



ST. PAUL'S PEEL C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Stocksfield Drive, Little Hulton, Salford, M38 9RB
Tel: 0161 790 2327

Headteacher: Miss Barker

Friday 27th January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

A few updates:

Free School Meal Vouchers - February Half Term:

The Household Support Fund is continuing so the LA will be providing funding to support with food and cost of living increase for children eligible for Free School Meals for this term. This will be £15 per child per week for the February half term. You will again receive them as E- Vouchers direct to your email. As a school we purchase the vouchers via a school cheque, so as soon as the cheque is cleared at the bank you will receive an email.

TTRockstars/NSPCC Number Day - Friday 3rd February:

February 3rd is NSPCC Number Day! As part of our commitment to make maths exciting and high profile in our school, we've decided to take part in a friendly competition involving schools in the United Kingdom. It's a 1-day competition which starts on Friday 3rd February 2023 at 07:30 GMT and ends at 19:30 GMT. It's all done online via play.ttrockstars.com.

Children can play in any game mode with every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, earning themselves, their class and the school a point. The Times Tables Rock Stars platform will calculate the class average (the number of correct answers per pupil in the class who play during the competition hours, subject to a 60-minute limit (see below)). Winning classes in the school and in the competition as a whole will be the ones with the highest average.

To support player wellbeing, there is a time limit of 60-minutes per player. In other words, each player can earn competition points for up to 60-minutes between 07:30 GMT and 19:30 GMT on Friday 3rd February. Once the player goes beyond 60-minutes of play on that day, they will still earn coins but will no longer earn points towards the competition.

In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on their behalf but by all means, encourage and support them to the extent that it doesn't cause high-stress levels or impact on family plans.

A6 Manchester Road West Toucan Crossing Installation:

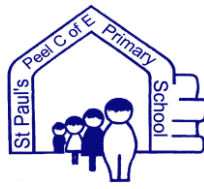
After a consultation period the LA have approved a toucan crossing on Manchester Road near school, work will commence in February 2023 and last for 12 weeks. As well as the toucan crossing, the works will also include the widening of footways between Peel Park and Stocksfield Drive to facilitate a shared footpath, suitable for cyclists as well as pedestrians. The LA also discussed making Stocksfield Drive one-way but they have decided for it to remain a two-way street.

School Neighbours:

I have received some complaints regarding resident's driveways being blocked at drop off and pick up times, please can I ask that access to resident's drives are not blocked.

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Litter:

Please can I ask that all litter is placed in the bins in the school grounds or in bins outside of the school gates, neighbours have witnessed litter being thrown on the floor.

Water Bottles:

Another gentle reminder that water bottles brought from home must contain water and not juice or squash, to comply with our 'Healthy Schools Status'.

Inclement Weather Reminder:

If school has to be closed due to snow or flooding or any utility issues, messages will be posted on Class Dojo and on our school website.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,
Miss Barker
Headteacher

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