



Welcome to Year 5

Parent Information Guide 2026–2027

Opening Doors with Learning, Faith and Care

Thank you for joining our Welcome to Year 5 Parent Presentation.

We are delighted to welcome you and your child into Year 5 and look forward to working in partnership throughout the year ahead. We know children achieve their very best when home and school work together, and we hope this guide provides a useful reminder of the key information shared during our meeting.



Our Vision

Opening Doors
with Learning,
Faith and Care

Our aim is for every child to:

- ♥ Feel safe, happy and valued.
- ♥ Achieve more than they thought possible.
- ♥ Grow academically and personally.
- ♥ Develop confidence, courage and independence.
- ♥ Leave St. Peter's with wonderful memories and a love of learning.



Whenever challenges arise,
please remember:
We're here to help.

Our Values – The behaviours and attitudes that help us to thrive every day.



Courage

We step up, try new things and never give up.



Perseverance

We keep going, even when things are tough.



Friendship

We build strong relationships and look out for others.



Compassion

We care for others and show kindness in all we do.



Respect

We respect ourselves, others and our school community.



Thankfulness

We appreciate what we have and show gratitude.



Reading Opens Every Door

Reading remains our highest priority.

- ✓ Read for at least 15 minutes every day
- ✓ Record your reading in your Reading Record
- ✓ Continue to enjoy reading at home

Parents can help by:

- Listening to reading regularly
- Talking about books together
- Encouraging reading for pleasure

Regular reading is the single biggest thing you can do to support your child's success.



Homework

Homework is designed to reinforce learning without becoming a burden.

Children should complete:

- ✓ Daily reading
- ✓ Regular TT Rock Stars practice
- ✓ Weekly Century assignments

Homework will be recognised and celebrated throughout the year.



Ready to Learn

Please help your child arrive at school ready to learn by ensuring they have:

- ✓ Correct school uniform
- ✓ Named clothing
- ✓ PE kit (Thursday)
- ✓ Reading book and Reading Record
- ✓ Water bottle

Please remember:

- No pencil cases required
- No toys or personal items in school



Attendance Matters

Excellent attendance makes a significant difference.

Please help your child by:

- ✓ Attending school every day wherever possible.
- ✓ Arriving promptly for an 8.40am start.
- ✓ Avoiding holidays during term time.

Every day really does matter.



Wellbeing

Every child should feel:

- ✓ Known
- ✓ Valued
- ✓ Supported

Your child's wellbeing is just as important as their academic success.

Please contact us if you have any concerns – we are always happy to help.



Communication

Your first point of contact is:

Miss Clifford (Monday–Thursday)
Mrs Alexander (Friday)

Please contact us through **Class Dojo**.

Our aim is to respond to messages within 24 hours during working hours.

If something requires a longer conversation, we are always happy to arrange a meeting or phone call.



Our Partnership Commitment

School Will

- Teach
- Support
- Challenge
- Care

Parents Will

- Support reading
- Promote excellent attendance
- Reinforce positive behaviour
- Model our school values

Children Will

- Work hard
- Be kind
- Live our school values
- Thrive

Together, we can help every child achieve more than they ever thought possible.



Important Dates



PE Day:
Thursday



Transition Appointments
Available:
15th July 2026
(Please contact the office to make an appointment)



Class Coffee Morning:
8.45am
10th September 2026



Need Help?

If you have a question, concern or simply need some advice, please get in touch.
The earlier we know, the sooner we can help.



School Office:



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Class Dojo



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