

Peel Common Primary School



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Friday 1st May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

Thank goodness for some sunny weather! The children have been enjoying the field at playtime and lunchtime, enjoying picnic lunches and exploring the grounds. If your child enjoys being out and about, they may enjoy taking part in Forest Club.

It is run by Helen and Alex in our school grounds on Tuesdays after school from 3.30pm to 5.00pm. The children attending currently have been having a great time, see the picture of their log dogs! Forest Club will return after half term and is open to children from Year 1 - 6. If your child is interested then follow the link:

<https://bookwhen.com/freshairlearning>

Children will play in nature, learn about ecosystems, participate in creating dens and roasting snacks on the open camp fire.



New Menu Tasters

Chartwells who provide our meals are launching a new menu for the Summer term and to entice children to try some new foods, they are offering some tasters over the next 3 weeks. Next week they are offering new pizzas and sausage rolls, then it will be tandoori chicken and bean and cheese pastries followed by vegan meatball baguettes and Jerk chicken. Pizza and sausage roll tasters will be available to all children on Wednesday and Friday playtimes next week.

Uniform Reminders

As the weather gets warmer, please can you make sure that the clothes worn for school and especially on PE days are still following the school uniform policy. Cycling shorts are appropriate for PE days but are not suitable for every day wear please. We ask that footwear is appropriate as well – flip flops are not suitable for school wear.

Our policy states:

PE Kit

- Plain coloured t-shirt in the pupils house colour; Red, Blue, Green and Yellow
- Black or navy blue shorts
- Trainers can be worn for outdoor PE lessons



Share a Tray Afternoon

On Monday 18th May at 2.30pm, we would like to invite all parents in to spend some time with their child looking at the work they are most proud of this year. It is an opportunity for your child to share what they do in class and to hear from their perspective, what they have enjoyed doing.

Dates for the Summer Term

May

Monday 4 th	Bank holiday
Thursday 7 th	School closed due to being used as a Polling Station.
Friday 8 th May	Really Wild Day – celebrating Sir David Attenborough’s 100 th birthday.
Monday 11 th May –	Year 6 SATs week begins
Monday 18 th May –	Share a tray open session - 2.30pm.
Friday 22 nd May –	Year 3 Class assembly 9.00am in the Hall Break up for May half term holiday

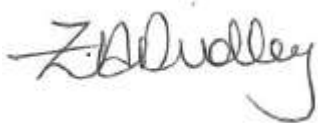
June

Monday 1 st	School reopens
Wednesday 3 rd	Year 1 and 2 Titanic trip
Saturday 6 th	PTFA school fair
Friday 12 th	Year 5 class assembly 9.00am in the Hall
Friday 19 th	Sports Day – KS1 am and KS2 pm
Monday 22 nd	Year 6 residential to Stubbington
Friday 26 th	Year 1 class assembly 9.00am in the Hall

July

Friday 3 rd	INSET
Monday 6 th	Year 6 transition visits start
Tuesday 7 th	Transition Day – meet your new teacher
Friday 10 th	Year R class assembly 9.00am in the Hall
Friday 17 th	Year 2 class assembly 9.00am in the Hall
	End of year reports go out
Wednesday 22 nd	Year 6 Leavers breakfast School closes at 1.30pm for the end of year

Yours sincerely



Mrs Z Dudley
Headteacher