

Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God, my Saviour and my hope is in you all day long.

Dates for the diary

20.10.25 School tours for Nursery and reception places 2026

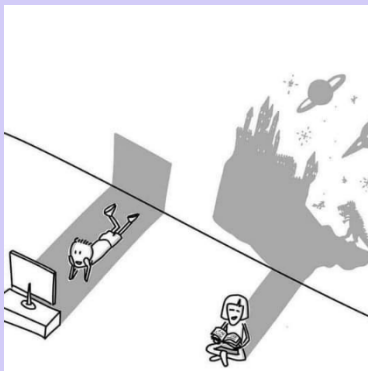
22.10.25 School individual photos

20.10.25 **Y4** Tudor Play to parents

9th Nov Sheffield Steelers game

13.11.25 6 p.m-7 p.m. 150th history evening – to celebrate our 150th year (girl's school) we are inviting members of the public who came to this school to join us and share their memories and have a tour around the school.

REMEMBER TO PREBOOK YOUR CHILDS SCHOOL LUNCHES BY 8AM ON THE DAY.



Tankersley St. Peter's Primary School

Head Teacher Newsletter 17.10.25

Dear Tankersley St Peter's Community,

I am delighted to share the remarkable activities and achievements from our school this week. Our dedicated core council embarked on a significant traffic survey on Wednesday, monitoring vehicle movements around our school. The results were truly eye-opening: I had initially estimated approximately 58 cars, but the actual count revealed 337 cars on New Road and 222 on Westwood New Road during a mere half-hour period.

In response to these findings, we are taking proactive steps to ensure our pupils' safety. We will be writing to our local MP to advocate for safer crossing provisions. Moreover, our pupils have enthusiastically taken initiative by organising a walk to school event scheduled for 21st November.



I am thrilled to announce an extraordinary achievement. Our school was nominated for the Modeshift Awards, a national

recognition for sustainable travel initiatives. Modeshift STARS, a programme championing active and environmentally friendly transportation, provides accreditation for organisations promoting walking, cycling, and public transport. Our core council represented our school at the ceremony, and I am immensely proud to share that we won! We are now Barnsley's winning school - a testament to our commitment to sustainable practices.

Our church diocese has approached us about an exciting opportunity called Open The Book. This training package enables congregational members to deliver engaging, scripted collective worship in schools. They are seeking volunteers, particularly grandparents, to form small, fun groups that pupils thoroughly enjoy.

**Open
the
Book**

EVENT:

**Open the Book
Core Training**



Open the Book (OtB) is an exciting storytelling project where Bible stories are shared with primary school children by church volunteers. It's fun, interactive & memorable.

Date: Tuesday 4 November

Time: 10.30am – 2.30pm (Lunch provided)

Venue: Diocesan House, Rotherham, S65 1BL

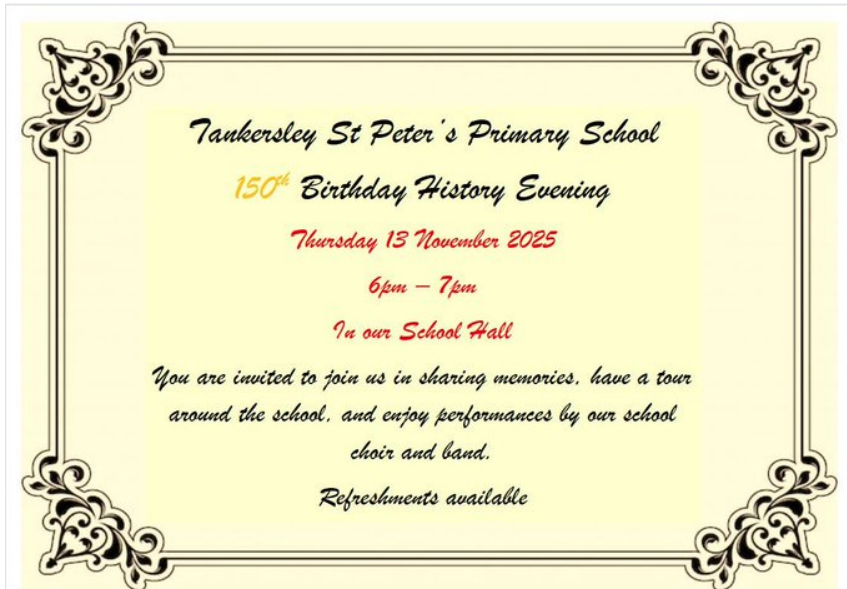
Booking:

www.biblesociety.org.uk/get-involved/open-the-book/training/



I would like to extend a warm welcome to Nicola Cook, our new parent governor. We are looking forward to collaborating with her and benefiting from her valuable contributions.

An exciting milestone approaches: our school's 150th birthday history evening! We cordially invite our community to join us for an evening of celebration. The event will feature a choir performance, an opportunity to explore old registers, photographs, and Head Teacher diaries, and a tour showcasing our school's evolution. We warmly encourage you to bring any historical photographs or memories to share in our special memory book.



Lastly, a practical notice for parents: if a child is not collected on time, we will continue attempting to contact parents. Children not collected promptly will be placed in after-school care, with charges applied accordingly.

ATTENDANCE

The national attendance figure is 97%.

Weekly attendance figure	Sessions lost this week	Authorised absences	Unauthorised Absences
97.9	41	33	8

This weekend I will be visiting the in-laws, but this never goes well, as they just won't take their son back.

Apparently, I married him, so he is my responsibility now! I will also be shoveling 850kg of stones around my garden, that were delivered on Thursday.

Have a good weekend