



St. Peter's CE Primary School

WEEKLY NEWSFLASH

Respectful, Resilient, Resourceful and Always Aiming High!

Week 7 – Spring Term 2026 - Friday 27th February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely to welcome all the children back to school this week and hear all their holiday news! An added bonus has been some better weather too!

This week we have celebrated Mother Language Day and were very proud of some of the children who showed us how they speak in their Mother language in assembly this week.

Thank you also to all the parents and family members who have helped at school this week in a range of capacities from transporting children to events, to sharing their languages and helping with sewing and Forest school. We are very grateful for all of your support.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Jewell

EYFS Lead / Senior Leadership Team

CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS: NEWS AND LEARNING

Reading Challenge

Number of books read by class			
Octopus	125	Starfish	99
Puffins	90	Seahorses	95
Dolphins	121	Turtles	125
Sharks	99	Stingrays	154
Orcas	95	Swordfish	96
Penguins	93	Seals	111
Pelicans	81	Polar Bears	52



Times Tables Rock Stars

Most correct answers last week:

1. Grayson G - 1389
2. Cassi L - 1161
3. Esme J - 735
4. Rio P - 608
5. Ethan C - 574
6. Evie C - 514
7. Hudson C - 463
8. Nolan C - 331
9. Summer M - 259

Most coins since September 2025

1. George D - 64004
2. Cassi L - 50149
3. Sophia C - 44185
4. Nolan C - 41974
5. Evie C - 38259
6. Mason T - 37577
7. Finn R - 34695
8. Esme J - 30363
9. Aaron H - 25590
10. Grayson G - 25219

International Mother Language Day

A huge **THANK YOU** to all of the visitors who kindly shared their language expertise with a number of classes this week.

The children really enjoyed hearing and learning about some languages and cultures. It is thought that globally, a language disappears every two weeks, so it was a wonderful opportunity to celebrate languages.

PTA POST! NEWS, EVENTS AND WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

World Book Day Pre-Loved Sale - Thank You!

What a fantastic response to our **World Book Day Pre-Loved Sale!** Thank you so much for the brilliant donations of costumes, accessories and branded uniform - your generosity made it a real success. It's wonderful to see items being reused, families saving money and funds being raised for the school all at the same time.

A huge shout-out to our amazing volunteers who sorted, organised and ran the sale - we simply couldn't do it without you.

Tesco Stronger Starts - £1,000 Secured!

We are absolutely delighted to announce that we have been awarded **£1,000** from the **Tesco Stronger Starts** scheme!

Thank you to everyone who voted for us with their blue tokens in store - every single one counted. This funding will directly support improvements to the playground and opportunities for the children, and we're so grateful for your support.



Stronger Together - See You There!

We'll be at the **Stronger Together Community Event** at Henfield Leisure Centre this evening. If you're going along, please come and say hello! It's a great opportunity to find out more about how you can get involved and support future projects and events.

STRONGER TOGETHER COMMUNITY EVENT

Henfield Leisure Centre
Northcroft BN5 9QB

Fri 27th Feb
6.30pm - 8.30pm

Free event
All welcome
Food/Drink Refreshments

Networking & Volunteering Opportunity

Find out how you might like to get involved and make a positive difference to our community

Henfield needs help in a variety of roles
A selection of the roles to get involved with
For most roles you can choose the times that suit you

- Wild Violets** are keen to enlist new members who might later be interested in joining the committee.
- The **Scouts** needs a Beavers leader and Scouts leader. There are also behind the scenes admin roles.
- The **Organisers of Henfield Fayre** have started bringing together a committee for next year's fayre.
- Comitty Speedwatch** needs helpers to brief school groups and slow down traffic around schools.
- The **Friends of St Peter's** needs helpers to promote their fundraising role and assist with events.

HENFIELD Community
Stronger Together

DATES FOR THE DIARY (NEW ENTRIES/CHANGES IN RED)

MARCH

Tues 3rd: Spring Music Concert
 Tues 3rd: Y3 / Y5 Tie-Dye Masterclass
 Thurs 5th: World Book Day
 Fri 6th: Y5 Class Assembly for Parents, 2.45pm
 Wed 11th: Y1/Y2 Sports Enrichment morning (PE kits)
 Fri 13th: Y3 – Y6 Sports Enrichment morning (PE kits)
 Fri 13th: St. Peter's After School Clubs ending
 Mon 16th: YR visiting Henfield Library
Tues 17th: Parent/Teacher Consultations – All Classes
 Wed 18th: Y1 Production, 2.30pm
 Thurs 19th: Y1 Production, 2.30pm
 Fri 20th: Comic Relief 'Red Nose' Day
 Fri 20th: Class Reps Meeting, 2.15pm

Mon 23rd: Rock Steady Music Concert, 2.30pm
 Tue 24th: Rock Steady Music Concert, 2.30pm
Tues 24th: Parent/Teacher Consultations – Stingray & Orca
 Thurs 26th: Easter Service, St. Peter's Church, 9.30am
 Thurs 26th: The Nest Coffee Morning, 10.30 – 11.30am
Thurs 26th: Parent/Teacher Consultations – YR, Y1, Y2, Y3 Sharks, Y4 Swordfish, Y5 & Y6
 Thurs 26th: Last day of term
 Fri 27th: INSET day – St. Peter's closed for staff training

APRIL

Mon 13th: Summer term starts
 Thur 16th: Y1 trip to Arundel Castle – details to follow



TO BOOK PLACES ON OUR WRAP AROUND PROVISION – TOUKIES AND FOR FURTHER INFORMATION. PLEASE VISIT:

<https://stpetershenfield.org.uk/toukies-wrap-around-care/>