

Trinity Academy St Peter's School Newsletter

15th October 2021



Trinity Academy St. Peter's

9 St Peter's Avenue, Sowerby Bridge, Halifax, HX6 1HB

Term dates

Closes: 15th October 2021 Closed: Inset day 1st November 2021

Opens: 2nd November 2021

Closes: 17th December 2021

Closed Inset day 4th January 2022

Opens: 5th January 2022

Closes: 18th February 2022

Closed Inset day 28th February 2022

Opens: 1st March 2022

Closes: 8th April 2022

Opens: 19th April 2022

May Day 2nd May 2022

Closes: 27th May 2022

Opens 6th June 2022

Closed Inset day 24th June 2022 Closes: 22nd July 2022

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Trinity Academy St Peter's Awards

What a brilliant start to the new academic year we have had! I am so proud of each and every one of our school community: of the things learned, the friendships made, the games played and the conversations had. Have a safe and happy half term break and I will see you all again on November 2nd.

Mrs. Dawson





Harvest Festival

Thank you to everybody who contributed to our Harvest Festival this year. I am sure that you will agree that the children were excellent in their presentations in church and that they made the whole school proud. Thank you to our neighbors at Grass Roots Nursery who attended the service and also contributed to the service. We collected a huge array of food and other items that will be donated to various foodbanks in Halifax so once again, thank you for your generosity.

<u>Attendance</u>

W/C 11/10/21

1st Y3/4 97.52%

2nd Y1/2 96.71

3rd R 95.28%

4th Y6 93.21

5th Y5 90.00%

Well done Class 6!

Parents should call the office on **01422 831971** to report a pupil absent. This should be done on the 1st day of absence and all subsequent days.

PE Dates

Reception – Friday Class 1/2– Monday Class 3/4– Monday Class 5– Swimming Monday Class 6– Tuesday



Visit our website for further information: https://stpeters.trinitymat.org

Reception Open Events

Our Reception Open Events were a huge success and we enjoyed welcoming new children through the doors. Following the Principal's Welcome, families were invited to meet Miss Kitson and explore the EYFS classroom as well as take a tour of the grounds. The cherry on top was the chance to taste some of our fantastic food made by our chef, which I think it is safe to say went down extremely well! It was lovely to have so many new faces in school and we hope to see you all again in September. Please see below for information on how to apply for a place at Trinity Academy St Peter's.

Your child is eligible for a place in Reception class from September 2022, if they were born between: 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018. You can apply online from 19th November 2021 to 15th January 2022 (closing date)

For more details, please read <u>Primary Booklet 2022 (calderdale.gov.uk)</u> and <u>Citizen Portal - Sign in</u> (calderdale.gov.uk)

National Offer Day-19 April 2022

A note from Mrs. Sutton, Chair of Governors

I spent a morning in our school quite recently, and was very impressed by the calm and purposeful atmosphere in every classroom I visited. This was underpinned by the high standards of behaviour from all the children. They were engaged in their learning and were working really hard. Those I spoke to were incredibly polite and respectful. The class who were having their morning break were having great fun playing with the playtime equipment that had just arrived, and were clearly very happy, whilst still observing the high expectations of behaviour set by the school staff. When they returned to class, they did so in an orderly and calm way. It was really lovely to see.

My overall impression from my visit to Trinity St. Peter's is a very positive one. As Chair of Governors, as a retired Headteacher, but most importantly as a Nana to two pupils who attend this school, I can fully recommend TASP. If you are looking for a school that values your child, and is committed to providing an excellent, all round education that enables every child to flourish both academically and socially, then look no further than TASP.

Breakfast Club/Out of School Club

We are delighted that numbers are rising in our wraparound care so please ensure that you have booked a place for your child if you are needing to access this provision. Thank you.

Inset day

I just wanted to take this time to remind all parents and carers that Monday 1st November is a staff inset day. The children return to school on Tuesday 2nd November.

<u>Coats</u>

As the colder days draw closer, please ensure that your child has a coat with them every day. We aim to get outside whatever the weather so it is imperative that your children have a coat and are wrapped up warm. Thank you.

<u>Awards</u>

Here at Trinity Academy St Peter's rewards are used to recognise the hard work and positive attitude displayed by pupils. Pupils are awarded Gold, Silver and Bronze badges when they achieve a certain number of achievement points. The following children have earned over 125 APs and have achieved their Bronze badge.

Summer C , Millie G-B, Sienna H, Mira K, Hollie Jo S, Kayden S, Isaac W

A big well done to you all!

Halloween Safety

All the children are getting super excited about Halloween! You may have seen the safety warnings on various social media platforms this month so I wanted to take the opportunity to share them on our school newsletter:

1. Carry glow sticks or flashlights, use reflective tape or stickers on costumes and bags, and wear light colours to help children see and be seen by drivers.

2. Join children under age 12 for trick-or-treating.

3. Slow down and be alert! Children are excited on Halloween and may dart into the street. Turn on headlights early in the day to spot kids from further away.

4. Remind children to cross the road at crossing points.

5. When selecting a costume, make sure it is the right size to prevent trips and falls. Choose face paint over masks when possible. Masks can limit children's vision.

School Photo's – Tuesday 16th November

On Tuesday 16th November, the photographer will be in school to take the pupils' photographs which will be available for you to purchase at a later date. He will be taking both individual and sibling photos, along with a whole class picture.

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