



St Peter's Church of England Aided School

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Dear Students, Parents and Carers

Extra-Curricular Update

Following confirmation from Devon County Council (DCC) and unions we are now able to update you regarding our extra-curricular provision. I previously informed everyone in the letter of 6th November that extra-curricular would sadly need to be paused. I am delighted that extra-curricular provision can now begin again in year group bubbles. Staff who are able to offer these opportunities will be in touch about the details of this.

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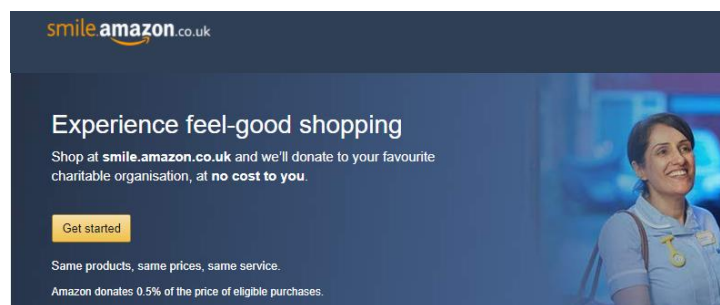
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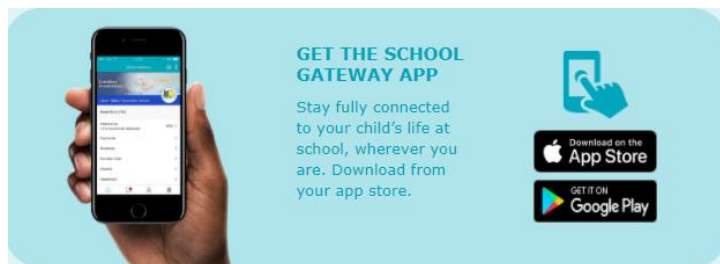
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Please Download the SchoolGateway App!

During this time you'll be aware we have a lot of important information we need to share with you and we don't want anyone to miss out on these key communications. To help us get information to you quickly, we would like to encourage you to download and sign in to the School Gateway app. This will allow us to send a short message alert to your mobile or tablet ensuring you are kept informed. All messages sent to parents through the app are free, so will help the school to save money which can be prioritised to other needs. You can also do a lot more within the App so it's well worth a look! If you have already signed up – thank you!

For more information please visit <https://www.spexe.org/622/school-gateway> or search for School gateway in your App Store.

If your contact details have recently changed, please let us know by emailing: datateam@spexe.org



Methods of Communicating

We really value your feedback, whether it is to praise, query or share concerns and ask that you use the following channels to support us working constructively in partnership as we all try to do our best in these incredibly challenging times.

We are trying to communicate in clear and concise ways that don't bombard you. Below is a guide that we trust will help you and us share key information.

- **Planner** – please write a note for your child's Tutor/Teacher if you wish to use the planner
- **Subject Learning** – please email subject teachers if you have specific questions
- **Welfare Needs** – please email tutors if you have specific questions
- **General Praise, Queries or Concerns** – please email SLT Admin Team
- **Text, Social Media, Website, Email and Letters** – we will try to keep these to a minimum with just key information so as not to overwhelm you



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Daily Kit and Checklist - Please bring in:

- A warm waterproof coat
- Hand sanitiser
- Tissues
- pencil cases, pens, rulers etc
- sports equipment e.g. footballs, tennis balls, frisbees if you wish to as long as you don't use them beyond your Year Group 'Bubble'
- If using Chromebooks/computers please bring your own earphones
- Named lunchbox with food and snacks and named water bottles. We suggest 2 full bottles in the hot weather
- **In order to reduce transmission of infection please do not share water bottles**
- If cycling – bike helmet and bike lock

Thank you for supporting our school community.

Yours faithfully

Phil Randall
Headteacher

Key Dates 2020

Friday 27th November 2020 – non-pupil day – school closed

Last day of term Friday 18th December 2020

Spring Term

Students return to school Monday 4th January 2021

Last day of half-term Friday 12th February 2021

Students return to school after half-term on Monday 22nd February 2021