



# A Warm Welcome to St Peter's Primary School

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# A Place Where Your Child Can Flourish

- Part of the Lighthouse Schools Partnership Multi Academy Trust.
- Long tradition – over 200 years serving Portishead – but also always seeking to balance tradition and innovation
- One of 32 English Hubs across the country providing expertise and support to schools in the SW in the teaching of early reading and phonics.
- Expert staff who support each other and other teachers across the region
- OFSTED (2023) – Outstanding



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# A Church School For The Community



*"St Peter's shines like a beacon of excellence, living out its Christian distinctiveness through its vision and values..... **pupils and staff are enabled to flourish**..... **Strong relationships**, underpinned by Christian values, guide each individual to love and respect others..... Creatively, the school is **transforming lives**. They teach their pupils to overcome barriers and **flourish** as responsible young citizens..... There is a relentless focus on the needs of the child."*

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# A Warm and Happy School Community

**Current School Structure: 630 children**

- **Foundation Stage: Reception**
- **Key Stage 1: Year 1 and 2**
- **Lower Key Stage 2: Years 3 and 4**
- **Upper Key Stage 2: Years 5 and 6**

**From 2027 – Pupil Admissions are reducing to 60**

**Leadership:**

- **Executive Headteacher – Mrs Catrin Battista**
- **Head of School – Mrs Angela Hunt**
- **Assistant Headteacher (SENDCO) – Mrs Lynne McCullough**
- **Phase Leaders (Reception, KS1 Lower KS2 & Upper KS2)**



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# Excellence As Standard

*....the excellent school is a place where people care more than other think is wise, risk more than others think is safe, dream more than others think is practical and expect more than others think is possible.....*

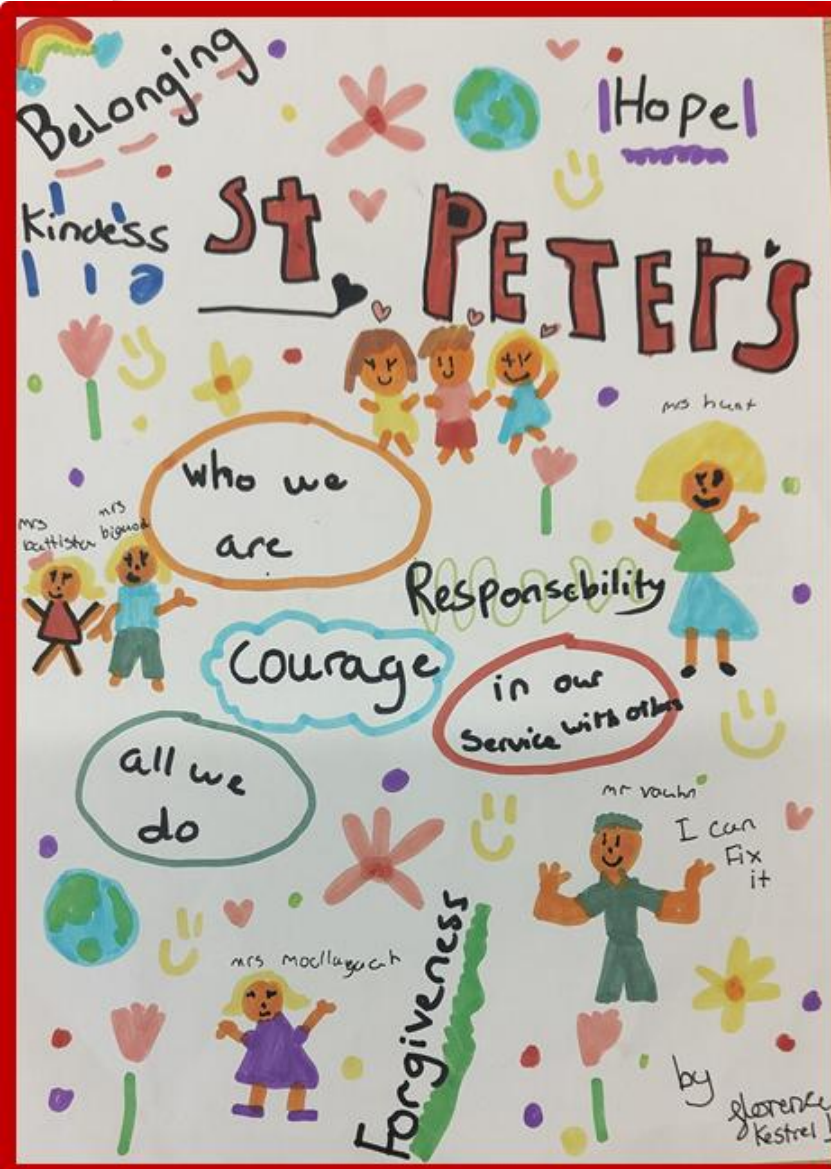


# Excellence in Who We Are

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# Upon this *Rock* I will Build...



## BELONGING



We are one family, created to belong, valued and included.



## KINDNESS



We show compassion and care for others every day.



## COURAGE



We are brave and try our best, even when it is challenging.



## FORGIVENESS



We let go, we make peace and we give others a fresh start.



## RESPONSIBILITY



We make good choices and take ownership of our actions.



## HOPE



We look forward with confidence, trusting in a bright future.

Our six values are the foundation of our school.

*They guide who we are, all we do and our service with others.*



# Strong Personal Development Offer Being a St Peter's Citizen

- **Values**
- **Jigsaw PSHE scheme**
- **Educational Visits**
- **Extra-Curricular Clubs**
- **Pupil Leadership**
- **Houses and Family Groups**
- **Links with St Peter's church and community**



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# We are a Nurture UK School

**We all learn in our own way and in our own time**

**Year 6**



**Our school is a safe place to be**

**Year 4**



**We believe in ourselves**

**Year 3**



**nurture**

at

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**Reception**

**We use our words to talk about how we feel**

**Year 5**



**Our behaviour can show how we are feeling**

**Year 2**



**We can cope with changes in our lives**

**Year 1**



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# Nurture at St Peter's (Video)



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# Behaviour at St Peter's

## Relationships



## Regulation



## Reflection



Consistency

Be  
Ready

Be  
Safe

Be  
Respectful

Zones of Regulation Parent Session (1)

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## Zones of Regulation

Parent Session

Angela Hunt – Deputy Headteacher

Lynne McCullough – SENDCO

## The ZONES of Regulation®



### BLUE ZONE

Sad  
Sick  
Tired  
Bored  
Moving Slowly

### GREEN ZONE

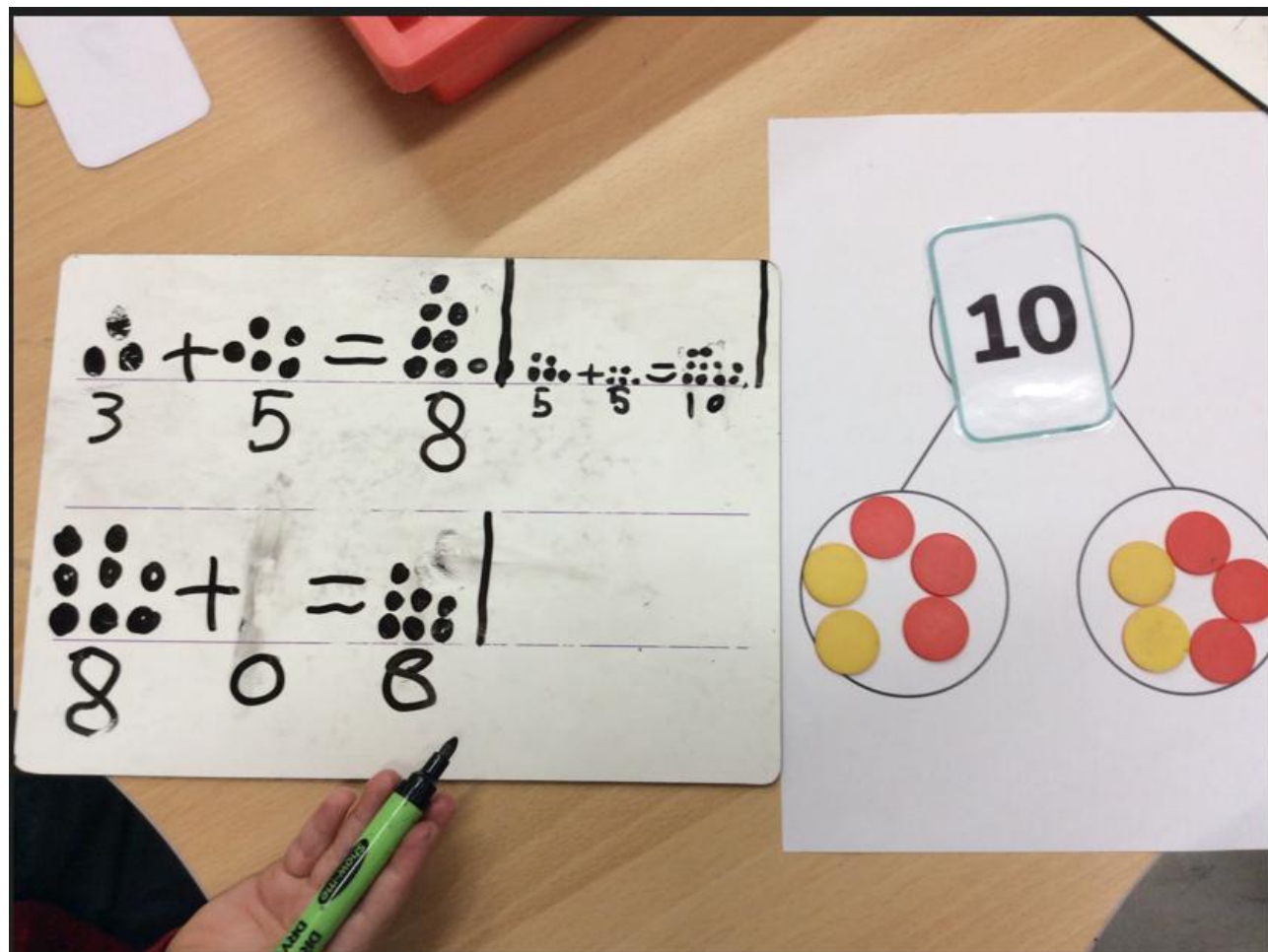
Happy  
Calm  
Feeling Okay  
Focused  
Ready to Learn

### YELLOW ZONE

Frustrated  
Worried  
Silly/Wiggly  
Excited  
Loss of Some Control

### RED ZONE

Mad/Angry  
Terrified  
Yelling/Hitting  
Elated  
Out of Control



# A high achieving school with high ambition for every child



- **83% of our children in Reception attained a “Good Level of Development”**  
(National 73%) \*
- **94% of our Year 1 children passed the national phonics test**  
(National 83%) \*
- **83% of our Year 6 pupils met expected standard and above in reading, writing and maths combined in their KS2 SATs**  
(National 63%)
- **Comparative national data 2025/26**

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# Broad and Rich Curriculum

## St Peter's Primary School Excellence as Standard

### Art Curriculum Map

#### Autumn Term

| Term     | Reception                                | Year 1                                                                  | Year 2                                                                                               | Year 3                                                                         | Year 4                                                                        | Year 5                                                             | Year 6                                                                      |
|----------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Autumn 1 | <b>Drawing</b><br>Self-Portraits         | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Rousseau | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Mandi Baykaa-Murray<br>(local artist) | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Maggie Hambling | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Karla Schuster | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Vincent Van Gogh | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Charles Rennie Mackintosh |
| Autumn 2 | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br>Fireworks |                                                                         |                                                                                                      |                                                                                |                                                                               |                                                                    |                                                                             |

#### Spring Term

|          |                                              |                                                                                   |                                                                 |                                                                                 |                                                                 |                                                                                            |  |
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| Spring 1 | <b>Mixed Media</b><br>Space Pictures         | <b>Texture and Form</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Joseph Wright of Derby | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Quentin Blake | <b>Texture and Form</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Ancient Egyptian Art | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>David Hockney | <b>Colour &amp; Pattern</b><br><i>Inspirational Artists:</i><br>Artists of the Tudor Court |  |
| Spring 2 | <b>Printing and Collage (recycled items)</b> |                                                                                   |                                                                 |                                                                                 |                                                                 |                                                                                            |  |

#### Summer Term

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| Summer 1 | <b>Drawing &amp; Painting</b><br>Watercolour Birds                      | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Andy Goldsworthy | <b>Texture &amp; Form</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>African Art | <b>Drawing</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Matisse | <b>Texture and Form (Portishead Sculpture Trail)</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Barbara Hepworth & other<br>20 <sup>th</sup> Century Sculptors | <b>Texture and Form</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>William Morris<br>Arts & Crafts Movement | <b>Texture and Form (Multimedia)</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Natasha Kerr |
| Summer 2 | <b>Colour &amp; Shape</b><br><i>Inspirational Artist:</i><br>Arcimboldo |                                                                    |                                                                          |                                                           |                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                     |                                                                                      |



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# Excellent Sporting Provision

- Get Set for PE Curriculum
- Swimming lessons(Year 4)
- Bikeability (Year 5)
- Extra-Curricular Clubs
- Sporting competitions and events



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# School with a rich musical tradition



- Excellent music curriculum offer for all children
- Musical instrument lessons for all children in year 5 (funded by school)
- Minors Choir (5-8)
- Majors Choir (8-11)
- North Somerset peripatetic music lessons
- Extra-curricular music clubs

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# Drama and Theatre

- Theatre visits - Bristol Old Vic and London West End
- Reception Nativity
- Concerts & Performances
- Year 6 Production

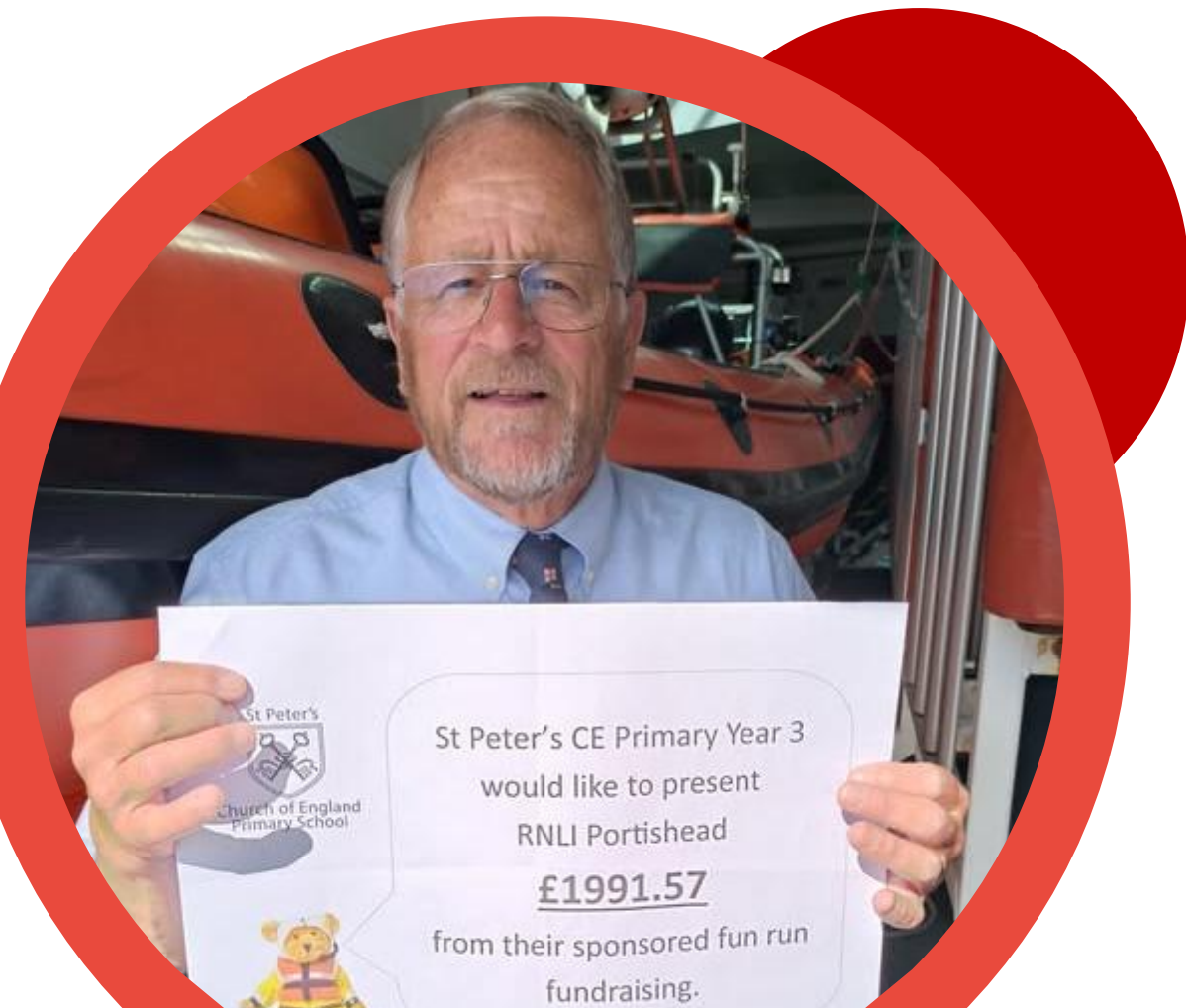


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# Excellence in Our Service With Others



# Houses and Family Groups

## Our Four Houses

**Coehlo**

**Rauf**

**Donaldson**

**Jeffers**

## Family Groups

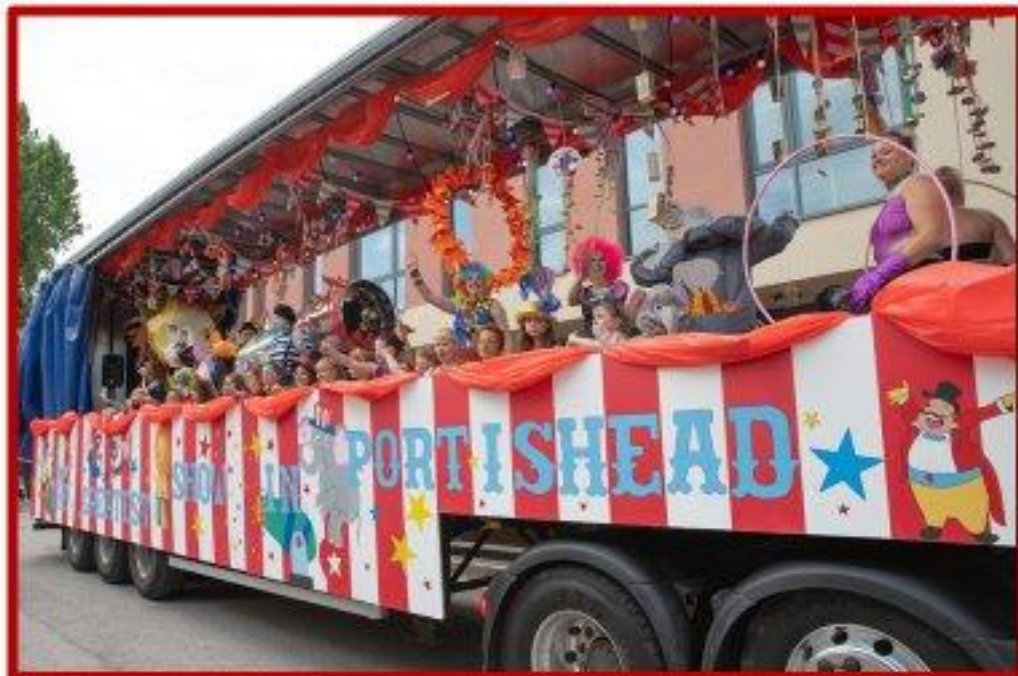
A **family group** is a small, supportive group within our school community designed to help children feel a strong sense of belonging. Each family group is part of one of our four school houses – **Donaldson, Coelho, Rauf, and Jeffers** – and includes children from **Year 1 to Year 6**, allowing children of different ages to connect and learn from one another.

These **vertically grouped** teams help build friendships across year levels and foster a sense of responsibility and community. Each family group is led by a dedicated staff member who remains the consistent leader over time, helping to strengthen relationships and continuity.

# Legacy Learning



# Portishead Carnival!



# School Meals



- School Kitchen on site
- Universal Free School Meals for all children in Reception and KS1
- Range of options available daily
- School meal and packed lunches are all eaten in the same hall
- Reception eat in our 'small hall'

# Wraparound Care

- **Breakfast Club**
- **7.35am - 8.50am**
- **After-School Activity Clubs**
- **Until 4.30pm**
- **Snack & Chill**
- Our late wraparound provision running from **4.30pm - 5.55pm**



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# Induction at St Peter's

- Close links with pre-schools and nurseries/teacher visits
- Induction evening for parents
- 1:1 phone conversations between class teacher and parents
- Visits to school for part of the day
- New parent/carers coffee morning
- Additional visits for children with additional needs
- Stay and Play in September
- Short Induction



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# Applying for a School Place



- ▶ Application to start in Reception is through the Local Authority. Everyone must apply – even if there are siblings at the school already.
- ▶ Forms must be completed by the deadline (15<sup>th</sup> January 2027).
- ▶ You will be informed by LA if you have a place.
- ▶ National Offer Day 16<sup>th</sup> April



# Parent Survey feedback: 3 best things about St Peter's

