



NEWSLETTER – July 2026

Dear St Peter, Catholic School Families,

Let Us Remember...We are in the Holy Presence of God.

On behalf of Fr. Chris Stoley, our new Pastor and Chief Administrative Officer, as well as our priests, Christ the King Sisters, faculty, and staff, welcome to the 2026–27 school year! As we prepare for another faith-filled year with the children entrusted to our care, we look forward to celebrating this year's school theme: **"That they may all be one" (John 17:21)**. We pray that this theme will inspire our students, families, and staff to grow together in faith, unity, and service.

Whether you are a new family joining our school community or a returning family, please do not hesitate to contact the School Office with any questions (see School Office Hours below). We also encourage you to visit our website and follow our Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/stpeterschoollincoln/>.

Coming soon: our Back-to-School webpage, which will provide important information and resources for the upcoming school year. Additional communications regarding back-to-school preparations will be shared in the coming weeks as we approach the first day of school on **Tuesday, August 18**.

Finally, don't forget to 'opt-in' on our text message feature as part of our school-wide notification system. To activate the text message feature, text "Y" or "Yes" to 67587.

Mary Our Queen...Pray for Us! / St. Peter...Pray for Us! / Live Jesus in Our Hearts...Forever!

Curt H. Feilmeier, Principal

2026-2027 'BACK TO SCHOOL' INFORMATION included...

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SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS: July – August

Wednesday, July 15 / 22 / 29 & August 5: 9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Starting Monday, August 10th, our School Office will be open Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Starting Tuesday, August 18th, our School Office will return to regular school hours, 7:45 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Phone: 402.421.6299 / Email: office@stpeterslincoln.com

USED UNIFORM SALE

Wednesday, July 29, 4:00-7:00 p.m.

St. John Paul II Hall

*cash only

Donation and consignment of uniform items will be accepted:

Monday, July 27: TBD (separate email will be sent)

Tuesday, July 28: TBD (separate email will be sent)

Consignment items will need to have a tag with price, Size, Consignment #, & Item description (e.g., "skirt"). Email Holly Schlautman (holly.schlautman@gmail.com) or Heather Fusco (poractivewellness14@gmail.com) for a consignment number or with questions. Volunteers needed! We can use help setting up on Monday and Tuesday and for the sale on Wednesday. If you are available, please email hollyschlautman@gmail.com. Pickup of remaining items/cash – Wednesday, July 29th between 7:30-8:00 p.m. All uniforms/cash remaining after 8:00 p.m. on July 29 will be donated to St. Peter School (unless arrangements have been made).

Suggested pricing:

Jumper: \$10-\$12

Skirt: \$10-\$12

Pant: \$3

Polo: \$2

Blouse: \$2

Jr. High Polo: \$3

Sweatshirt: \$2

Fleece: \$5

Leggings: \$2

*We will not be accepting "Spirit Gear" items.

Pricing at discretion of the Seller

DRESS CODE GUIDELINES (K-8):

Overview is available at <https://saintpeterlincoln.com/school>. Note: Dennis Uniform items (discontinued in Fall 2025) may be worn if in good condition. Uniforms not required for PreSchool and PreKindergarten students.

DRESS CODE VENDOR SALES

Lands' End*

- Website: <https://www.landsend.com/>

- School Code: 900145863

- Currently: 10% off – Code: BINDER10 | PIN: 9076

Tommy Hilfiger*

- Website: <http://www.globalschoolwear.com/>

- School Code: STPE08

- Currently: Each family is eligible to receive a \$50 voucher. Watch for an email sent from school for the Tommy Hilfiger link.

* - Additional sales announcements are anticipated.



SPIRIT GEAR:

✓ Check it out! Our online store has Ts, sweatshirts & hats for the whole family. Shop here:

https://shirts101.store/saint_peters_school/shop/home

☀ Store closes **Tuesday, July 28 at 9:00 a.m.** Orders can be picked up on Thursday, August 13 during Meet the Teacher/Picture Day.

✏ Note: This apparel is not for daily uniform dress code but can be worn to school on designated Spirit Dress days.



BACK TO SCHOOL SWIM PARTY (Sponsored by the School Family Association)

Monday, August 3

7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Eden Swimming Pool (4400 Antelope Creek Road)

ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

Attached. Click [HERE](#) or visit our school website at <https://saintpeterlincoln.com/school>, click NEWS and click CALENDAR. Additional updates will continue throughout the year, be sure to check often.

SUPPLY LISTS:

Also available on our school website at <https://saintpeterlincoln.com/school> under PARENTS–SUPPLY LISTS or click [HERE](#) for direct link.

CLASS LISTS:

The class lists will be posted on Saturday, August 1st @ 4:00 p.m. down the stairs from St. Paul Outside the Walls.

DISMISSAL GROUPS:

At St. Peter Catholic School, we have a dismissal process that assigns numbers to the areas where children are picked up at the end of the school day. Parents need to select a dismissal group for their students and students are sent to that group number each day at dismissal. Attached is a map of our dismissal group areas for reference. *NOTE: SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON CONSTRUCTION.*

Returning School Families:

If you **need to change**, or would like to verify, your students' dismissal group, please email the School Office at office@stpeterslincoln.com prior to August 3rd so changes can be entered for the upcoming school year. Any students who have not indicated a change will be in the same dismissal group they were in at the end of last school year.

New School Families:

Please look the dismissal group map over and email the School Office at office@stpeterslincoln.com prior to August 3rd with the dismissal group number you would like your student to go to every day. Include the name and grade (Billy Jones, 1st Grade) of your student in your email.

*For safety, if the drive-up lane dismissal group (Area #8) is selected, your student must be able to **independently** get into the vehicle **on the curb side** and buckle themselves into their seat. If an adult needs to stop and get out to assist your child into the car or to buckle, please select a different dismissal group area. Families may be asked to change dismissal groups if safety protocols are not followed in the drive-up lane dismissal group.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Click links for additional information):

- **Parents of Students REPARING A STUDENT FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION OR CONFIRMATION?** Parents, we are excited to work with you and your family to prepare your children for a new sacramental encounter with Jesus. All parents are asked to fill out our Sacrament Preparation Form to be added to our mailing list and help us prepare materials for your family. To fill out the form, click [HERE](#). Additionally, a parent/guardian or both parents from a family preparing a child are asked to attend a one-time Sacrament Preparation Meeting. Any families who attended a sacrament meeting last year **DO NOT NEED TO ATTEND** this year. Meetings will be in the St. Cecilia music room downstairs:
 - August 5, 2026 – Sacrament Meeting 7:00pm
 - August 19, 2026 – Sacrament Meeting 7:00pmMaterials for sacrament preparations will be available for pick up at these meetings. Families who attended last year's meetings can pick up materials during parish office hours beginning August 6, at our first Family Faith Formation Community Gathering, or at the SFA Meeting on August 25. Contact the Parish Office for additional information.

- **Thursday, August 13th: Meet Your Teacher & Picture Day.** PreSchool – Grade 8 Parents and students are invited to visit the school during their designated time to meet their teachers, drop off school supplies and get their school picture taken.
3:00 p.m. - Last Names beginning with A-C (Start with pictures first; classrooms open at 3:00 p.m.)
3:15 p.m. – D-G
3:30 p.m. – H-K
3:45 p.m. – L-M
4:00 p.m. – N-R
4:15 p.m. – S-T
4:30 p.m. – U-Z
(If your assigned time does not work, please come at 4:45 p.m.)
Classrooms are open from 3:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.
School Picture ordering information will be sent under separate email.
- **Tuesday, August 25th: Back to School Night @ St. Peter.** More information to come under separate email.
- **Extended Day Program Registration** – for Before and After School Care
- **(Coming Soon) School Lunch Program Page** - to see the lunch menu, check your MySchoolBucks account and download the application for Free & Reduced Lunches.
- **(Coming Soon) 7th & 8th Grade Sports Participation Form** – Reminder for 8th Grade Students - If your student plans to participate in sports at St. Peter, he/she will need a current physical turned into the office prior to participation in the sport. (Your student's 7th grade physical does not qualify, as this is an annual requirement.)
- **Reminder for 7th Grade Students** - Students are required to have a physical exam by a health care provider and an updated immunization record including a Tdap vaccine within six (6) months prior to the entrance into 7th Grade. A copy of the physical and a complete list of immunizations from your provider is due in the school office before August 18, 2026.

If questions regarding items in this Newsletter, please contact the School Office at 402.421.6299 and continue to monitor your email and our school's [website](#) (including our Back to School page...coming soon) and [social media](#) for further back to school information and forms, including items coming from our Saint Peter 'School Family Association' (SFA).



ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

ABIDE IN CHRIST AND BUILD HIS KINGDOM

2026-2027 Student Dress Code Guidelines

REGULAR SCHOOL DAYS / Kindergarten – Grade 8

DRESS CODE – INTRODUCTION/OVERVIEW:

We are “temples of the Holy Spirit, God dwelling within.” (1Cor 6:19) St. Peter Catholic School (SPCS) students should reflect this conviction. With ongoing styles and material changes that take place within the academic and activity clothing markets, St. Peter Catholic School attempts to be considerate of these changes as well as pricing. These guidelines serve to more closely align our school with other Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Lincoln regarding dress codes. For students, it provides for further focus on their faith and academic development. For teachers, it provides a more productive and positive atmosphere for teaching and learning. All is in the spirit to enhance our school’s mission.

The following ‘dress code’ guidelines are to assist parents in their purchase of appropriate clothing, but they also serve to provide for a high-quality classroom and school day atmosphere. St. Peter Catholic School reserves the right to adjust these guidelines at any time, especially in situations where dress, grooming, or visible bodily markings, whether temporary or permanent, become distracting to the faith and academic environment. Such changes will occur more on an individual basis, but overall adjustments may be made. **Lands’ End and Tommy Hilfiger are the two approved ‘Dress Code Vendors.’ Although Dennis uniform is no longer in business as of Fall 2025, those dress code items from previous years will be allowed, if in good condition.**

DRESS CODE – General Guidelines (Boys & Girls):

Each student should strive to be presentable at all times and take pride in representing their school to further build their self-esteem. Students are expected to be in dress code each day. Exceptions to this rule will be rare. Exceptions will be made with the approval of the Principal (ex. medical procedure [cast]). Parents will be called to bring suitable clothing if the School Office is unable to provide a temporary replacement. Dress Code items should be:

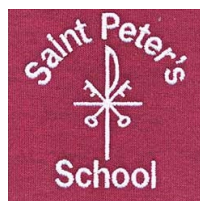
- Clean
- Well kept...items torn, frayed, or extremely threadbare are not acceptable
- Appropriate size...throughout the entire year (e.g., appropriate pant & shorts length)
- Modest in appearance
- Marked with the child’s name (ex. on the tag)

All students should be neatly groomed.

- Boys must restrict their hair length to the top of their shirt collar. Boys’ hair should not reach below their eye brows or ear lobes. Natural hair color (boys & girls) is to be maintained. Extremes in hairstyles are unacceptable (ex. spiked/shaved spots/bushed). SPCS reserves the right to determine what is allowed regarding dress or hairstyle. Fads or extreme fashions are to be avoided. Hats and coats are not to be worn in the classroom.

DRESS CODE – New Logo:

Our school logo has changed but prior year logo items are still considered part of our dress code. The prior and new logos are below:



Prior Year’s Logo



New Logo (started in 24-25)

DRESS CODE - Wearable technology update (All Students):

A recent trend of students is ‘wearable technology,’ such as smartwatches. Please be advised that the usage of such devices is strictly prohibited during the school day, even in the event that the device is placed on school mode. Students wearing these devices will be asked to turn them into their teachers. Should there be multiple occurrences, the device may be collected by the teacher until parents retrieve the device from the School Office. In cases where the device is medically necessary, exceptions will be considered. These exceptions will be granted on a case-by-case basis determined by school administration.

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DRESS CODE (Girls):

Plaid Jumper (Grades K-5) & Plaid Skirt (Grades 6-8)

- **(NEW)** worn at the waist and are not to be rolled to shorten length
- **(NEW)** appropriate length; no more than 2" above kneecap
- **(NEW)** shorts or leggings are to be worn underneath Quarters 1 & 4
- **(NEW)** leggings are required throughout Quarters 2 and 3

Shirts (Tucked in unless Banded Bottom)

- Collared dress code-type blouse, white or light yellow, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- Plain white or light-yellow polo or turtleneck, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- White or burgundy short or long sleeve polo embroidered with school logo (Grades 6-8)
 - Must be tucked in
 - Short or long sleeve, solid white T's may be worn underneath

Sweatshirts, 1/4 Zips or Full Zips

- Navy or burgundy sweatshirt embroidered with school logo (Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt
- Navy or burgundy 1/4 zip fleece jacket embroidered with school logo (Lands' End/Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt

Socks

- Solid navy, white or black tights or socks (minimal logos)
- Full-length navy or black leggings (no flares)

Shoes

- Athletic or Dress shoes
- No sandals, clogs, or light-up shoes or significant sole rising shoes.

Jewelry

- Post earrings only (max of one in each ear)
- Religious jewelry and watches; medals, crosses & medical alert related items are allowed

Make-up

- Clear or clear pink nail polish only
- No face/eye/lip makeup may be worn - natural hair color (no highlights in hair)

DRESS CODE (Boys):

Pants

- Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger navy or khaki (Grades K-8)

Shorts (Optional, Quarter 1 & 4, unless noted by Administration)

- Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger navy or khaki (Grades K-8)

Shirts (Tucked in unless Banded Bottom)

- Polo or oxford, white or light blue, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- White or burgundy short or long sleeve polo embroidered with logo (Grades 6-8)
 - Short or long sleeve, solid white T's may be worn underneath

Sweatshirts, 1/4 Zips or Full Zips

- Navy or burgundy sweatshirt embroidered with school logo (Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt
- Navy or burgundy 1/4 zip fleece jacket embroidered with school logo (Lands' End) worn with dress code shirt

Socks

- Solid navy, white or black socks (minimal logos)

Shoes

- Athletic shoes
- Dress shoes
- No sandals, clogs, or light-up shoes or significant sole rising shoes.

Jewelry

- No earrings
- Religious jewelry & watches; medals, crosses, & medical alert related items are allowed

Lands' End:

- Website: <https://www.landsend.com/>
- School Code: 900145863

Tommy Hilfiger (shorts only):

- Website: www.globalschoolwear.com
- School Code: STPE08

NOTE: Dennis Uniform is no longer available but items from previous years are allowable if in good condition.

Spirit Days/Jeans Days/Non-Dress Code Days for all students will be announced/identified throughout the year (with timely notification). These "Spirit Days" will be limited to special occasions. Dress guidelines will be included when these days are announced/identified.

SAINT PETER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Spirit Gear

 shirts101.store/saint_peters_school



STORE CLOSES TUESDAY, JULY 28 AT 9AM

Please review your order confirmation email to ensure your order is placed. If you do not receive an order confirmation email, please contact customerservice@shirts101.com.

produced locally in
lincoln, nebraska



Spirit Gear Online Store

https://shirts101.store/saint_peters_school/shop/home

*For students, families, teachers and staff (for spirit days!)

Closes Tuesday, July 28 at 9:00 a.m.

*Reminder: these items can be worn on Spirit days.

Orders should arrive at school August 12.

Families will receive their Spirit Gear orders during Meet the Teacher on August 13.

Go PANTHERS!

St. Peter...Pray for Us!

JULY

UNIFORMS:

- 27-28 Used Uniform Drop off
- 29 Used Uniforms Sale
4:00-7:00 pm St. JP II Hall
New Uniforms – Order online at
Lands' End or Tommy Hilfiger
- 31 School Forms & Health Immunizations Due

AUGUST

- 3 SFA Back to School Swim Party
Eden Pool 4400 Antelope Creek Rd 7:30-9pm
- 12-14 Professional Development/Teacher Work Days
- 13 Meet Your Teacher/Picture Day 3:00-5:30 pm
- 15 Assumption/Holy Day
- 18 First Day of School, Preschool-8
NOON DISMISSAL, NO LUNCH, NO EXT DAY
- 19 First Full Day of School
- 25 SFA Back to School Night 7:00 pm,
Rosary 6:30 pm

SEPTEMBER

- 7 NO SCHOOL, Labor Day
- 20 Parish Fall Festival 4:00 – 7:00 pm
- 22 SFA Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rosary 6:30 pm
- 25 1:00 pm Dismissal, Faculty Meeting
- TBD Picture Retake Day
- 29-30 Health Screenings

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No School Students	
SFA Meetings	
Sacraments	
Early Dismissal	
Catholic Schools Week	
Faculty Meeting/Workday	

Changes

1st/Last Day

OCTOBER

- TBD Living Rosary 2:30 pm
- 6 PreS-8th Parent-Teacher Conferences
4:00 – 5:15 pm and 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 8 1:00 pm Dismissal
PreS-8th Parent-Teacher Conferences
1:30 – 5:15 pm and 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 9 NO SCHOOL
- 12 NO SCHOOL, Diocese Teacher Institute
- TBD Confirmation Retreat 8:00am – 3:00pm
- 22 1st Quarter ends
- 23 NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day, Trunk or Treat
- 23-31 Red Ribbon Week
- 30 Report Cards Go Home
All Saints Parade 2:00 pm/Party

NOVEMBER

- 1 All Saints Day, Daylight Savings Time Ends
- 17 SFA Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rosary 6:30 pm
- 20 1:00 pm Dismissal, Faculty Meeting
- TBD Discover Catholic Schools Week
- 25-27 Thanksgiving Vacation, NO SCHOOL
- 29 Advent Begins
- 30 Classes Resume

DECEMBER

- 8 NO SCHOOL, Immaculate Conception/Holy Day
- 10 K-8 Christmas Concert Gym – 6:30 pm, Reception in JP II
- 11 1:00 pm Dismissal, Faculty Meeting
- TBD St. Nicholas visit after all Masses
- TBD PreS/PreK/K Open House 9:00-10:45am
- 18 PreS/PreK Christmas Concert – 10:30 am JP II
NOON DISMISSAL, NO LUNCH, NO EXT DAY
2nd Quarter/1st Semester Ends
- 21-5 NO SCHOOL, Christmas Break

JANUARY

- 5 NO SCHOOL Faculty Retreat & Teacher Work Day
- 6 Classes Resume, 3rd Quarter/2nd Semester
- 8 Epiphany Party 2:30 pm
- Report Cards Go Home

TBD Pius X New Student Open House

- 18 MLK Day – NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day
- 19 SFA Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rosary 6:30 pm

FEBRUARY

- 31 Catholic Schools Week Begins
- School Open House
- 1 Light the Night at Cathedral
- 5 Parent/Grandparent Day of CSW
- NOON DISMISSAL, NO LUNCH, NO EXT DAY
- 9 St. Valentine's Day Party 2:30 pm
- 10 Ash Wednesday, Lent Begins
- 11 1:00 pm Dismissal
- PreS-8th Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 12 NO SCHOOL
- 15 NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day, President's Day
- 23 Eucharistic Procession

MARCH

- 12 3rd Quarter Ends
- 14 Daylight Savings Time Begins
- 15 NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day
- 19 Report Cards Go Home
- 23 SFA Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rosary 6:30 pm
- Wax Museum
- 25 NO SCHOOL, Holy Thursday
- 26 NO SCHOOL, Good Friday
- 29-30 NO SCHOOL, Easter Break
- 31 Classes Resume

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APRIL

- 19 Confirmation 7:00 pm
- 23 First Penance 6:30 pm
- 24 First Holy Communion 10:00 am
- 27 SFA Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rosary 6:30 pm
- Science Fair
- 30 1:00 pm Dismissal, Faculty Meeting
- TBD Musical

MAY

- 6 NO SCHOOL, Ascension Thursday/Holy Day
- 14 1:00 pm Dismissal, Faculty Meeting
- 19 8th Grade Mass, 10:30 Cathedral
- 8th Grade Last Day
- 20 8th Grade Graduation, 7:00 pm
- 25 Last Day of School PreS-7; FULL Day
- NO EXT DAY
- 4th Quarter/2nd Semester Ends
- Field Day
- Report Cards Go Home
- Kindergarten Graduation
- 26 NO SCHOOL, Teacher Workday

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Updated 7/15/26