



13TH FEBRUARY 2026

PEEL BROW'S WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER



Mrs Mort's Update

As we reach the end of a wonderful half term, I want to take a moment to celebrate the many positive experiences our children have enjoyed over the past few weeks. It has been a joy to see their enthusiasm shining through in everything they do. This week, we were delighted to welcome families into school for three Mastering Number workshops. Thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us—your involvement makes such a difference.

As we break up today for a well-deserved week's rest, I'd like to thank our whole school community for your ongoing support. We look forward to welcoming everyone back, refreshed and ready for more learning and new adventures next half term.

Spotlight On: Mental Health

This week, we proudly celebrated Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week. Our focus was on the theme of Belonging, an idea that truly resonates across our school community. The week began with a special assembly led by visitors from the MHST, who helped the children explore what it means to feel included, valued and connected. Every child designed their own jigsaw piece to represent themselves, and when assembled, the pieces showed beautifully how we all fit together and belong at Peel Brow. Throughout the week, pupils took part in a range of thoughtful activities, including creating kindness jars filled with positive and encouraging messages for one another. It was a wonderful celebration of wellbeing, togetherness and the importance of looking after ourselves and each other.

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.



What's been going on in school this week?

In The Hive, children have been tasting porridge as they reenacted the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears — and it was just right! Our Ducklings have been learning all about Chinese New Year and have written some fantastic facts to share. In Robins, pupils enjoyed publishing their explanation texts about electrical circuits, confidently using technical vocabulary. Meanwhile, The Falcons have also been busy publishing their work — a thoughtful letter to Keir Starmer about global warming and pollution. We wonder... will they receive a reply? Our children also enjoyed the arrival of new playground equipment this week. They had great fun exploring a range of outdoor toys and sports resources, with the stilts proving to be especially popular!



Sr Keir Starmer
Leader of the Labour Party
House of Commons
London, SW1A 0AA

Dear Sr Keir Starmer,

I am writing to you to share my opinions and concerns about a severe problem called global warming. It is very widely known that an estimated 1.2 billion tonnes of ice are lost yearly affecting many animals and their habitats. I trust that a hard-working and intelligent man like yourself will step up and help to stop global warming. I am sure that you will choose the correct option.



Another problem we are facing is how fossil fuels are worsening climate change. We must make an effort to stop global warming: the fires from the cars we use every day produce lots of CO₂ and other greenhouse gasses, weakening our earth. Global warming is also expected to cause approximately 250,000 additional deaths yearly between 2030 and 2050. I know that you will make an impact.

Thank you for reading this letter and taking this issue into consideration. Your passion and dedication to improving our country is very inspiring and your work is highly valued. I hope that you will acknowledge this letter and help to stop global warming.



Yours sincerely

Our school disco was a huge hit this week! The children had a brilliant time dancing to their favourite songs, laughing with friends, and enjoying a fun-filled evening together. The atmosphere was fantastic and it was lovely to see so many happy faces on the dance floor.



Safeguarding Update

As we head into the half-term break, we have been reminding all pupils about making safe and sensible choices when out and about in the community. This week, local police officers visited school to speak to the children about how their actions can affect others and how to behave responsibly when playing in the neighbourhood. Their visit aimed at helping our pupils understand how to keep themselves safe, make good decisions, and show respect for the places in which we live. We kindly ask parents and carers to continue these conversations at home and to keep an eye on where children are spending their time over the holiday. By working together, we can help ensure that everyone enjoys a safe, positive and restful half term.



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**Music genre of
the half term:
Disco**



Musician of the week -
Gloria Gaynor



Attendance Matters at Peel Brow.

School reopens on Monday 23rd February, with classroom doors opening at 8.30am.

We can't wait to welcome everyone back for more exciting learning opportunities throughout the remainder of the Spring Term.

Good attendance makes a huge difference to children's progress, confidence and friendships, so please help your child to start each day ready for learning by arriving promptly. Every school day counts!



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