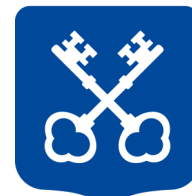


Trinity Academy St Peter's

"Believe you can. Strive for excellence. Stand proud."

School Newsletter

20 September 2024



Trinity Academy St.
Peter's

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

Term dates

2024/2025

Closes: 18 October 2024

Opens: 4 November 2024

Closed: **INSET** Day 29
November 2024

Closes: 20 December
2024

Closed: **INSET** Day 6
January 2025

Closed: **INSET** Day 7
January 2025

Opens: 8 January 2025

Closes: 13 February 2025

Closed: **INSET** Day 14
February 2025

Opens: 24 February 2025

Closes: 10 April 2025

Closed: **INSET** Day 11 April
2025

Opens: 22 April 2025

Closed: 5 May 2025 Bank
Holiday

Closes: 23 May 2025

Opens: 2 June 2025

Closed: **INSET** 25 June
2025

Closes: 22 July 2025



Trinity Academy St Peter's Awards



Reception - Gracie G - for always following our school rules and showing respect by listening to grown-ups and peers. Gracie has also demonstrated super sitting during carpet time and is enthusiastic towards learning. She is a role model to other students.

Year 1 - Charlie S - for settling into school life at St Peter's amazingly. It is clear to see that he is loving school and is already making so much progress. His resilient and cheerful attitude makes us all smile!

Year 2 - Marli B - for showing great maturity and having an amazing start to Year 2. He is becoming a very independent learner and is showing role model behaviours. Keep up the hard work!

Year 3 - Elijah SK - for showing incredible resilience and determination this week. He is always keen to help his friends. His work is always of a very high standard and his creativity is fabulous. Keep it up young man!

Year 4 - Lacey & Lottie G - Both girls have worked incredibly hard since the very beginning of this week and this school year. They are incredibly keen to help, always contribute in class and have made a genuine effort to push themselves. Well done!

Year 5 - Ellie-Mae F - for her excellent effort in all lessons. She always gives 100%, she asks for help if she needs it and always volunteers answers in class discussions.

Year 6 - Max M - for being an excellent role model. At playleader training, he had some excellent ideas and his behaviour was exemplary.



<u>Year 3</u>	<u>Year 4</u>	<u>Year 5</u>	<u>Year 6</u>
1st - Martha M	1st - Macy H	1st - Theron T	1st - Max M
2nd - Reagan C	2nd - Lottie G	2nd - Jacob B	2nd - Melissa R
3rd - Emelia B	3rd - Cole B	3rd - Finn B	3rd - Jack S

Attendance

W/C 16/09/24

1st Reception **97.14%**

2nd Year 5/6 **93.55%**

3rd Year 3/4 **93.33%**

4th Year 1/2 **90.37%**

**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.

Please leave a
message if no one
answers your call.



PE Days

Monday PM - Year 3/4
(Swimming)

Monday PM - Year 5/6

Wednesday PM -
Reception

Friday PM - Year 1/2



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

Other news and reminders this week

Play Leaders Training

On Thursday, we sent some of our Year 6 children to Ryburn to take part in a Play Leaders training event.

At TASP, we take our leadership roles very seriously, so it was great to give our Play Leaders some extra training so that they can fulfil their roles to the best of their ability. We want our Year 6 children to set a precedent for leadership and behaviour in the playground at break and dinner times, so this was a perfect opportunity for some of our children to hone these skills. **#StriveForExcellence** At the training event, they talked about how to be good leaders and had to come up with games they could play using equipment such as parachutes, hoops, balls etc. Each child then had a turn at being a leader in a group.

Thank you Ryburn for having us again!



KS2 Running Club

Mrs. Taylor will be offering a running club to all KS2 children on a lunchtime starting from next week. Children do not need to sign up, but can just bring their PE kit and running shoes if they would like to participate.



Mrs. Taylor will try to hold the club a couple of times a week in the run up to the cross country event being held at Ryburn on **Thursday 10 October**. She will also hopefully be taking them out in all weathers, so please make sure they bring something appropriate to wear should we have adverse weather. They can leave any PE clothing in school whilst the club is ongoing so that it is here ready if needed.

Come and join our PTFG!

Our PTFG are on the lookout for lots more helping hands this academic year. We'd love for any parents/carers, friends or family to join us.

What would you need to do? Just bring yourself along to any meetings, help contribute to fundraising and event ideas and maybe donate a little bit of your time to help out with these. We'll provide the refreshments at the meetings!

Please speak to Mrs. James if you are interested in helping out.



Jeans for Genes Day

Today we raised money for Jeans for Genes Day. Thank you to everyone who came in wearing jeans and donated to this worthy cause. Look out for how much we raised in next week's newsletter.

For more information on this charity, please visit www.jeansforgenes.org.



Out of School Achievements

This week, we'd like to give a big TASP shout out to two of our students.

Firstly, congratulations to **Addison HS!**

Addison took part in the Overgate Midnight Walk last weekend to raise vital funds for this amazing charity.

At the end of the night he received a medal and a certificate for taking part. Well done Addison!

Secondly, well done to **Ada B!**

Over the summer, Ada has been growing giant sunflowers. She planted them from seed and watered them to help them grow. She then helped to plant them in the garden and even helped to tie them to the canes when they got too big to stand on their own.

You are a fantastic gardener, Ada!

If your child has any achievements to share, please let us know so we can share these on our weekly newsletter.



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REMINDER: Attendance & Punctuality

If attendance drops below 95% then children are at risk of falling into the category of persistent absence. Attendance is discussed at termly attendance reviews with the Educational Welfare Service and letters are sent out periodically to make you aware of your child's attendance figure, and to advise of ways to improve this.

In terms of punctuality, school starts at 8:45am. All children should already be outside lined up ready to come into class at this time. Our school gates open at 8:40am. Persistent lateness could result in a serious concern letter or fine.



Key Dates - Term 1

25—27 September - Y6 Kingswood Residential

1 October - Marketing Photo Day

10 October - KS2 Cross Country @RVHS
9:30am—11:30am

14 & 15 October - Parents Evening **TBC**

16 October - Harvest Festival @St Peter's Church **9am**

16 October - Flu Immunisations **PM**

17 October - PTFG Hot Chocolates after school
3:15pm—4pm

17 October - Earthshot Conference @TAG
4:30pm—7:30pm

More dates will be communicated as and when they are finalised. Please keep an eye on the newsletter each week.



Reminder



After School Clubs

- **Football Club with Halifax Town** - Friday
3:20pm—4:20pm (KS2)
- **Young Voices** - Wednesday **3:20pm—4:20pm**
 - * Starting from Wednesday 2 October with Miss. Barr.
- **Drama Club** - Monday **3:20pm—4:20pm (KS2)**
 - * Auditions on Monday 23 September and club starts on Monday 30 September with Mrs. Walker, Miss. Tetley and Mrs. Riley. The club will extend to 5pm later this year.
- **Y6 Achieve** - Tuesday & Thursday **8:10am—8:40am**
 - * By invitation to split sessions which have been sent out via text. Starting Tuesday 8 October and Thursday 10 October with Mrs. Heslop.



- **ACE Club (sports)** - Every day **3:15pm—5pm**
 - **Monday - Football**
 - **Tuesday - Basketball/Netball/Badminton**
 - **Wednesday - Gymnastics**
 - **Thursday - Indoor Athletics/Circuit Training**
 - **Friday - Dance**



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