Weekly Newsletter

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26th September 2025

'Where children

come first'

Welcome back!

It's been an exciting start back for everyone at Seven Stars School. After a busy few days the teachers and staff managed to get our fantastic new school building ship-shape and ready for the start of our new academic year and we welcomed all the children back on 8th September.

The children looked fabulous in their new school uniforms of bottle/forest green and have quickly got used to finding their way round our wonderful new building and settling into new school routines.

You can read all about our new building on the new build page of our school website.

We had an opening ceremony on Wednesday 10th September to which parents and friends of Seven Stars were invited and Councillor Matthew Tomlinson spoke, presented a number of people with flowers including the builders (CONLONs) and architects (Bowker & Sadler) and he also helped us to cut the ribbon to officially open our new school.

The builders are still here demolishing the old Millbrook Building and creating a Taxi drop-off point and MUGA (Multi-Use Games Area) and this will be finished by January 2026 when we will have another ceremony to celebrate the complete handover of our new school grounds.

We are conducting tours of the school after our 'Meet the Teams' meetings for parents this month and in October for all Years 7 & 8 children who have gone on to High School but who were here for the first stages of the build.

I am sure that there will be many new memories created in our brand new Seven Stars & Nursery building, and the children will go on from success to success as they step into a bright future with the firm foundations in place that Seven Stars will provide for each of them.

It has taken us three years to get to this stage and everyone has worked so hard but now the moment is here for us to enjoy a wonderful new environment in which our children (both now and the generations to come) can thrive and progress in their learning.

Huge thanks to everyone who has made this fantastic project happen and we look forward to seeing the children make the most of all the facilities now available to them.

The day after the ceremony we then filled the hall with the sound of music as Rock Kidz paid us a visit and taught the children all about the importance of kindness (one of our school's core values).

We are looking forward to settling into some good routines and finding our feet over this term while we become familiar with a new setting, but we know this is a huge leap forward for us as a school and we can't wait to invite more friends and family into our new school so they can see what we are doing and what we are all about!

Bikeability •

Well done to all of our Year 6 children who have been taking part in Bikeability.

The next session is on Monday and they have done so well. This is such an important skill to learn and we want every child to be safe and respectful on our busy roads.

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Scholastic Book Fair

The Book Fair has arrived!! If the weather is nice we will set it up outside at the end of each day and it will be here until next Tuesday (30th September). As well as books there are items of stationery. Feel free to browse without buying and then decide if you would like to purchase any books/stationery when you are ready (although books/items that are popular might go quick!) School will get commission depending on how many books/items we sell and that will all go towards building up our lovely library. (And if any parents want to buy a book specifically for the school library then feel free to do so and pass it to Mrs Wheatland or whoever is on duty at the time and we will make a note of your name as the donor - but only if you want to).

Reminder for Year 6

High school admissions are open. You need to apply for your child's high school choices online if you haven't already. The deadline is 31st October. If you don't apply by this date, the application will be considered late and your child may not get their first choice. The link to the application is below. If you have any issues with the process, let the office know and they will guide you through it. https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/starting-secondary-school/



For parents of children who are in Young Voices, tickets are available to purchase from the Young Voices Music Room for the concert at the Manchester Coop Arena on 5th February 2026. If you haven't already, you can sign up for the music room here to purchase your tickets and it gives children access to the songs to practise at home:

https://yvmusicroom.com/auth/parent/login

Year 4 Farm Trip

Thank you to those of you who have already returned the farm trip consent forms and contributed to the trip costs for the Year 4 trip to the farm if you haven't already, please return both forms to school ASAP.

It's going to be a brilliant experience for the children!

SECURITY

Please be reassured that we have security in place at all times around the building including state of the art CCTV!

I realise there was a gentleman in the school car park who was 'worse for wear' and not making sense on Tuesday but it was dealt with, the police are aware and we have not seen him since.

If you do happen to notice anyone you do not recognise who is acting a bit strange please just phone school or report it to the officer or a member of staff and we will deal with it and take appropriate action.

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Please check on the link below if your child is entitled to Pupil Premium and if so end of September to secure this extra funding. Any queries contact the school office.

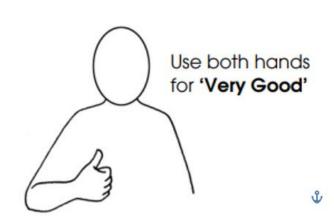
Free school meals - Lancashire County Council

On-line safety

See the internet link below which gives brilliant support and advice about how to keep your children safe on-line.

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-childrensafe/online-safety/talking-child-online-safety/

Makaton



good

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5Xt H1Q3T0Eg

(Double for very good)

Headteacher's Newsletter Page 4 Rewards for this week (Well done!)

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

Star of the Week Awarded to children who have demonstrated brilliant learning powers and achieved something special in their learning this week Neve for amazing retelling of our class story Moons **Rockets** Amara for being super at identifying rhyming words and representing teen numbers by drawing tens and ones. Dorado Sammy for fantastic sentences with adjectives and conjunctions. Orion Alex for always being ready to learn and enthusiastic in all lessons. **Hercules** Bodhi-Joshua for a great introductory paragraph in his magazine article about the Loch Ness Monster. **Pegasus** Alan A- for a very positive week in class, great participation and 100% effort in lessons. Leo **Phoenix** Lucas C-C- For an outstanding piece of description based on the Nowhere Emporium. Chase for excellent Maths this week, working out 10 more or less and 100 more or less in a 3-digit number, great Galaxy Harry for settling well into Apollo class and participating well in all of his lessons **Apollo**

VIP Responsibility (end of Spring 2)	
Dorado	
Orion	Willow
Hercules	
Pegasus	Stephen R and Jack N
Leo	Steven C
Phoenix	Ellie H
Galaxy	Alex
Apollo	

Many thanks for your support *Wn Mitchell*

REMEMBER TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE (class and school information)

Seven Stars Primary School (lancsngfl.ac.uk)

School Code of Conduct
Please be kind and respectful at all times



Breakfast club & After-School Club

Book on and pay in advance on School Money. Breakfast club = £4.00 per child (7.30 to start of day)

After-School Club = £7.00 per child (to 5.30pm) Any late cllection will result in a charge of £10 (cost of staffin