

St Mike's

Shoutout



25TH SEPTEMBER 2026

Tel: 01733 306778
office@stm.act-academytrust.org
www.stm.act-academytrust.org

Diary Dates September

- Tuesday 29th - PTA Mtg, 9 - 10am

October

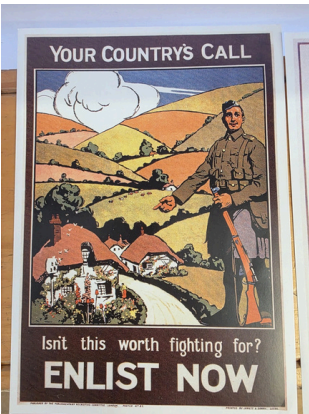
- Thursday 1st - Netball Match, away game at Heritage Park
- Friday 2nd - EYFS Puddlejump Role Play visit
- Friday 2nd - SEND Football event, 1 - 3pm
- Thursday 8th - Girls Football Match, Home against Orton St John
- Friday 9th - Year 2 Ferry Meadows Trip
- Wednesday 14th, 15th & 16th - Sponsored Colour Run
- Thursday 15th - Netball Match, Away against Hampton Vale
- Monday 19th - Year 1 Hamerton Zoo Trip
- Wednesday 21st, 22nd & 23rd - Sponsored Colour Run
- Monday 26th - Friday 30th - Half Term Holiday

November

- Tuesday 3rd - Year 3 Peterborough Museum Trip
- Tuesday 3rd - New Reception 2027 Open Morning, 10 - 11am
- Wednesday 4th - Individual & Sibling 'Happy Days' School Photo's
- Wednesday 4th - Girls Football match, Away at Jack Hunt, 12 - 3pm
- Tuesday 10th - Whole School Flu Immunisations

Year 4's History off the Page

This week, Year 4 children dressed up in World War One attire as part of an exciting immersive learning experience. Through role-play, activities and discussions, the children explored what life was like for soldiers and civilians during the war. Dressing as people from the period helped bring history to life, developing their understanding, empathy and appreciation of the challenges faced by those living in wartime. The children were enthusiastic and fully engaged, making it a memorable and valuable learning experience for all.



We do love to see your four legged friends but could we please ask that you refrain from bringing them onto school grounds, whether walked or carried. Thank you so much.

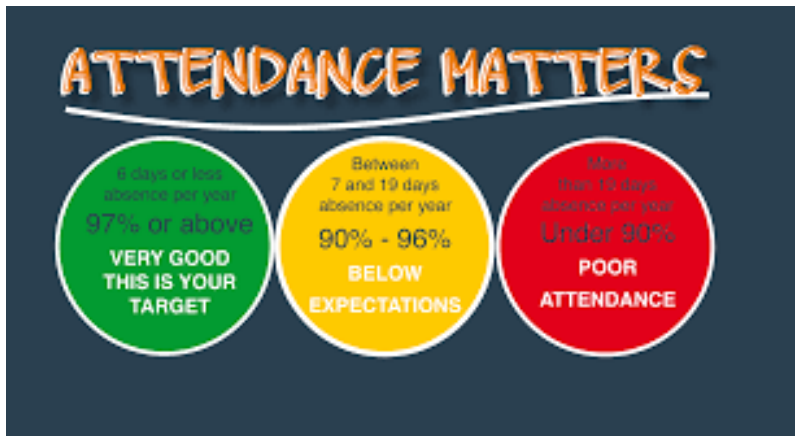


New
to You



Back my popular demand!
Our 'New to you' Uniform will be available, daily, for you to purchase. It is located in the main school foyer. Pop in at any time and take a look and grab yourself a bargain for just £1. If we don't have the size you are looking for on the rail then please just ask the office team who can check the spare stock held.

Please don't forget to label your purchase so we can reunite it should it become lost.



Help support Foodbank this Harvest

In the three weeks leading up to Harvest, the food bank will provide over 300 food parcels for local individuals and families who are hungry and have no food

Buy food

Buy an item or two from our shopping list, to make sure we can provide food for hungry people in Peterborough

Give money

Help to cover the costs of buying extra food

Scan this QR code to donate money



Shopping list

- Jam
- Tinned fruit
- Cereals 500g
- Tinned tomatoes
- Pasta sauce
- Biscuits
- Crisps (multi pack)
- Sweet snacks
- Tinned meat
- Toiletries

You can also buy food for us at

GIVE TODAY online shop at givetoday.co.uk
and select Peterborough Foodbank to see our shopping list

peterborough.foodbank.org.uk

Out of school awards and achievements



Well done to Loan this week, for his badminton medal- we are so proud of you!

Don't forget to keep sending in awards and celebrations from outside of school. You never know, you might inspire someone else to join your hobby/interest!



TTRockstars!!

Top 3 classes who have earned the most coins collectively on TTRS.

- 1st Place - Foxes - 105,963 coins
- 2nd Place - Kestrelss - 40,448 coins
- 3rd Place - Ravens - 39,373 coins

Please remember that TTRS is a homework requirement and encourage your child to log in and use Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) regularly. For our younger children we now use **NUMBOTS**. It's a fantastic tool that really helps develop fluency and confidence with number and multiplication facts. If you are having any trouble logging in, please speak to your child's class teacher for support.

Year 1's learning journey

This week in Year 1, we have been really engaged in our Animal Science topic! So far, we have been learning about different animal groups, including fish, birds and, this week, mammals. The children have enjoyed identifying animals that belong to each group and discussing what makes them similar or different.

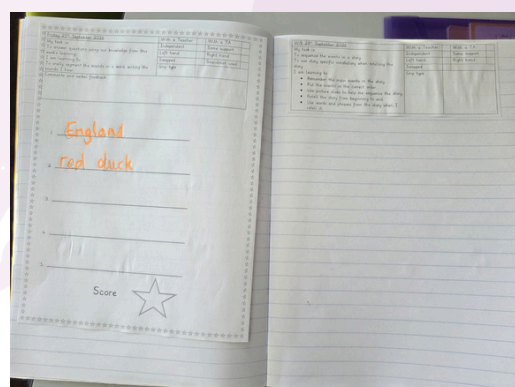
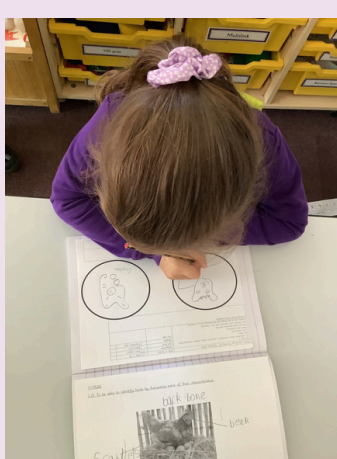
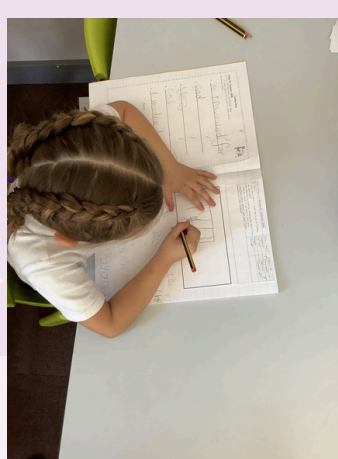
This week, we chose two mammals to draw and then compared them, thinking carefully about their similarities and differences. We have loved seeing the children's knowledge and ideas develop as we explore the fascinating world of animals!

In English, we have been focusing on remembering to use our finger spaces between words. We have also been writing about where we would take our suitcase after reading our key text, The Suitcase. The children have enjoyed using their imaginations to think about different places they might travel to and what adventures they could have!

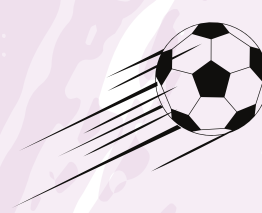
Would you like to be a Governor?

We are inviting parents and carers to consider joining our school as a Parent Governor. This is a fantastic opportunity to play an active role in supporting our school community, helping to shape its future and ensuring that the views and experiences of parents are represented.

No previous experience of school governance is required—just a willingness to contribute, listen, ask questions and work collaboratively with the governing body and school leadership team. If you are interested in making a positive contribution to our school and would like to find out more about the role, please read the letter coming home today!



Footie news...



It has been a hard three Thursdays with the boys' and girls' football tryouts!

It started with the tryout of 22 boys who will make up two teams representing the school. They played against each other, giving our football coach Mr Foster, the chance to see who would work well together as a team.

He said that they made his decision a very difficult one — which he absolutely loved! It just shows how many talented players we have across our school.

The girls' tryouts took place last week, and choosing a team, from the 16 girls who came along, was super tricky. Being the softy that Mr Foster is, he couldn't bring himself to exclude anyone, so told them all that they could be part of the team - one way or another!

Another really positive development is that we are looking at starting a PAN/SEND team. This will be a mixed team and will give more of our pupils the opportunity to get involved and represent the school.

We are really looking forward to seeing what the future holds for St Michael's football teams. There is so much talent, enthusiasm and potential, and we are excited to see it grow.

Well done to everyone who has taken part over the last three weeks — you should all be incredibly proud of yourselves!

NenePark Academy

KIND
AMBITIOUS
HARDWORKING

OPEN EVENING
For prospective Year 7 students

Thursday 8th October 6-8pm No booking required

Meet our staff and current students Explore our specialist classrooms and facilities Learn about our curriculum Learn about our extensive enrichment opportunities

We look forward to sharing our school with you and showing you the opportunities available to our students.

