

Homework

All

children have been provided with a homework folder. Please keep all homework in this and bring to school every day.

Homework will be issued on a Monday and should return on a Friday. Please check your child's homework and let us know if there are any problems on Class Dojo. Please check Class Dojo for regular updates.

Behaviour

All

pupils will be expected to follow our class charter and the school values.



We believe the restorative behaviour approach is very effective as it gives children a chance to think about their behaviour and what is right and wrong. We are also using individual dojos in our classroom to encourage a positive classroom environment.

St Peter's School Values

Respect Responsibility Kindness Fairness Honesty

Our School Motto

'Choose joy, kindness and love every day and remember that God is always with you.'

Home Link Booklet



Session: 2025/2026

Term: 1

Class: Primary 6/7

Teacher: Miss Young & Mrs Duckett

Dear Parent / Guardian,

This booklet gives an overview of the work your child will complete in the second term of Primary 6/7. You will also find details of your child's homework in their diary sheet as well as on Class Dojo. We have a very busy and exciting term ahead of us!

Yours sincerely,

Miss Young & Mrs Duckett

TERMLY CURRICULAR NEWS

Language and Literacy

Children will complete a range of literacy lessons throughout the week, including spelling, grammar and handwriting lessons.

<p><u>Reading</u> – We will be reading the novel “Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief” and developing our reading skills through a range of reciprocal reading activities. This will help us to develop our reading fluency skills, pace and comprehension skills.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> – We will be focusing on specific spelling rules this term, as well as some seasonal vocabulary. We will have a Spelling Bee on a Friday morning, based on the week’s spelling rule. This will be self/peer assessed and children will have opportunities throughout the week both in class and at home to learn this spelling rule.</p> <p><u>Writing</u> – We will continue to use Talk for Writing to develop our writing skills this term. We will be developing fiction and non-fiction writing skills through our units, and we will also have opportunities to write our own stories each week.</p>
<p><u>Maths and Numeracy</u></p> <p>To develop our maths skills this term the children will continue to work in a variety of ways, including active learning, playing games, using ICT, and completing written work. We will also continue to develop our Number Talks skills as well as our mental maths skills. Activities will be differentiated to suit the needs of the children.</p> <p><u>Topics to be covered in Term 1 will be:</u> Place value, estimating and rounding, addition, subtraction, shape, measure and angles.</p>
<p><u>Health and Wellbeing</u></p> <p>P.E. days are Tuesday & Wednesday – please ensure your child comes prepared for P.E and removes jewellery. We will be focusing on basketball, hockey, and games. We will also have opportunities to take part in the Daily Mile. Active Schools clubs will also continue this term – keep an eye on Class Dojo for any announcements and links.</p>
<p><u>Religious Education – ‘This is Our Faith’</u></p> <p>This term we will be learning a range of prayers, as well as stories from the bible. Children will also explore the lives of different saints, as well as learning about and preparing for important liturgical events. We will also be focusing on the Pope Francis Faith Award, with Primary 6 beginning their journey of learning about the gifts of the Holy Spirit, with Primary 7 continuing their learning and faith development.</p>
<p><u>Modern Languages</u></p> <p>This term, we will be focusing on Spanish language learning as part of the Scottish Government’s 1+2 Languages policy. Languages lessons will involve lots of games and songs, as well as opportunities to practice speaking the language. We will be learning all about Greetings & Personal Information, Numbers, Colours, Calendar,</p>

<p>Weather, Family & Pets, as well as seasonal vocabulary for Halloween and Christmas.</p>
<p><u>Expressive Arts</u></p> <p><u>Art</u> – We will be developing our skills across art and design focusing on the use of colour, line and using a variety of media. Art lessons will be linked to seasonal events and topic work.</p> <p><u>Music</u> – We will be continuing to develop our skills in music through seasonal activities, hymn practice and when exploring instruments.</p> <p><u>Drama</u> – Drama will be used throughout the curriculum to support learning. Children will learn different Drama conventions and many of our lessons will be cross curricular.</p>
<p><u>Interdisciplinary Learning</u></p> <p>We will be focusing on several topics this term which the children have requested. We will be learning about Ancient Greece as well as participating in a range of interdisciplinary learning activities linked to different curricular areas and seasonal events throughout the term. Topic work links all areas of the curriculum together and will have a particular focus on Social Studies, Art, Drama and Technologies.</p>
<p><u>Science</u></p> <p>This term, we will be focusing on Space and Forces as part of our science lessons. We will also be participating in a science project and workshop later in the term to help us develop our skills and understanding of forces.</p> <p>We will also be taking part in STEM lessons and challenges weekly throughout the term, which we will share on class dojo with you. There will also be links to other curricular areas through IDL learning experiences.</p>
<p><u>ICT & Technologies</u></p> <p>The children will have weekly opportunities to use a range of ICT equipment to enhance digital learning skills as well as word processing skills. They will also use maths & language games to consolidate their learning, including SumDog, Education City and TopMarks. The children will also be focusing on a range of internet safety lessons, developing their knowledge and understanding of safe internet use, particularly in the areas of password safety and cyberbullying.</p>