



27TH FEBRUARY 2026

PEEL BROW'S WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER



Mrs Mort's Update

Welcome back after the half-term break—it has been wonderful to see pupils return refreshed and ready to learn. The children have made a strong start to the new half term, showing great enthusiasm in their lessons and real pride in their work. Across school, there has been a lovely sense of togetherness as pupils support one another, celebrate achievements, and show kindness in those small but important moments. It's been a joy to see our community reconnect so positively, and we're looking forward to building on this excellent start in the weeks ahead.

Remember that you can stay up-to-date with important messages by checking your emails and via our website. Find out what your child has been learning about this week on Instagram <https://www.instagram.com/peelbrowprimaryschool/>

If you need to speak to a member of staff, please call the school office on 01706 823204 or drop in.

Spotlight On: Reading

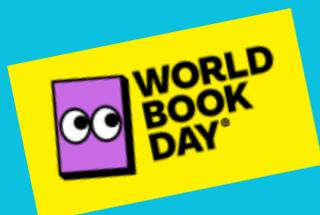
With World Book Day just around the corner, we're celebrating the joy of sharing stories at home. Each week, your child brings home two books: a "30 Reads Before You Leave" choice for cosy, shared reading and conversation, and a carefully levelled reading book to build fluency and confidence through regular practice. Reading records should be signed at home and brought back to school so books can be changed regularly. If your child is following Read Write Inc. phonics, you can also access the QR codes linking to short videos that model sounds and blending—perfect for supporting early reading at home. A few minutes of reading together each day makes a big difference—and keeps the magic of books alive.



What's been going on in school this week?

In The Hive, children have embraced imaginative play, transforming the farm kitchen shop café into a lively hub of creativity and cooperation. Our Ducklings were thrilled when a mysterious egg appeared in their classroom—sparking lots of discussion and predictions about what might be inside! They have also begun exploring their new topic on dinosaurs, diving into prehistoric discoveries with great enthusiasm.

In Kingfishers, pupils have been investigating how sound is created and travels. Using a range of instruments, they experimented with vibrations and even designed their own communication devices using string and pots—much to their delight. Meanwhile, Falcons have been crafting thoughtful poetry linked to their history work on Peterloo, showcasing powerful language and insight. They have also been hands-on in Science, building and testing electrical circuits as part of their studies on electricity.



WORLD BOOK DAY 2026 THURSDAY 5TH MARCH

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. To mark our Bedtime Stories theme, children are warmly invited to come to school dressed in pyjamas or comfy clothes and to bring along their favourite book to share.

YOU ARE INVITED!

We would also love parents and carers to join us for this special start to the day. You are welcome to come into school at 8:30am and spend some time in the classroom enjoying stories together. It's a lovely opportunity to celebrate the joy of sharing books as a community.



Safeguarding Update

This week, we are focusing on safe and respectful friendships, helping children understand what positive relationships look and feel like. At Peel Brow, our three school rules — Ready, Respectful and Safe — guide everything we do, including how we treat one another. Pupils learn that good friendships make them feel included, listened to, and valued, and that being respectful means using kind words, sharing fairly, and considering other people's feelings. We also talk about how to stay safe in friendships by recognising when something doesn't feel right and knowing they can always speak to a trusted adult. By helping children be ready to talk, respectful in their actions, and safe in their choices, we support them in building healthy, confident relationships both in and out of school.

Music genre of
the half term:
Rock



Musician of the week -
The Beatles



Celebrating Good Attendance




3 Week Attendance
Challenge

Come to school everyday, on time between 9th
march to 26th march

Three food
hamper's up
for grabs!



All children with
100% attendance
over the 3 weeks
will be entered
into a prize draw



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25-26 Calendar Spring Term



Dates for your diary

Monday 5th January - School opens

Wednesday 7th - 9th January - Robinwood Trip

Tuesday 20th January - Carbon Monoxide Workshop Falcons & Robins

Wednesday 4th February - SEND Coffee & Catch Up 8.30am

Tuesday 10th February - Year 2 Maths parent workshop 8.30am

Wednesday 11th February - Year 1 Maths parent workshop 8.30am

Thursday 12th February - Reception Maths parent workshop 8.30am

Thursday 12th February - School Disco 4pm-5.15pm £2 entry

Friday 13th February - Last day before school closes for half term

Monday 23rd February - School Re-Opens

Monday 2nd March - Falcons Bikeability

Wednesday 4th March - Class Photographs

Monday 9th March - Science Week

Wednesday 18th March - Falcons Crucial Crew Visit

Wednesday 18th March KS2 Parent and Carer's Evening - a letter will be sent out to book a slot to meet with your child's teacher

Friday 20th March Non-uniform day - bring in an Easter Egg or chocolate treat in exchange for wearing your own clothes

Wednesday 1st April - Easter Bingo. Keep your eyes peeled for ticket sales.

Thursday 2nd April - Living Our Values Above and Beyond assembly - parents of this term's value winners to be invited.

Thursday April 2nd - Last day - School Closes for Easter Holidays