

Important dates for your diary

September

Monday 2	3pm	Primary 7 Meet the Teacher event	Mrs Maclean and Miss Fraser
	5.30pm	Parent Council AGM	
Wednesday 4	3pm	Primary 3 Meet the Teacher event	Mrs Thomson and Miss Fraser
		Primary 3/4 Meet the Teacher event	Miss Gordon
		Primary 4/5 Meet the Teacher event	Miss Elsby
		Primary 1 Meet the Teacher event	Mrs Mitchell
		Primary 7 Meet the Teacher event	Miss Young
Friday 6	1.15pm	First Friday Mass in school hall	
Monday 9		Vocations Awareness Week begins today	
		Hands Up Survey begins today (travelling to and from school data collected)	
		Fairtrade Fortnight begins	
Tuesday 10		Primary 2/3 Meet the Teacher event	Mrs McFarlane and Miss Stevenson
Wednesday 11		Primary 7 attending Mass in St Mirin's Cathedral	
Thursday 12		Primary 6 Meet the Teacher event	Miss McNamara
		Primary 4 Sacramental Meeting for Parents/Carers in St. Peter's Church Hall	
Wednesday 18	1.30pm	First meeting of parent self-evaluation group – all invited	
Thursday 19	7pm	Primary 7 Sacramental meeting for Parents/Carers in St. Peter's Church Hall	
Friday 20	pm	Bookbug sessions for parents/carers and children in ELCC class	
Tuesday 24		Primary 6 playleaders 4 week programme begins today	
Wednesday 25		Maths Week Scotland begins – theme is 'Maths Tales'	
Thursday 26		Termly curricular newsletters to be issued to parents/carers Non-uniform day (£1 donation/£2 per family for school funds)	

Friday 27		HOLIDAY
Monday 30		HOLIDAY
October		
		Mission Month begins
Wednesday 2	5.30pm	Parent Council meeting in St. Peter's School – all invited
Friday 4	10am	First Friday Mass in St Peter's Church (all parents/carers and Parish invited)
	1.30pm	McMillan Coffee Morning organised by ELCC taking place in school hall (may be outdoors if weather permits) – all parents/carers and families of ELCC and school invited
Monday 7	6.30-8.00pm	Retreat for Primary 7 Confirmandi and parents/carers taking place at St. Andrew's Academy – please put this important date in your diary if your child is preparing for Confirmation.
Friday 11		IN-SERVICE DAY (staff only – pupils do not attend today)
Monday 14-Friday 18		HOLIDAY
Monday 21	9am	School reopens to staff and pupils today
Thursday 24		Tempest photographer here today (class group photos)
Friday 25	pm	Bookbug session in school library for ELCC parents/carers and children
Wednesday 30	pm	Flu Immunisation Programme taking place today in school School disco (organised by parent council): 6.15-7.15pm Primary 1-3 7.30-8.30pm Primary 4-7
Thursday 31		Halloween – pupils can come to school dressed in costume if they wish Halloween themed activities in class during the morning and parties in class in the afternoon

November

Friday 1		Primary 1 Registration opens online (1-8 November) for children starting school in August 2025
	10am	All Saints Day – whole school attending Mass in St. Peter's Church
Sunday 3	10am	Primary 7 Confirmation Catechesis/Enrolment Mass All families of children preparing for Confirmation should attend
Thursday 7	5pm	Primary 7 Information Evening at St. Andrew's Academy
Sunday 10	10am	Primary 7 Confirmation Catechesis – Mass Two 'Anointing' All families of children preparing for Confirmation should attend (letters to Bishop John to be ready for this Mass – teachers organise letters)
Monday 11		Anti-bullying Week – Choose Respect
Wednesday 13		Parents' Evening (5-8pm)
Thursday 14		Parents' Evening (3-6pm)
Saturday 16		Feast of St. Margaret – Catholic Education Fortnight begins Theme – 'Pilgrims of Hope'
Sunday 17		Primary 7 Confirmation Catechesis – Mass Three 'fire' and includes blessing of sponsors All families of children preparing for Confirmation should attend
Monday 18		Book Week Scotland begins Theme – 'Reading is Magic'
Thursday 21		Self-evaluation Parent/Carer group meeting 2 – all invited (1.30pm)
Friday 29		St. Andrew's Day Celebrations in class (celebrating Scotland)

December

Sunday 1		Christmas Party Day in Blackland Mill Bowling Club (organised by Parent Council)
	2-5pm	Primary School Advent Day in St. Mary's Church, Paisley
Monday 2		ST. ANDREW'S DAY HOLIDAY
Friday 6	10am	First Friday Mass in school hall (parents/carers and parish members invited)
Sunday 8	10am	Primary 4 Mass of Commitment All families of children receiving Sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion expected to attend.
Monday 9	1.30pm	Dress Rehearsal for Christmas Concert
Tuesday 10	1.30pm	Christmas Concert – parents/carers and family members invited
Wednes 11	1.30pm	Christmas Concert – parents/carers and family members invited
Thursday 12	1.30pm	Christmas Concert – parents/carers and family members invited
Friday 13		Christmas Jumper day – wear something related to Christmas (donation to be agreed)
	pm	Bookbug session in library for ELCC parents/carers and children
Wednes 18	10am	Whole school attending St. Peter's Church for crib service
Thursday 19		Christmas parties for ELCC – P7 today taking place in classes with a small time allocated in school hall School disco (organised by parent council) - 6.15-7.15pm Primary 1-3 - 7.30-8.30pm Primary 4-7
Friday 20	2.30pm	School closes for the Christmas holiday
21 December – 5 January		HOLIDAY

January

Monday 6	9am	School reopens to pupils and staff
Friday 10	10am	First Friday Mass in school hall (parents/carers and parish members invited)
Sunday 19	2-5pm	Primary School Day in St. Mary's Church, Paisley for p4-7
Thursday 23		Self-evaluation Parent/Carer group meeting 3 (1.30pm)
Friday 24		Pupils to celebrate Scottish poet/song writer Robert Burns in class today
		Non-uniform day (£1 donation/£2 per family for school funds) – pupils can wear something Scottish if they wish

February

Friday 7	10am	First Friday Mass in school hall (parents/carers and parish members invited)
Thursday 13		School disco (organised by parent council)
		6.15-7.15pm Primary 1-3
		7.30-8.30pm Primary 4-7
Friday 14		IN-SERVICE DAY (staff only – pupils do not attend today)
Monday 17		HOLIDAY
Tuesday 18		HOLIDAY
Wednesday 19		School reopens to staff and pupils today
Friday 28		Non-uniform day (£1 per child/£2 per family for school funds)
	pm	Bookbug sessions in school library for ELCC parents/carers and children

March

Wednesday 5	10am	Whole school attending St. Peter's Church
Thursday 6		World Book Day (more details to follow nearer the time)
Friday 7		STEM – British Science Week begins
		Theme – 'Change and Adapt' – celebrate changes in nature, technology, space and more.

Sunday 9	2-5pm	Primary School Day – Lent – in St. Mary’s Church, Paisley for p4-7
Sunday 16	10am	Primary 4 ‘Do This In Memory Of Me’ Mass in St. Peter’s Church. All families of children preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion should attend.
Wednesday 19		Parents’ Evening (5-8pm)
Thursday 20		Parents’ Evening (3-6pm)
Sunday 23		Primary 4 ‘Do This In Memory Of Me’ Mass in St. Peter’s Church. All families of children preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion should attend.
Tuesday 25		Feast of Annunciation
Wednesday 26	6pm	Primary 4 children receiving Sacrament of First Confession in St. Peter’s Church.
Thursday 27		Self-evaluation parent/carer group meeting 4 (1.30pm)
Friday 28		Non-uniform day (£1 donation/£2 per family for school funds)
Sunday 30		Primary 4 ‘Do This In Memory Of Me’ Mass in St. Peter’s Church. All families of children preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion should attend.
April		
Friday 4	10am	First Friday Mass in St. Peter’s School Hall (parents/carers and parish invited)
	2.30pm	School closes for Spring break today
5 April – 21 April HOLIDAY		
Tuesday 22	9am	School reopens to staff and pupils
Tuesday 29		Diocesan Consecration to Jesus through Mary begins today and ends on Monday 2 June (school based activities for primary 7)

Wednesday 30 6.30pm Celebration of Confirmation for primary 7 pupils in St. Mirin's Cathedral
(St. Peter's pupils will join St. Paul's and St. Charles')

May

Thursday 1 Rosary for Peace focus for all classes this month

Friday 2 10am First Friday Mass in St. Peter's School Hall (parents/carers and parish invited)

Monday 5 HOLIDAY

Tuesday 6 9am School reopens to staff and pupils

Friday 9 Sponsored event to take place today (pupils to decide focus)

Saturday 10 10am Primary 4 pupils receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion

Sunday 11 10am Thanksgiving Mass for Primary 4 in St. Peter's Church

Tuesday 20 Primary 7 transition visit to St. Andrew's Academy

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Friday 23 IN-SERVICE DAY (staff only – pupils do not attend today)

Monday 26 HOLIDAY

Tuesday 27 School reopens to staff and pupils

Thursday 29 10am Ascension Thursday – whole school attending Mass in St. Peter's Church

Friday 30 Non-uniform day (£1 donation/£2 per family for school funds)
Bookbug session in library for ELCC parents/carers and children

June

Friday 6 10am First Friday Mass in St. Peter's school hall (parents/carers and parish invited)

Sunday 8 2-5pm Primary School day – Pentecost – in St. Mary's Church, Paisley for p4-7

Thursday 12		Summer disco (organised by parent council) 6.15-7.15pm primary 1-3 7.30-8.30pm primary 4-7
Friday 13		Annual Pupil Progress Reports to be issued to parents/carers today
Monday 16		Whole school summer outing (venue to be decided via consultation with pupils)
Thursday 19	3.30pm	Primary 7 Awards Ceremony
Tuesday 24	10am	Primary 7 Thanksgiving/Leavers' Mass
Friday 27	1pm	School closes for the summer holiday