Monday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2025



OUR CHRISTIAN VALUES

Respect

Peace

**Forgiveness** 

Hope

Perseverance

Love



PURPLE STAR AWARD

## ATTENDANCE 2025/2026

Year R - 92.65% Year 4 - 96.33%

Year 1 – 97.86% Year 5 – 95.31%

Year 2 - 95.00% Year 6 - 98.44%

Year 3 – 100% Whole School 96.51%

## **SEABROOK NEWS**

### **WELCOME BACK**

What a fantastic start to the new school year it has been at Seabrook! Everyone is settling brilliantly into their new year groups and it has been wonderful to see so much enthusiasm and positivity across the school. We would also like to say a very warm welcome to our new Rainbow Fish Class, who have all been superstars and have thoroughly enjoyed their first few days at Seabrook.

We are so excited to embark on a new year filled with curiosity, friendship and new learning opportunities, sharing many memorable moments along the way. We can't wait to see all of the amazing things we will achieve together as a school community this year!

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September - Swordfish Class Swimming/PE starts

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September - Everybody Matters Day PTA AGM Meeting

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October - Flu Immunisation

Wednesday 8th October - Harvest Festival

Friday 10th October - Rainbow Fish Class Welcome Worship

Monday 13th October - Parent/Carer Evening

Tuesday 14th October - Parent/Carer Evening

Thursday 16th October - End of Term 1

Tuesday 28th October - Term 2 starts

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - School Photographs

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November - Open Afternoon for Reception 2026 start

Wednesday 19th November - Open Afternoon for Reception 2026 start

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December - Whole School Panto trip to the Marlowe

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Plays

Thursday 18th December - Carol Concert at St Martin's Church

Friday 19th December - End of Term 2

Please note that Friday 17<sup>th</sup> and Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October are INSET Days and school is closed.

### **Everybody Matters**

### PARKING REMINDERS



Please do not park on the zig zag lines outside of our school, or block our neighbours driveways, even if it is just to drop off and pick up. The zig zag lines outside our school are a no stopping zone between the hours of 8am-5pm, it is illegal to stop, park, or wait in this zone during these times. This applies to all road users including blue badge holders. Parking, even for short periods of time across our neighbours driveways is also causing huge inconvenience for our local residents.

Parking considerately ensures the safety of all our school children and families entering and exiting our school site and allows traffic to pass safely through our school zone.

We acknowledge that parking around our school site is a challenge and we wish to extend our gratitude to all families who continue to park considerately and help make this area as safe as possible for all of our school community.

Thank you.

### **COAT REMINDER**

Now that the weather has turned a little please can you ensure that your child brings a coat to school every day. Thank you.

### **MERIT BOOK**

**Swordfish Class -** Szymon, Bella, Ella, Harry C, William, Micah, Arlo, Isabella, Gus, Mia, Harry S

Jellyfish Class - Lucia, Fia, Bertie, Emma, Ross, Oliver, Milo, Felix, Lottie, Hetty, Oliver H, Lincoln, Radhika, Willow, Tabitha, Freyja, Emily

**Starfish Class** - Lyra, Pier, Judith, Lillian, Logan, Remy. Bella, Jude, Jake, Vishnu, Zach, Finley H, Rose, Rosa, Arthur H

## FOLKESTONE TRIENNIAL ART WORKSHOP

This week the Jellyfish Class were lucky enough to participate in a collaborative art workshop with 'Creative Folkestone' and artist Toby Melville-Brown.

Toby introduced his particular style of artwork to the children and then they had the opportunity to create a map with their own representations of Folkestone landmarks on tracing paper, which they were fascinated to see illuminated using a light box.

We are excited that the class' final collaborative artwork will be displayed as part of the Folkestone

Triennial...details of where and when will be provided soon so that you can go along to view it!



# PARENT/CARER POP IN SESSIONS

This term we would like to invite you in to meet your child's new class teacher and see their new classrooms, as well as giving your child the opportunity to share some of their Term 1 learning with you so far. These 'meet and greets' will take place over the next couple of weeks, so please keep an eye on Reach More Parents for more information on dates and times.

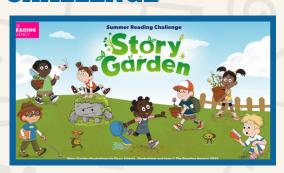
We look forward to welcoming you into school

soon!

### **SUMMER READING CHALLENGE**

We would like to say a huge well done to everyone who took part in this year's Summer Reading Challenge!

We hope that your child enjoyed visiting their local library during the summer holidays to continue their reading journey and we will update you on the schools' leaderboard result as soon as we find out!





### **NATURE QUEST**

We are very excited to launch a new whole-school initiative called Nature Quest. A fun and meaningful way to encourage our entire school community to connect with the natural world in simple ways and enjoy the great outdoors!

#### What is Nature Quest?

Each week, we will be sharing a simple nature-based challenge designed to spark curiosity, creativity, and a love of the natural world. Whether it's spotting signs of wildlife, making art with natural materials, or going on a mindfulness walk to notice the wonders of nature, these activities are a great opportunity for families to spend time together appreciating the world around us.

#### **Why Nature Quest?**

Spending time in nature supports children's wellbeing, boosts creativity, and helps build a lifelong connection with the environment. Through Nature Quest, we hope to nurture these values in a fun, simple and accessible way for all.

#### How to Get Involved:

Look out for the weekly challenge shared with the children at school and via Reach More Parents.

Take part in the challenge with your child.

Feel free to share your photos, drawings or thoughts with us – we'd love to celebrate the children's adventures and discoveries. The children are invited to bring objects in that they have found to share at school (please encourage them not to pick wild flowers though).

Your child might even decide to create their own Nature Quest diary/journal!

Let's step outside, breathe in the fresh air, and explore the wonders waiting right on our doorstep. Let the quest begin!

