citizenship	Rosie	For being so kind, polite and friendly towards others - adults and children alike. Keep being you, Rosie!
Bratton 7 Academic	Harry	For showing dedication and perseverance towards his learning. Harry has put an incredible amount of effort into his Maths work this week and has made wonderful progress in understanding column addition and subtraction.
Bratton 7 Citizenship	Lainey	For consistently demonstrating our school values. Lainey is always kind, helpful and keen to please. She can always be relied upon to set an example of a positive attitude towards learning and support those around her.

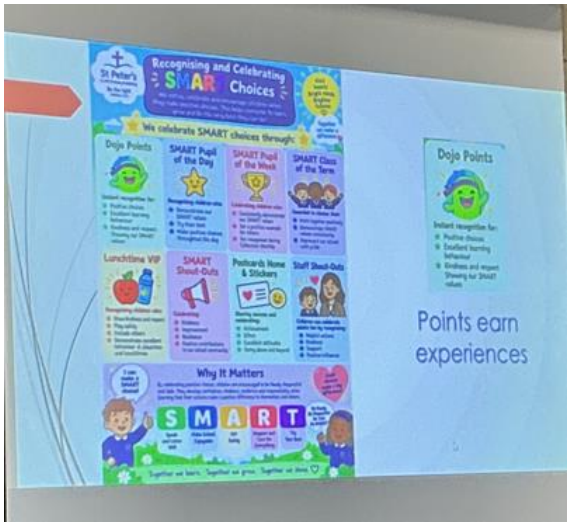
Bratton's Bright Star Award

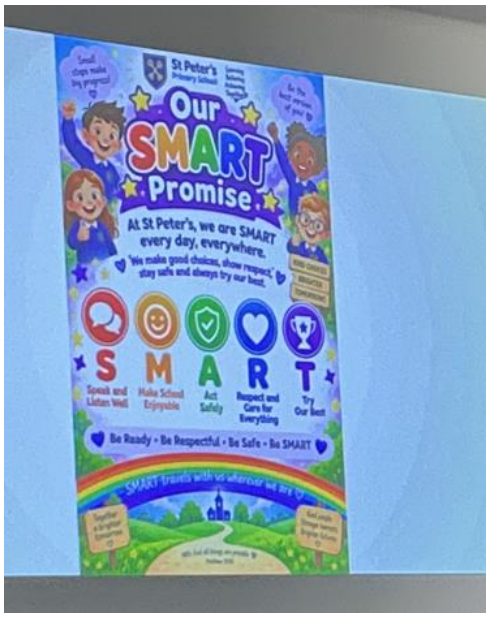
Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 8 Academic	Charley	For consistent high-quality work in all subjects that blows us away every week. To top this off, it's always done with a smile on her face 😊.
Bratton 8 Citizenship	Ewan	For being brave enough to show his writing talents off to a huge audience and showcase just what a student at St Peter's can do. Ewan has written a short story for the 500 words competition that will keep you on the edge of your seat and falling off your seat with laughter.
Bratton 9 Academic	Ava D	For consistently working hard and trying your best in every lesson. Well done Ava!
Bratton 9 Citizenship	Ava W	For always being respectful and kind to other children and adults around school. Well done Ava!
Bratton 10 Academic	Liyanah	For consistently showing a positive attitude towards your learning. Well done!
Bratton 10 Citizenship	Henry	For being respectful to all the adults around our school. You take your time to use your manners politely. Thank you for being such a polite member of our class!
Bratton 11 Academic	Eleanor	For working exceptionally hard when answering multi-step questions this week. You have shown fantastic determination and perseverance. Well done!
Bratton 11 Citizenship	Jessica	For always ensuring that you are being respectful towards others.
Bratton 12 Academic	Millie	For her consistent positive attitude in Math's and always trying her best. Well done!
Bratton 12 Citizenship	Toby	For always showing our three school rules of being 'Ready, Respectful and Safe', especially in PE this week. Well done!
Bratton 13 Academic	Finley	For showing an improvement and taking more pride in his presentation of work which in turn is improving his outcomes.
Bratton 13 Citizenship	Jeevan	For being respectful to all members of the school community and showing others around school how to be 'Ready, Respectful and Safe'.
Bratton 14 Academic	Jessica	Excellent work in History – your presentation was superb too!
Bratton 14 Citizenship	Evie	Consistently showing great care and consideration for others and demonstrating an excellent example for everyone in her class.

SMART

There has been such a wonderful buzz around school this week as we launched our new Be SMART behaviour curriculum. The children have embraced it with enthusiasm, earning Dojos, being recognised as Pupil of the Day, and collecting tickets for our exciting VIP Lunch Raffle by showing our SMART values throughout the day.

I am especially looking forward to Monday, when we will celebrate our very first SMART Pupils of the Week who will enter the SMART hall of fame, and welcome our first VIP Lunch guests. It has been lovely to see so many children making positive choices and encouraging one another to be their very best. We can't wait to share and celebrate our winners with you in next week's newsletter!





St Peter's Church of England Primary Academy

SMART Behaviour

A Guide for the Families of St Peter's Bratton

Working Together to Help Every Child Thrive

Small SMART choices make a BIG difference!

Kind People Bright Futures

Believe
Belong
Be the Best
Be Bratton

Speak and Listen Well



- Listen carefully
- Use kind words
- Follow instructions
- Take turns
- Resolve disagreements calmly

Make School Enjoyable



- Include everyone
- Show kindness
- Be a good friend
- Play cooperatively
- Help others feel welcome and valued

Act Safely



- Make safe choices
- Follow school expectations
- Keep yourself and others safe
- Ask for help when needed
- Make sensible choices online and offline

Respect and Care for Everything



- Respect people
- Care for property
- Look after our environment
- Show good manners
- Represent St Peter's proudly

Try Your Best



- Keep going when it's difficult
- Learn from mistakes
- Show resilience
- Take pride in effort
- Aim high and be proud of your achievements

At Home You Can Help

Encourage your child to:

- Pack and carry their own school bag (with support when needed)
- Organise their belongings
- Wear the correct school uniform and PE kit
- Arrive ready for learning every day
- Leave toys, fidgets and unnecessary items at home
- Take increasing responsibility as they grow
- Show good manners and respect
- Speak positively about school and our staff



Ready for School, ready for success!

At Lunchtime We Are SMART

Children are encouraged to:

- Use good manners
- Say please and thank you
- Sit sensibly while eating
- Use a knife and fork where appropriate
- Include others in games
- Play safely and fairly
- Leave eating areas tidy
- Respect lunchtime staff and equipment



Good food
Good friends
Bright days!

SMART Travels With Us

We show SMART values:

- At school
- At home
- At clubs and activities
- Online
- In the community
- On visits and trips
- Wherever we are!



Same choices
Brighter futures!

Working Together

Children thrive when school and home work in partnership. If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to us – we are here to help.

Together we make a difference

Our Christian Foundation

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart."
Colossians 3:23

We encourage every child to approach learning, relationships and responsibilities with commitment, perseverance and integrity.

The St Peter's Pupil

By the end of Year 6, our pupils are:

- Confident communicators
- Kind and inclusive
- Safe and responsible
- Resilient and independent learners
- Respectful citizens
- Leaders and role models
- Ready for the future

Be Ready • Be Respectful • Be Safe • Be SMART

SMART travels with us wherever we are.

A Brighter
Kinder
Fairer
World

Reception Open Day



Harvest Festival



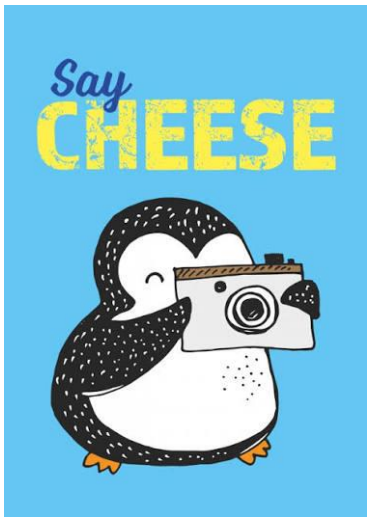
On Tuesday, Steve from Telford Food Bank visited school to collect the generous donations from our school community, with members of the Worship Council helping to support the collection. We are incredibly grateful for the kindness shown by our families. Steve shared that food banks are increasingly having to fundraise to purchase essential items, making donations like ours even more important. While at school, he received a call to support a local family in Bratton and was able to use some of our donations to put together an emergency food package straight away. It was wonderful to hear how our contributions are making a real difference to families in our community. By supporting the Food Bank, our children have been living out our Christian value of Nurture, acting as agents of change and helping others feel cared for, valued and supported.

Remembrance Service



On Wednesday, we will come together for our annual Remembrance Service as we pause to remember those who have served and sacrificed in times of conflict. In class, children will be learning about the importance of Remembrance and reflecting on the values of peace, gratitude and hope. Thank you to everyone who has already supported the Poppy Appeal through their generous donations. Your kindness and support are greatly appreciated.

School Photographs



We are looking forward to welcoming our school photographer on Wednesday for individual pupil photographs. Families are also warmly invited to the school hall from 8:30am for family photographs. Please enter through the main office entrance. We hope you are able to join us and capture some special family memories.

Pupils We Are Proud Of



Ewan has written a short story for the 500 words competition. We wish him the best of luck. Well done 😊

Head Teacher's Award YR - Y2 Autumn 1 2026

- B1 Hamdallah & Louie
- B2 Alfie & Flynn
- B3 Sienna & Tula
- B4 Finley & Luca
- B5 Harriet & Jacob
- B6 George & Sofia



Head Teacher's Award Y3 - Y6 Autumn 1 2026

- B7 Jeremy & Mariyam
- B8 Mis & Elijah
- B9 Tommie & Una
- B10 Dimitri & Millie
- B11 Ischia & Ezra
- B12 Andrea & Toby H
- B13 Aiden & Willow
- B14 Emily & Richard



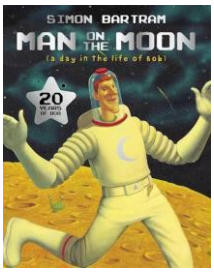
As we head into the weekend, I would like to wish all our families a wonderful Bonfire Weekend. Whether you are attending a display or celebrating at home, please stay safe and take care.

A huge thank you also to the Friends PTA for their continued support, including running the Uniform Shop. Their hard work and dedication help provide valuable support for our school community and are greatly appreciated. Have a lovely weekend, and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday!

Mrs Welsh 😊 xx





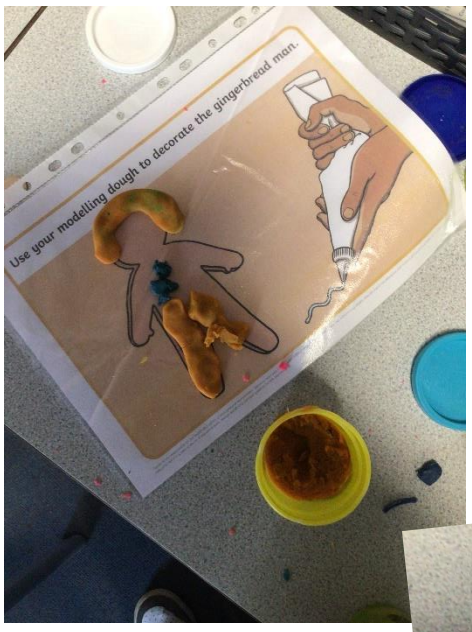


This week we have started reading The Man on the Moon. Our classroom turned into a spaceship, and we all travelled to space. We saw astronauts, the moon, stars and even aliens! We then completed some role play activities – acting out the story as either Bob or the aliens!

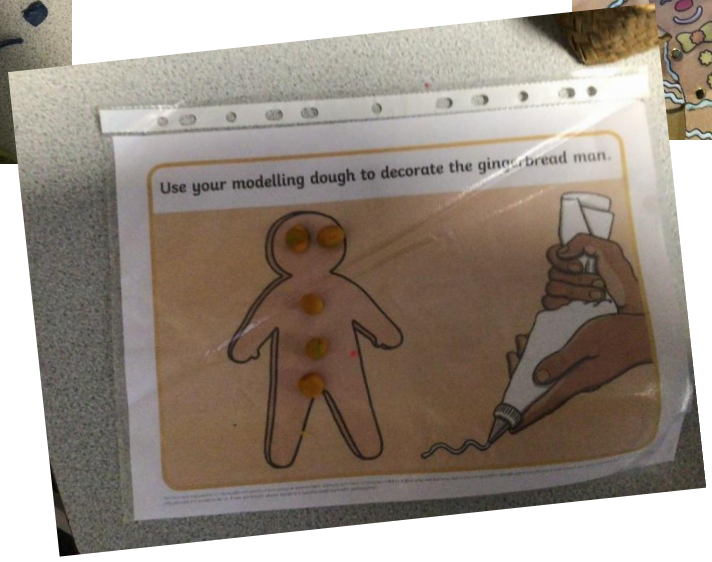
We have also been celebrating Bonfire Night this week. We discussed the history behind Bonfire Night, how people choose to celebrate and how to stay safe too!



This week, we introduced our new story, **The Gingerbread Man**. We enjoyed role-playing different parts of the story and using play dough to create gingerbread characters. We also made split-pin gingerbread men and talked about the characters and events in the story. These fun activities helped us become familiar with the story while developing our creativity, communication skills, and fine motor skills.







Friends of St Peters

Follow the link to see all the events planned by our Friends

Friends of St Peter's | St Peter's Bratton, Church of England Academy


Countdown to Christmas
PUPPETS
STORIES
SONGS
Crafts
Come and help us make a Living Advent Calendar
5TH DECEMBER 10 AM TO 12 NOON
St Peters Church, Wrockwardine
Fun

Diary Dates

Diary Dates for 2026 2027

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