

Headteacher's Newsletter

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3rd October 2025

**“Where children
come first”**

Bikeability

Our Year 6 children completed their 'Bikeability' training on Monday.

The link below shows you some of the things they did and what bikeability is all about
<https://www.bikeability.org.uk/>

Our children were very well behaved and we were impressed with those who grew in confidence, safety awareness and also had good fun in the process.



Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who supported our Scholastic Book Fair this year. It was great seeing so many children enjoying their new books or stationery items.

We will let you know how much money we raised for the school and it will all go towards stocking up our school library.

A big thank you to Mrs Wheatland and all her team for setting up and running the Book Fair for us.

Important 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>



Money Matters

Brian Souter from Money Matters came to visit our Year 5 children on Monday of this week. Money Matters is a brilliant project that we have been using for many years now and it supports our children to understand the importance of budgeting, finance and benefits. Such a great skill for life and Brian is always a joy to have in school. There will be further sessions over the year with Years 5 and 6 children.

Tempest photographer

We had the photographer in school on Wednesday taking photos of individuals and siblings and families. Once the photos come back we will send them out so you can decide if you wish to order a copy.

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Hothersall Lodge (next week)

Thank you to those parents who came to the Hothersall Lodge meeting on Wednesday. The Year 6 class will be leaving for Hothersall Lodge Residential on Wednesday 8th October (at about 9.45am by coach from the front of school) and will be returning on Friday 10th October at about 2.30pm

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/outdoorededucation/our-centres/hothersall-lodge/>

The children will have an amazing time and it is the event in the year that the children remember forever. They will develop their team-building skills, increase their confidence as they face the zip-wire and various challenges together, and improve their self-help skills as they make their own beds (!). The food is delicious and they are led in all activities by trained coaches (and accompanied by Seven Stars staff).

Mr Mitchell

Hopefully by now you will have received the letter that I have sent out to all parents regarding my news that I am retiring from my wonderful role as Head teacher of Seven Stars Primary school after thirteen years of fun and challenge!

I will be here until the end of the Spring term 2026 and my last day in school will be Friday 27th March 2026.

I have said much more in the letter, which I won't repeat here, but I will certainly miss all the wonderful children, families, staff and colleagues of Seven Stars School. It is a special place to work and to be. I am leaving to spend more time with my lovely family but I will pop back from time to time and definitely before the end of this academic year.

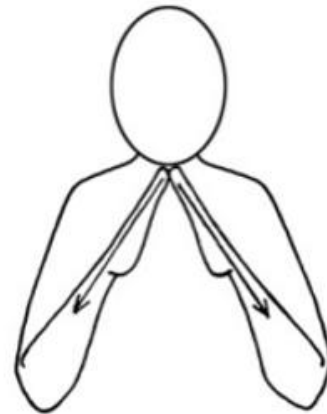
The process has already started to find a brilliant new Head teacher to take up the baton. I am sure

the governors will appoint someone that will take the school to even more amazing successes and achievements for the sake of all children in the school.

Makaton

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tyZZ2YOiUhk>

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home

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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

Moons	Orla for answering questions about The Everywhere Bear and looking after books.
Rockets	Olivia - For amazing effort in all of her learning.
Dorado	Ezekiel – for fantastic computing skills, logging onto Purple Mash independently and using a mouse to click and navigate on a laptop.
Orion	Joshua - for having an excellent attitude towards his learning all week. Well done!
Hercules	Charlie – For a great attitude to work and producing a good amount.
Pegasus	Isabella G – For being a good friend to her peers.
Leo	Matilda R- for listening carefully in class and being focused in lessons.
Phoenix	Cody Mason- For always contributing during class discussion and excellent maths work this week.
Galaxy	Alex – for listening well in class and contributing all week in lessons.
Apollo	Dillon- For settling well into his first full week at Seven Stars and completing all of his work tasks

Positive Planets

Rockets	
Dorado	Orson
Orion	Willow
Hercules	
Pegasus	Isaac F and Emily C-C
Leo	Ava- Leigh McC and Grace T
Phoenix	Maisy
Galaxy	Eli
Apollo	

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SOCIAL SKILLS	
Dorado	Maizie – For always being willing to help others.
Orion	Vinnie - He consistently shows kindness, respect and empathy towards others. He always engages positively with both peers and adults.
Hercules	Lilly West – for always considering the feelings of others.
Pegasus	Emily Coles-Campbell for being considerate of others and always being an active listener.
Leo	Daisy G – playing nicely with others at break and having good social skills.
Phoenix	Lawson Ball- Helping younger children play nicely outside and always showing politeness to adults and peers
Galaxy	Andrew and Oscar L for showing kindness towards others, being respectful to all the adults and being a good role model to children in class.
Apollo	

Many thanks for your support

Mr Mitchell

REMEMBER TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE (class and school information)

[Seven Stars Primary School \(lancsngfl.ac.uk\)](http://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 collection will result in a charge of £10 (cost of staff)