

St. Peter's Academy – Miss Walton's weekly newsletter

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<u>This week...</u>

- It has been lovely to welcome the children back into school after a well-deserved half-term break.
- \wp We have started our new topic of 'A Child's War'. So far, we have looked at evacuation locations and identifying key words that will help us with our learning.
- $\wp\;$ We have been working on creating our own gas mask cases and even staining them with teabags!

Things to note...

- General information is available on the class page.
- If you are isolating or off for any other reason, there is a home learning section on the class page for you to follow along with what we are doing in school.
- Children should be reading three times a week at home, which they can record in their school diaries. Each read counts towards your child achieving a reading certificate.
- Homework should be completed in homework books to a 'Take Care' standard.

Homework for this week:

Spellings – Your children will have 15 spellings written down in their diaries or homework books to learn for this week. Each child has completely personal spelling lists. Once they have been tested, they write down the next set of words from the statutory spelling lists and any that they got wrong on that particular week. Spellings are tested each Friday.

Maths – A practice exercise on subtraction has been set on Purple Mash for the children to complete. Purple Mash logins are in the children's diaries if they forget. Any working out for the questions can be done in homework books. Any children who do not have access to Purple Mash at home have been given a very similar task, but in paper form.

English / Topic – In English next week, we are going to be focusing on writing letters. In preparation for this, I would like you to write a short letter to a political leader (e.g Boris Johnson) and question how they are trying to tackle climate change. There is a checklist, a template and an example on the Newsletters section of the class page if you get a little bit stuck!

If you are struggling at all to complete anything, please let me know prior to the deadline next Friday and we can sort something out

Homework due – Friday 12th November 2021

HAVE A NICE Weekend
