

Weekly Newsletter

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*'Where children
come first'*

Behaviour Targets

Behaviour at Seven Stars school is fantastic from the vast majority of our pupils and we are always so proud of how our children are welcoming, kind and caring to others. We realise some children need to learn how to develop this skill but a lot of the children who struggle are making fantastic progress as they mature and develop. We have decided to focus on three key targets with the children over the next few weeks to help them make even further progress:

LANGUAGE - being kind and respectful in what they say to others face-to-face or on-line. no inappropriate or nasty words or name-calling.

LISTEN - to listen with respect to others and especially adults, during learning or when an adult is trying to sort out a problem during play.

WALK - when indoors to walk at all times. Do not run in corridors or across the hall - to avoid accidents and make sure the school is calm.

We are inviting children to design and create a poster that encourages these three targets in our school.



Mental Health Week

Thank you to all the children who made contributions to Place2Be charity (for children and young people with mental health issues) by coming to school on our 'Dress to Impress' day.

Over the week we have been thinking about how we all have people who support us and talking about the connections we have in school, in our families and in our neighbourhoods that help us with our mental and emotional health.



Improving children's
mental health

Safer Internet

Our key theme for Safer Internet week has been 'CONNECT WITH RESPECT'.

We are inviting children over the holidays to design/create a poster with the theme of 'Connect with Respect' (this can be on-line connecting but can if they want also be about face to face connecting with respect).

Thursday 2nd March

1.30pm Internet Safety talk by the police to all of Year 5 and 6.

1.45pm Internet Safety workshop for all parents of Year 5 and 6 pupils (in school).

5pm Internet Safety Zoom meeting for parents of Year 5 & 6 pupils (link will be sent out the day before).

Valentines Disco

Thank you to the PTFA and all those staff and parents who supported our Valentines Disco and ensured that the children who went had a great time.

There was a lot of love in the air and some great dancing

Further events will take place in the new term if you missed out this time and we will send out all events and special days on the school web-site.

All money raised from the disco will go towards books, equipment and trips for the children in school.

Half-Term Holidays

We hope you have a good half-term break and get lots of rest!

School will reopen on Monday 20th February at the usual time (Breakfast club at 7.30am)



Rewards for this week (Well done!)

Well done to all those amazing children who have achieved the various awards this week.

Star of the Week Awards Focus on Learning	
Moons	Teddie
Rockets	Ronnie – for amazing progress in Phonics.
Dorado	Killian – for giving 100% in every lesson all week.
Orion	Ava-Leigh
Hercules	Ryan – for trying and working hard in all lessons.
Pegasus	Amelia – for good improvement in swimming and trying really hard in Maths
Leo	Kayla – for being noticed by other adults being helpful and kind to the younger children at lunchtime.
Phoenix	Jessie – for consistently working hard in all subjects and demonstrating an excellent attitude in class.

Positive Points (Top Dojo Points Rockets Only)	
Dorado	Isabella
Orion	Alfie
Hercules	Noah
Pegasus	Kylan
Leo	Kelsey
Phoenix	Finlay

VIP (Values Inspired Person) – for demonstrating RESPECT	
Rockets	Keita
Dorado	Harper
Orion	Lilly
Hercules	Lexi
Pegasus	John
Leo	Lewis
Phoenix	Thomas

Well done to Hercules class for getting the highest attendance over the last full week and Phoenix class for the lowest number of lates

We would like to hear about any children who do amazing things outside of school and they MIGHT end up getting our Local Hero award - let us know with a quick message on Class Dojo to your child's teacher letting us know what they have done.

23.01.23 – 27.01.23 ATTENDANCE		
Class	Lates	% attendance
Rockets	3	88.2
Dorado	7	92.0
Orion	4	94.0
Hercules	3	98.9
Pegasus	6	97.5
Leo	9	94.6
Phoenix	1	87.2

SHINING STARS	
Rockets	Alex
Dorado	Zuzanna
Orion	Daisy-Lou
Hercules	Cody
Pegasus	Isabella
Leo	Emmie
Phoenix	Tinuke



Teacher strike days

At the moment we cannot say for certain that it will happen but a further strike day by the NEU teachers union is planned for Tuesday 28th February. We are not sure for certain which classes it will affect if any but please be prepared to have arrangements in place in case the strike does go ahead. This is a national dispute as you will have seen in the news and not to do with any grievances in the school.

We will attempt to let you know as soon as we can if it will affect your child (but we might not know until the day so please be prepared).

Volunteers

If anyone is interested in volunteering in school (either for fun, to help out or as a way of increasing your experience for future job applications) please contact the school office.

We can then have a chat and we will send out an application form for you, sort out the DBS checks and then get your started.

Please phone the office or email office@seven-stars.lancs.sch.uk if you would like further details.

Important Dates Coming Up

Monday 20th February - School re-opens

MENU FOR WEEK COMMENCING 20/02/2023

Lunch Menu WEEK 1 – 20.02.23			
	Choice 1	Choice 2	Desserts Choice
Monday	Quorn Pasta Bolognese, Crusty Bread, Broccoli	Baked Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings, Salad	Syrup Sponge & Cream Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Tuesday	Pork or Veggie Sausages, Onion Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Carrots	Baked Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings, Salad	Fresh Fruit Medley Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding, Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Carrots	Cheese and Tomato Pizza, Tortilla Chips, Salad Sticks	Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Traditional Cottage Pie, Mixed Vegetables	Tomato & Sweet Pepper Pasta, Crusty Bread, Salad	Mini Shortbread Biscuit Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Friday	Homemade Pizza Margherita, Chips or Pasta Salad, Veggie Sticks, Dips	Golden Crumb Fish Fingers, Chips or New Potatoes, Peas, Sweetcorn	Chocolate Cookie Yoghurt Fresh Fruit

Many thanks for your support - *Mr Mitchell*

REMEMBER TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE (class and school information)

Remember to like us on Facebook and Twitter

