

# St. Peter's Academy – Newsletter

## Beech Class.



Mrs Gilbey – Beech Class Teacher  
Additional support – Mrs Smith

Date: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Maths	Division and Multiplication.
Writing	Poetry – The River by Valerie Bloom.
Reading	Inference skills: The Polar Bear Explorer's Club. Class Book – Varjak Paw.
Spelling	Personal spellings and words from the Year 5 and 6 list.
Humanities	Geography – Allotments.
Art/DT	Continuous line drawings in the style of Pablo Picasso.
Science	An introduction to life cycles.
Music	Musical ingredients.
Spanish	Do you have a pet?
R.E.	My pledge for 2026.
PE	Skills, agility and team games.

### Homework

- Spellings – personal spelling list
- Times Tables – Times Table Rockstars
- English – Please complete the grammar activities based on apostrophes for possession.
- Maths – Please complete the Year 5 or Year 6 revision sheet on formal multiplication – this will continue next week. Homework will often be sent home with your child to complete on paper this term as many children are not completing the tasks set on Maths.co.uk.
- Capital cities: Republic of Ireland, Cyprus and Bulgaria (some will be repeated from last term!)  
Retrieval question:
- Can you explain the significance of the 'Epiphany'? (This was explained in Tuesday's assembly!)

Please continue to write your reads in your reading diary for the bookmarks! These will be checked and signed every Friday.