



# Trinity Academy St Peter's

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## School Newsletter

17 November 2023

### Trinity Academy St. Peter's

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

#### Term dates

##### 2023/2024

Closes: 22 December 2023

Closed: Inset Day 8 January  
2024

**Opens: 9 January 2024**

Closes: 9 February 2024

**Opens: 19 February 2024**

Closes: 28 March 2024

Closed: Inset Day 8 April  
2024

**Opens: 9 April 2024**

Closed: May Day 6 May  
2024

Closes: 24 May 2024

**Opens: 3 June 2024**

Closes: 19 July 2024

Closed: Inset Day 22 July  
2024

##### 2024/2025

Closed: Inset Day 2  
September 2024

**Opens: 3 September 2024**



### Trinity Academy St Peter's Awards



**Reception - Fletcher S** - for an amazing attitude to learning this week in ALL areas of the curriculum. He's persevered and tried really hard in Drawing Club, Maths and Phonics this week and we are so proud of him! Keep it up!

**Year 1 - Addison E** - for some brilliant work in music this week. She really got involved with the lesson and was thinking very carefully about the different instruments we could hear.

**Year 2 - Avianna D** - for trying really hard to make good choices this week at school. She has shared some lovely ideas with the class and has been a wonderful role model during our nativity rehearsals.

**Year 3 - Hugo T** - for taking greater responsibility for his learning this week. Well done!

**Year 4 - Aiden G** - for always doing the right thing and upholding the TASP core values.

**Year 5 - Fletcher W** - for his excellent attitude to work and being such a polite young man who is a pleasure to have in our school. He always displays our school values and showed kindness when he brought extra clothes in for his classmates to keep warm on Bikeability.

**Year 6 - Shana VR** - for her perseverance while riding a bike on the Bikeability course this week. She showed resilience and supported her classmates showing what a good role model she is.

### Attendance

W/C 13/11/23

1st Reception **95.83%**

2nd Year 5/6 **92.89%**

3rd Year 1/2 **92.50%**

4th Year 3/4 **89.93%**

**Well done  
Reception!**

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 Days

**Monday PM - Y6**

**Monday PM - Y5**  
Swimming

**Tuesday PM - Year 1/2**

**Wednesday PM -**  
Reception

**Thursday PM - Year**  
3/4



Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
1st - Jessica S	1st - Reagan C	1st - Cole S
2nd - Harriet F	2nd - Poppy GB	2nd - Macy H
3rd - George B	3rd - Hope F	3rd - Caiden R
Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
1st - Theron T	1st - Jayden S	1st - Casey H
2nd - Elijah F	2nd - Kenley D	2nd - Finn N
3rd - Jack P	3rd - Mia F	3rd - JJ R

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Thank you, Mr. Brown and the St Peter's team.

## Other news and reminders this week



### Odd Socks Day

Monday kicked off Anti-Bullying week with Odd Socks Day.

It is really important to us at TASP to talk about bullying and to educate the children about the implications and what we can do to prevent it.

Odd Socks Day is to raise awareness and this year we were aiming to “make a noise about bullying!”. Lots of children came to school in odd socks, and we would like to thank them all for participating. Watch this space for an update on our new Anti-Bullying Ambassadors!



### Children in Need - Be SPOTacular!

Friday brought us Children in Need Day, where children donned their best spotty or non-uniform clothes to support this wonderful cause.



Thank you for all of your generous donations. We have raised a grand total of **£63!**

You can see where your donations go by visiting [www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk](http://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk).

Have a look at some of our fabulous children today.



### Bikeability

This week our Year 5 and Year 6 children have been taking part in a Bikeability Course at school. This has run alongside Road Safety week. Year 6 kicked off their course on Monday and Tuesday, with Year 5 following on Wednesday and Thursday.

The first day of the course was all about learning about their bike, and showing that they understood the basics to the instructors.

Day 2 saw some of the children get taken around the local area in small groups with the instructors. In order to progress to day 2, children had to show that they had the road safety awareness skills to take part.

Everyone had so much fun, learned new skills and the children loved the course. They all received a certificate and badge for taking part - well done to everyone!



### Christmas Raffle

We will be running our annual Christmas raffle again this year, with our colour coded prize boxes. We have asked Reception and Year 1/2 to donate **green** items, Year 3/4 to donate **red** items, and Year 5/6 to donate **gold** or **yellow** items. These items will then make up 3 fantastic hampers. All donations should be brought to school by **Wednesday 13 December**. Raffle tickets will go on sale from **Monday 4 December**. We will be hosting a coffee morning on **Wednesday 20 December** before our Christmas church service and the raffle will be drawn then.



Mrs. James is also asking for donations of tombola prizes and old toys for the PTFG Christmas Fair. Please bring anything to school by **Friday 8 December**. Thank you, in advance, for your kind donations!

### Sports Hall Athletics @RVHS

On Thursday, some of our KS2 children took part in a Mixed Sports Hall Athletics event at Ryburn. They took part in lots of different track and field events such as hurdles, relays, long jump and javelin.

Everyone performed outstandingly well. Their behaviour and sporting attitude was a credit to TASP. They had a superb morning having fun with friends and learning new skills!



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### School Photos

It was school photo day on Tuesday and all proofs should have been sent home already. This includes individual photos, sibling photos and external family photos.

Please place orders direct with Tempest via the method requested on the forms. If you have requested that your pictures are delivered to school then Mrs. Riley will notify you when they have arrived.



### Out of School Achievements

This week we are celebrating **Ben. S** and **Megan S!**

They both took part in The Marshall's School of Music's second Battle of the Bands on Saturday night. Megan was up first, fronting her band Seat. They played Linkin Park's Numb.

Ben's band, the Rocksters, played Teenagers by My Chemical Romance and Song 2 by Blur.

They absolutely rocked the stage and everyone had a great night! Well done Ben and Megan!



### EYFS/KS1 Nativity

Our Nativity is set to take place on **Tuesday 19 December**. We are hoping to have a matinee performance at **1:30pm** and an evening performance at **5:30pm**.

All children in EYFS and KS1 are busy practising for this, and have all been allocated parts. If possible, they should try to practise their lines and the songs as much as they can at home.

More information will be sent out next week in terms of how to request tickets, and more details about what to expect.



### Key Dates - Term 2

- **20 November** - Parents Evening **4:30pm—7pm**
- **21 November** - Parents Evening **3:30pm—6pm**
- **22 November** - Drop Everything And Read **9am**
- **23 November** - Y1 Indoor Athletics @RVHS **9:30am—11:15am**
- **23 November** - Flu Immunisations **from 1pm**
- **23 November** - The Adam Heslop Cup @3Gi Soccer **11:30am—2pm**
- **29 November** - EYFS/KS1 PTFG Secret Santa Shop **3:15pm—4:15pm**
- **30 November** - KS2 PTFG Secret Santa Shop **3:15pm—4:15pm**
- **1 December** - St Peter's Church Xmas Fair **6:30pm**
- **7 December** - Christmas Jumper Day
- **7 December** - Overgate Hospice Reindeer Run
- **13 December** - Christmas Dinner Day
- **14 December** - PTFG Christmas Fair **from 2pm**
- **18 December** - Nativity Dress Rehearsal
- **19 December** - Nativity **1:30pm & 5:30pm**
- **20 December** - Coffee Morning **8:45am** then Christmas Church Service @St Peter's Church **9:30am**

### After School Clubs

- **PTFG Arts & Crafts Club** - Monday 3:20pm—4:20pm (**FULL**)
- **KS2 Drama Club** - Tuesday 3:20pm—5pm
- **Y6 Achieve** - Wednesday 3:20pm—4:20pm
- **KS2 Family Art Club** - Wednesday 3:20pm—4:20pm
- **Young Voices Choir** - Thursday 3:20pm—4:20pm (KS2)
- **Science Club** - Thursday 3:20pm—4:20pm (Y2 to Y6)
- **KS2 Football Club with Halifax Town** - Friday 3:20pm—4:20pm
- **TASP Choir** - Friday 3:20pm—4:20pm (ALL)



**Reminder School Dinners - Week 3 w/c 20 November NEW MENU**



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