

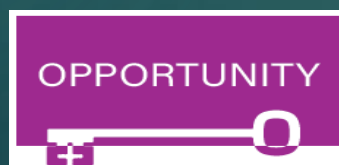


World Class School 2021



**Welcome
Back!**

9th September
2022



From the Headteacher's Office...

Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We hope that you have had a lovely summer – the weather has been wonderful and, after the restrictions of the pandemic, it has been great to have a more 'normal' summer.

Here at school, our Site Team have been incredibly busy carrying out decoration works and co-ordinating contractors across the site. At the front of school, we now have new fencing to protect pedestrians from the visitor/disabled car park and new, lockable bike storage for our Key Stage 1 children and our staff. We have been able to expand one of our intervention rooms off the dining hall and have also started work on creating our new Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 libraries – more information on these will follow. A huge thank you to Mr Hopkins and the Site Team for all their hard work over the Summer Holidays.

We have an amazing year planned and look forward to sharing events with you in our regular Feelgood Friday newsletters – as Mr Fry has always said 'in the blink of an eye it will be July'! Please make sure we have your up to date contact information so that we can ensure you receive all communications from us.

Best wishes, Mrs Bowyer (Headteacher)



Please ask your child/children about our new school rules – The RPS Way



The RPS Way



Be **R**espectful



Be **P**repared



Be **S**afe



PERSONAL BEST



OPPORTUNITY




LEADERSHIP



COMMUNITY



LEARNING



Dates for your diary

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 7th September - school re-opens

OCTOBER

Friday 21st October – staff training day – school closed

Monday 24th - Friday 28th October – October half term

Monday 31st October – school photographer in (individual photos)



Don't forget....

School now starts at 8:45 for all year groups. Reception children (Owls) should enter through the Reception Gate. Year 1 and 2 through the front courtyard and Years 3-6 through the Playground Gate.

At the end of the day please collect your child/ren at 3:00pm from the following locations:

Reception – Reception Outdoor area
Year 1 and 2 – Front of School
Year 3-6 – Enter via the Playground Gate
and collect from individual classrooms (or email office@rps.pkat.co.uk to give your child 'walk home alone' permission)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Illness/Other Absences

If your child is ill, please call the school office on 01733 263342 and select option 1 to leave a message (the absence line is available 24/7) or email office@rps.pkat.co.uk
Thank you



Injuries (outside of school)

If your child has an injury, such as a broken bone, please do let us know as soon as possible – email office@rps.pkat.co.uk
We will need to put a care plan in place before they return to school.
Thank you

Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication during the school day, you must complete a medication form, link below
<https://forms.office.com/r/cfRXYcrknQ>



Important

Pupil details

It is essential that we have up-to-date records for every child in school, particularly home address, email and mobile phone numbers. If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please email office@rps.pkat.co.uk
Thank you

Free School Meals

Applying for free school meals is quick and simple to do using the online application form below
www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals and select “no” when asked if you have previously claimed.

Healthy snacks & water bottles

Children can bring in a healthy snack to have at break time. This **MUST NOT** be chocolate or nuts – we are a nut free school.

Children **must** bring in a named water bottle.

School Uniform

Uniform for years 1 - 5



Uniform Years 1-5

Children **must** wear the full school uniform unless it is a PE day.

For Years 1 – 5 the uniform is:

- A white polo shirt
- A Dark Green Cardigan or Jumper
- Dark Grey trousers, skirt or pinafore dress
 - Black/Grey socks or tights
- Smart Black School Shoes (not trainers or boots)

These can be bought from most major supermarkets or from Chroma Sports.

From Reception to Year 2, children are expected to also bring a book bag to school each day – these can be purchased from Chroma Sports.

Year 3 – 6 should bring a bag each day – for Year 5 and 6, this should be large enough to safely carry their ipads

Long hair should be tied back using green or black hair ties/bands. Decorative hair bands (such as unicorns/cats) **must not** be worn to school

School Uniform – Year 6

(in preparation for secondary school)



Uniform Year 6

Children must wear the full school uniform unless it is a PE day.

For Year 6 the uniform is:

- A white shirt/blouse
- House Team tie
- A Grey v-neck knitted jumper
- Dark Grey trousers, skirt or pinafore dress
- Black/Grey socks or tights
- Smart Black School Shoes (not trainers or boots)

These can be bought from most major supermarkets or from Chroma Sports.

Ties will be provided for every child in Year 6, however if this is lost, parents will need to replace it.

Year 6 should bring a bag each day – this should be large enough to safely carry their ipads

Long hair should be tied back using green or black hair ties/bands. Decorative hair bands (such as unicorns/cats) must not be worn to school

School Uniform – PE Days Only

Our PE Uniform is pictured below – children should wear plain t-shirts in their house colour, plain black PE Shorts or Joggers. They can also wear a plain black hoodie on PE days

Children should not wear patterned leggings or tops to school, even on PE days. This includes sports tops with logos.

Long hair must be tied back on PE days, using plain green/black hair accessories

PE Uniform for PE days ONLY

Black sweatshirt &
PE T-shirt in House colour
(Red, Blue, Green or Yellow)



AND

AND
Black PE Shorts



Plain Black joggers



AND Black trainers
(NOT Plimsolls)



CHROMA

SPORTSWEAR

Unit 10, Wulfric Square
Bretton Peterborough PE3 8RF

T: 01733 262526 E: sales@chromasport.co.uk

Years 1-6
PE Uniform

All uniform items
can be
purchased from
supermarkets.

From
September, we
will be
contacting
families where
children do not
wear the correct
uniform to
school



PERSONAL BEST



Achievements and success
inside AND outside of school.



Reminder

If your child achieves a 'Personal Best' over the summer, please email in to office@rps.pkat.co.uk so we can share their wonderful achievements.



We are pleased to announce that Laura was selected to represent England for the Table Tennis Euro-Mini Championships in Strasbourg, France between 26-28 August. There were 374 players born between 2009-2011 from 31 European countries that were participating in the competition. The selection of all the players was based on the results at the under 11 and under 13 National Championships and this included silver medal owner Laura. Laura, the youngest player, won a few fierce games but found it tough in her first taste of international competition, even without any prize she has gained valuable experience and improving her ranking in Europe. Well done!



During the summer holidays Andrew managed to get his first level passed at swimming. He is not liking front crawl so much, but his back stroke is amazing and super-fast!

Andrew also conquered his fear of chickens by picking up the biggest rooster in the flock.

Well done!

Calling
all year
5
children!



PETERBOROUGH KEYS
ACADEMIES TRUST



Calling all Year 5 children in PKAT schools...

HOLIDAY COMPETITION TIME!

Our friends at National Highways and Graham Construction are currently replacing the Longthorpe Footbridge over the A47 road, close to our schools. Here is an artist's impression of what the bridge might look like when finished:



Graham Construction would like you to give you a competition challenge to design your



DREAM FOOTBRIDGE!

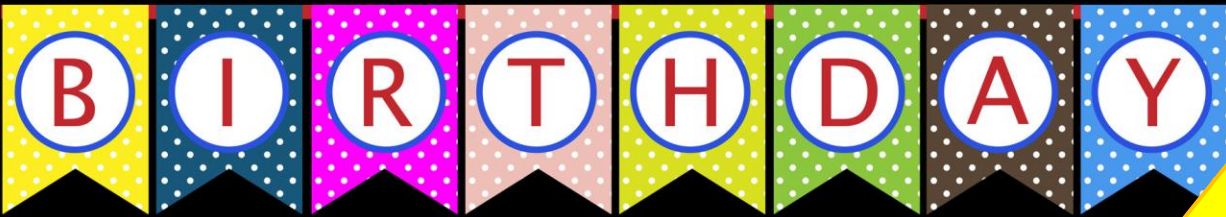


COMPETITION
-TIME-

Designs should be completed A4 landscape size. You can use A4 paper with pens/ pencil/ paint and take a photo of your design using your iPad or use a drawing app on your iPad—just make sure it can be printed in A4 landscape size and include your name and school. One winning design will be chosen from each school. The winning design will be 'blown up' into a huge poster and displayed on the hoarding around the bridge as it is being constructed. Hundreds of cars and trucks will see your design every day on the A47! Each winner will also receive an Amazon voucher.

Closing date: Friday 5th August—please email your entry to sandra.saxton@graham.co.uk

Birthdays



Arya S
9

Toma
9

Abbie
9

Mrs
Figueira

Willow
7

Kamile
7

Evie W
5

Mrs
Pedley

Happy Birthday from everyone at Ravensthorpe!