



DUDDON ST PETER'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

2nd October 2026



'Let Your Light Shine'

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Matthew 5:16

A Quick Hello

Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Schools are at their best when home and school work together, and this newsletter is one way we can keep you informed and connected to the many activities, and opportunities taking place across our school. This week the spotlight is on our Year One and Two pupils.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership.

Mrs Claire Green

Dates & Events

5th October (1:30 - 3pm) - Open Day for Prospective Families

6th October - Transition Day at Tarporley High School - Year 6

9th October (2pm) - Harvest Service in Church, followed by Refreshments in the Hall

12th October (9:30 - 11:30am) - Stay & Play for Prospective Families

19th October - Portrait Photos by Tempest Photography - Whole School

19th October - Nursery / Reception Parents Evening

21st October - Storyhouse Performing Romeo & Juliet at Duddon

21st October - PTA Halloween Disco (4:30 - 5:15pm - N & Class 1) and (5:30 - 6:30pm - Class 2 & 3)

22nd October (9:30 - 11:30am) - Open Day for Prospective Families

9th & 10th November - Y1 - Y6 Parents Evening

16th November - PTA Meeting After-school

16th - 20th November - Anti-Bullying Week - Whole School

16th November - 'Odd Socks Day' to Break the Silence - Whole School

7th December (2pm) & 9th December (6pm) - KS2 Christmas Play - KS2

8th December (2pm & 6pm) - Nativity - Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

11th December - PTA Christmas Carols by Candlelight

15th December - PTA Christmas Jumper and Film Day

17th December (2pm) - Christmas Service in Church - Whole School

(New Calendar Dates in Bold)

Class One this Week



The students in Class One have created wonderful pencil sketches of teddy bears. They have worked hard to develop texture and tone in their illustrations, carefully using different shading techniques to make their drawings look realistic.

In maths lessons the students have been exploring 3-D Shapes. They have been busy counting sides, edges and vertices.





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In Worship this Week

Our Christian value for this half term is Thankfulness. If you were granted three wishes, what would you wish for? Would your wishes be for yourself? The children's responses were mixed with some children choosing community wishes rather than just ones for themselves. We listened to a story where people did not use their wishes wisely and they were left disappointed. Neither person in the story was thankful. Using the story of the ten lepers, we explored being thankful when our wishes are granted. Perhaps this has given you pause for thought around your own wishes.



Open Days and Stay & Plays

We are opening our doors to prospective families, and we need your help to spread the word! If you have friends or neighbors looking for a wonderful school or nursery for their children, please let them know about these upcoming dates:

Stay & Play: Monday, 12th October 9:30 - 11:30am

Open Days: Monday, 5th October 1:30 - 3:00pm &
Thursday, 22nd October 9:30 - 11:30am



PTA News



The PTA have been working hard to create some wonderful events for our school community to enjoy - including a Halloween Disco, Christmas Carols by Candlelight and a Christmas Jumper / Film Day. Please check the calendar at the top of the newsletter, and watch out for more details to come.

And, thank you to our volunteer PTA members for all that you do.

Contacting the School Office

As a reminder: Mrs Jen Fisher, our School Admin Officer is in the school office Tuesday - Friday from 8:30am - 3:00pm. And, our temporary School Business Manager, Mrs Kara Newton, is in the office on Mondays.

When possible please contact the school during these hours, as after 3pm you may have to leave a voicemail to be picked up the following day.

Office email: admin@dstp.cheshire.sch.uk and office phone number: 01829 781366

Birthday Celebrations

Happy Birthday to the following students who have a birthday in October :



Lily

Harry

Ronnie

Mya

Bertie H

Alfie

