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Tuesday

## Love Learn Live



Our theme for worship this half term — making a difference

|                                     | EYFS   | Year 1                    | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 |
|-------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Attendance %                        | 96.06% | 96.08%                    | 96.11% | 93.45% | 95.22% |
| Attendance Superstars for last week |        | RVW with 100% attendance! |        |        |        |

**A very slight improvement this week for attendance, however still many year groups in the red. Please try hard to ensure children attend every day possible, so we can see green across the school.**

Green (97.0% and above). Orange (between 95.5% and 96.99%). Red (95.49% or below). Attendance Superstars—Every week we will publish the attendance for year groups and the whole school for the previous week.



Keep up to date with what's happening!

St Peter's PTA are on facebook <https://www.facebook.com/stpetersdroitwichpta>

St Peter's are on Twitter <https://twitter.com/stpfdsdroitwich>



**Your School Needs You!** We need a number of lunchtime supervisors to start working with us as soon as



possible owing to promotion of staff and staff movement. The job involves an hour each day working with a specific class of children. Full training will be given. No qualifications are needed, just a willingness to support children whilst they eat their lunch and play. Please contact Steph Walker via the school office for further information.

**School Attendance** —We have high expectations for every pupil's attendance at school. We are committed to improving achievement through attendance and we continue to monitor the attendance of all pupils. If a child's attendance continues to be poor, we will invite parents/carers to attend an **Attendance Improvement Meeting** in school.

We would like to remind you that leave of absence is not an entitlement. **Pupils will only be given permission for leave if there are exceptional circumstances.**

**Jubilee Picnic Lunch for Pupils—Thursday 26th May**—a form has been emailed to parents/carers, please ensure this is completed by **Wednesday 18th May**, thank you.

**School Office**—Please be aware the school office will be closed from 11am to 12pm daily. During this time the office will not be available to take calls, although there will be an option to speak to one of the team if it is an emergency. For non urgent queries/messages, please do not call/visit the office during these times, thank you. Our school [website](#) is also a source of useful information. The school office has noticed a large increase in the number of daily visits/calls and to help reduce this, we ask the following:

- \* Arrive on time for school each day
- \* Come to school prepared, ensure your child has their belongings/packed lunch/water bottles with them
- \* Please let the teacher know at drop off if there are any changes to normal collection arrangements
- \* Please book medical appointments outside of school hours where possible
- \* Please avoid visiting the school office where possible, general enquires can be emailed to [spoffice@riverscofe.co.uk](mailto:spoffice@riverscofe.co.uk)

Obviously there will be times when the above cannot be avoided and the school office will always be available to help. Thank you for your understanding.

17.05.22



### Reminder—St Peter's Parent/Carer Voice Group—

the next Parent Voice meeting will take place on

Wednesday 18th May at 8:40am to 9:30am.

**Class Photos**—You will have received your child's class photo proof card in your child's bookbag last week.

Please ensure orders are placed by Monday 23rd May.

**Y4 Malvern Payment Reminder**—Please ensure payment for the Year 4 Malvern Residential trip is paid in full by Tuesday 31st May, thank you.



Thirty eight of our year three and four children attended Young Voices at the Resorts World Arena

on Monday 16th May. What an experience it was! The children were an absolute delight to take and a real credit to our school. Our children were part of a 5000 person choir. The whole experience was a 'Wow' moment for us all and we hope the children will treasure the experience as one of those life long memories. A big thank you to Miss Importante with the support of Mrs Jones for organising the trip and to Miss Lee and Miss Pearson for agreeing to come with us.



**Lost Property**—Boys blue Mountain Warehouse coat, aged 7-8 and is named. If found, please return to the school office, thank you.

**Thank you** so much for all the lovely art work that has been sent into school. We have displayed them in our library.



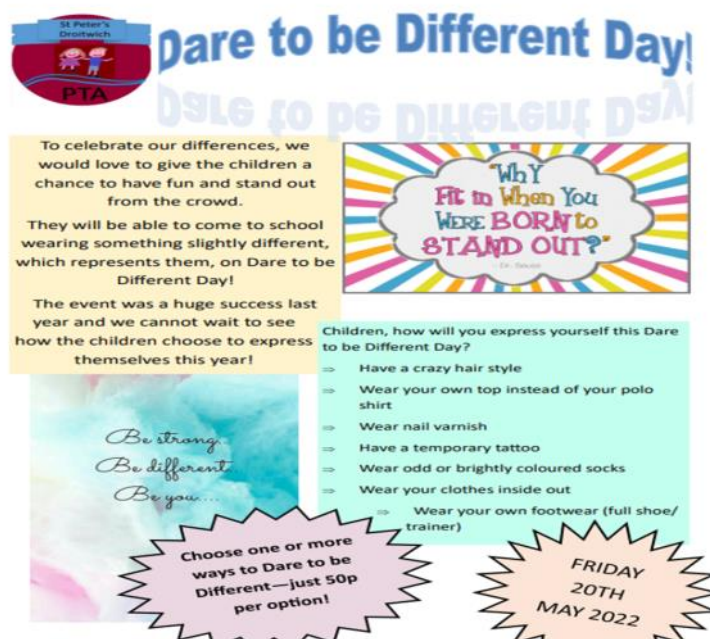
### What's On w/c 16th May 2022

|                                | Activity                              | Class/Year Group                 | Time          | Session |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------|
| Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May   | EYFS Hearing, Height & Weight Checks  | EYFS                             | All Day       | n/a     |
| Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May   | Year 1 Clubs                          | Years 1                          | 3.00-3.45pm   | 4/4     |
| Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May   | Tennis                                | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/12    |
| Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May | Parent Voice                          | Parents/Carers welcome to attend | 8:40am-9.30am | n/a     |
| Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May | EYFS Hearing, Height & Weight Checks  | EYFS                             | All Day       | n/a     |
| Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May | Quidditch                             | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/12    |
| Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> May  | Ball Games                            | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/12    |
| Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> May  | <b><u>NO CHOIR CLUB THIS WEEK</u></b> |                                  |               |         |
| Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May    | Dare2B Different Day                  | All Year Groups                  | All Day       | n/a     |
| Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May    | RVW Class Assembly                    | RVW – Opal Class                 | 8.45am-9.15am | n/a     |
| Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May    | Judo                                  | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/11    |
| Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May    | Striking & Fielding                   | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/10    |
| Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May    | Tennis                                | Years 2, 3 & 4                   | 3.00pm-4.00pm | 4/10    |

## Message from St. Peter's PTA

### Don't forget it is Dare to be Different Day on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May!

We can't wait to see which options the children choose from the list below of differences for the day! Please note full uniform is required, unless the children are making one of the changes listed below. Donations can be made via ParentPay or cash on the day – only 50p per option! All funds raised will be reinvested back into school!



The poster for 'Dare to be Different Day' features the St. Peter's Droptwich PTA logo at the top left. The main title 'Dare to be Different Day!' is in large, colorful letters. Below it, a text box explains the purpose: 'To celebrate our differences, we would love to give the children a chance to have fun and stand out from the crowd. They will be able to come to school wearing something slightly different, which represents them, on Dare to be Different Day! The event was a huge success last year and we cannot wait to see how the children choose to express themselves this year!'. To the right, a speech bubble asks 'Why Fit in When You WERE BORN to STAND OUT?'. Below this, a list of options for children to express themselves is provided: 'Have a crazy hair style', 'Wear your own top instead of your polo shirt', 'Wear nail varnish', 'Have a temporary tattoo', 'Wear odd or brightly coloured socks', 'Wear your clothes inside out', and 'Wear your own footwear (full shoe/trainer)'. At the bottom left, a starburst says 'Choose one or more ways to Dare to be Different—just 50p per option!'. At the bottom right, another starburst says 'FRIDAY 20TH MAY 2022'. On the left side, there is a quote: 'Be strong. Be different. Be you...'

### Year 4 Leaver's Hoodies

Y4 Leaver's hoodies can be ordered from [Kitz UK](#) – the deadline for orders is **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June** and all hoodies will be delivered into school w/c 13<sup>th</sup> June. School has advised that Year 4 children are welcome to wear their hoodies on the Malvern Trip if they would like to, and then in the last week of term only (18<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> July).



### Ice Pop Fridays – help needed please!

The PTA will be selling ice pops on the playground at the end of the school day on Fridays from 10<sup>th</sup> June! We are looking for volunteers to help – if you can spare an hour on a Friday afternoon please [contact the PTA via email](#).

### Request for help with photography!

Do you have professional photography experience, and would you be happy to support the PTA with some photography? We are looking for your help for approximately one hour on the mornings of Friday 10<sup>th</sup> and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June. If you can assist us, please [contact the PTA via email](#) – we would be extremely grateful to hear from you!

### Summer Fayre – Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July

If you are interested in having a stall at the Summer Fayre you can now book a space - <https://form.jotform.com/221284741162350>



# What's happening in the world today?

We encourage children to read this together with their adults at home to develop their understanding of current news items and topics for discussion. We have included links to the UN Sustainable Development Goals against each story, which will help the children to see how they can have a positive impact in the wider world.

## A weekend of winners!



### Eurovision winner

The Eurovision Song Contest 2022 was held in Turin, Italy, where 25 countries competed for the trophy, and the honor of hosting next year's Eurovision Song Contest.

After 4 hours of music, performances, entertainment and excitement, Kalush Orchestra from Ukraine were crowned as the winner of the 65th Eurovision Song Contest with their song "Stefania".

**Congratulations Ukraine!**

### Platinum Pudding winner



A lemon and Swiss roll amaretti trifle is to be the official pudding for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee after winning a competition to find a new dessert.

Jemma Melvin created the dessert, inspired by the lemon posset served at the Queen's wedding to Prince Philip.

The trifle is made with layers of lemon curd swiss roll, custard, jelly, a mandarin coulis and amaretti biscuits.

**Congratulations Jemma!**

### FA Cup winner

Liverpool won the FA Cup trophy for the first time in 16 years by beating Chelsea 6-5 on penalties following a goalless draw in the 2022 final at Wembley.



**Congratulations Liverpool  
Football Club!**