



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

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Date: Friday 14th January
2022

A summary of this week's learning...

Subject	Key learning points
English	Non-chronological reports and adverbs
Maths	Prime numbers, square numbers and cube numbers
Science	Labelling the heart, pulse and heart rate, scatter graphs
Art / DT	Blood-red artwork
RE	Features of a god and a Christian God
Reading	Pig Heart Boy chapters 1 and 2

The first week of term has been off to a brilliant start, with the children producing some wonderful non-chronological reports all about the heart. We've flown through maths this week, with a solid understanding of prime, square and cube numbers.

Reminder – homework books are now being kept in school. Homework will be stuck in weekly by the children. This encourages the children to use their diary more for spellings and makes homework easier to mark. Children should bring in their homework sheets the following Friday.

Things to note...

- 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 child 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 – Complete the mental maths tarsia puzzle. Cut out the triangles and place them in the correct areas on the grid provided. Each answer has to be sat next to its calculation. Tip – begin by placing blank edges on the outside of the shape. Don't stick down until you are completely sure with your answers!

English – This week, we have briefly discussed how to keep a happy, healthy heart. For homework, I would like you to produce a leaflet or a poster discussing the main ways that a heart can be kept healthy, for example, regular exercise and eating healthily.

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 21st January 2022