

St. Peter's Academy – Newsletter

Beech Class.



Mrs Gilbey – Beech Class Teacher
Additional support – Mrs Smith (Yr 6 Maths)

Date: Friday 9th October 2026

Maths	Year 5 – Factor pairs and formal addition/subtraction. Year 6 – Common factors and multiples, prime numbers.
Writing	Persuasive writing – cold write and exploring our new text 'Canal Holidays are Cool'
Reading	'A Love Letter from Mary Tudor' – further comprehension questions.
Grammar	Modal Verbs.
Spelling	Personal spelling lists – spelling techniques
Humanities	History – Oracle Bones
Art/DT	Using clay to create a Taotie design.
Music	National Anthems
Spanish	The climate in regions of Spain
R.E.	The Lord's Prayer.
PE	Skills and agility.

Homework

- Spellings – personal spelling list – test on Thursday (INSET day on Friday)
- Times Tables – Times Table Rockstars
- English – To the best of your ability, please complete the grammar activities to reinforce our understanding of modal verbs.
- Maths – Year 5 and Year 6 – Please complete the tasks set for your child on [maths.co.uk](https://www.maths.co.uk)
- This week's capital cities: Austria, Egypt and Japan.
Retrieval question:
- What can you remember about Oracle bones?

Please write your reads in your reading diary for the bookmarks! These will be checked and signed at the end of each week.