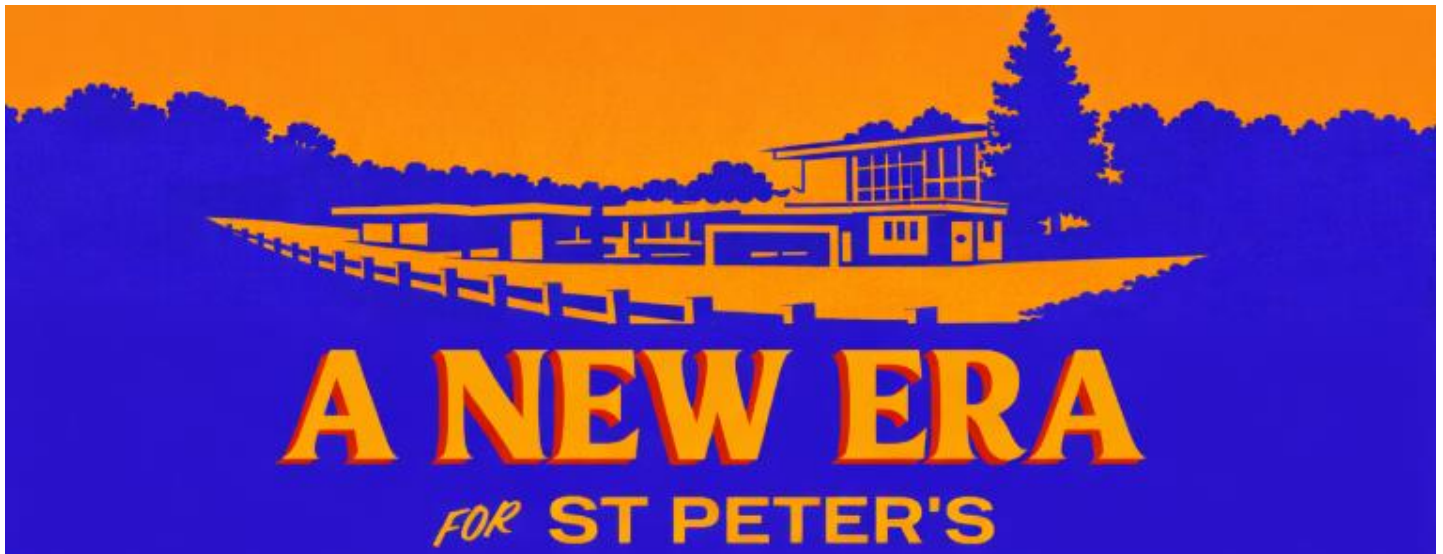




St Peter's C of E Junior School
A place for all to flourish



Wednesday 21st January 2026

SCHOOL BUILDING UPDATE

We are delighted to share some very encouraging progress this week, with increased activity visible on our school site as Arc Partnership, working on behalf of Nottinghamshire County Council, begin preparations for the arrival of our temporary learning village.

Arc worked tirelessly over the weekend to prepare the ground for a temporary bridge, which is due to be installed later today. This important step will enable heavy goods vehicles to safely access the site and begin delivering our modular classroom buildings – a significant milestone in this journey.



Mr Farrell (Site Manager) and I continue to meet regularly with the Arc team to review, refine and approve plans for the temporary learning village. These discussions have been extremely positive, and we are grateful for Arc's proactive and responsive approach as they work closely with us to ensure the very best outcomes for our pupils.

We are also heartened by the strong and united support the school continues to receive from across the political spectrum. Following a productive meeting with our local County Councillor, Stuart Matthews, we were reassured that Nottinghamshire County Council remains fully committed to supporting us as we move towards our temporary learning village and, ultimately, a brand-new, state-of-the-art school. In addition, it has been encouraging to see our local MP, James Naish, raising questions in the House of Commons to help secure the Government funding needed to deliver our new school building.



We remain fully committed to keeping our community informed every step of the way. For regular and timely updates, please follow us on Instagram or Facebook.



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ARBOR

As mentioned in a previous Inform Newsletter, we will soon be changing our Management Information System to Arbor. Arbor provides a handy parent app that you will be able to download onto your smartphone. The app allows you to make payments, book meals, and receive school messages and notifications directly.

Please keep an eye on your email inbox over the coming weeks for more information about the app. During the changeover, our primary method of communication with parents will be via email. From Monday 26th January, messages such as head bump notifications will be sent via email.

If you think that you have an issue receiving our emails, please contact us at 01159743303 or admin.office@stpetersjunior.org.uk.



PARKING AT JAMES PEACOCK SCHOOL

As we await our new learning village, Year 3 pupils are graciously being hosted by James Peacock School. Unfortunately, residents of Manor Park have notified James Peacock that their driveways are being blocked by parked cars during pupil drop-off and collection.

We politely request that the families of pupils at both schools be considerate of their parking around James Peacock. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



HEALTHY FAMILY TEAM NEWSLETTER

You may wish to take a look at the information provided by the NHS's Healthy Family Team, which is attached to our newsletter email. It features some useful contacts for parents.



DATES FOR THE DIARY	
Friday 13 th February 2026	Year 6 Visit to Beaumanor Hall
Friday 13 th February 2026	Last Day of Half-Term
Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th February 2026	HALF-TERM BREAK – SITE CLOSED
Monday 23 rd February	INSET DAY – SITE CLOSED
Tuesday 24 th February	Start of Second Spring Term
Monday 29 th June 2026	East Leake Academy Transition Day
Wednesday 11 th March 2026	Year 5 Southwell Minster
Thursday 19 th March 2026	Year 3 Creswell Craggs
Wednesday 25 th March 2026	Visit to Parliament
Thursday 26 th March 2026	Year 4 Lincoln Castle
Wednesday 15 th April to Friday 17 th April 2026	Year 5 Hathersage – one class
Monday 20 th April to Wednesday 22 nd April 2026	Year 5 Hathersage – one class
Wednesday 22 nd April to Friday 24 th April 2026	Year 5 Hathersage – one class
Tuesday 30 th June 2026	East Leake Academy Transition Day
Wednesday 1 st July 2026	East Leake Academy Transition Day