

Newsletter

Autumn Term 1 Week 3

Friday 19th September 2025

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This week has been a busy and exciting one, with children now fully immersed in their new topics and classrooms. On Wednesday, I wrote to all families outlining the wide range of additional clubs and enrichment opportunities available to the children. We're looking forward to welcoming Rock Steady Music to Denton on Tuesday, when the children will have the opportunity to play in a rock band, including instruments such as guitars, bass, and drums. Following our assembly on pupil voice, the children were applying and voting for various leadership roles including School Council reps. At Denton, we strongly advocate for our British value of democracy, and it's important that children experience this within their own school community. In other news, our first group of Year 3 children attended their first Forest School session this week. They thoroughly enjoyed being in the great outdoors and embraced this wonderful extracurricular opportunity. Have a super weekend!



Blue Peter Badger Winner

A huge congratulations to Harry in year 3 who has been awarded the Blue Peter badge for his exceptional reading and illustration. We are so proud of you Harry. You are a true Denton role model for kindness, resilience and respect.



Flu Vaccinations – Tuesday 1st October

Letters were sent last week. If you need any help providing consent, please speak with the school office.

Celebration Assembly – Friday 19th September

These children were recognised in whole school assembly for their over and above learning this week.

Year 1 – Tabitha Hogan

Year 2 – Enzo Austin

Year 3 – Murphy Axon

Year 4 – Bertie Norris

Year 5 – Jacob Blick

Year 6 – Jack Harvey



Our attendance for **this week**:

Whole school: 96.2%

Reception: 100%

Year 1: 94.7%

Year 2: 97.7%

Year 3: 97.9%

Year 4: 94.1%

Year 5: 98.9%

Year 6: 91.9%

Attendance Matters



Key Dates

Term 1

Tuesday 23rd September – Rock Steady Music Day (all year groups)
Tuesday 1st October – Flu Vaccinations
Monday 6th October – BMX workshop for year 5 & 6
Tuesday 7th October – Year 6 Safety in Action at Plumpton Racecourse
Monday 13th October – School Photographer – individual/sibling
Monday 13th October – Parents' Evening (3:30pm – 6:00pm)
Wednesday 15th October – Restart a heart – bring in a teddy
Thursday 16th October – Starfish Class Assembly (9:00am)
Thursday 16th October – Parents' Evening (3:30pm – 6:00pm)
Monday 20th October – Turtles Class Assembly (9:00am)
Wednesday 22nd October – Year 6 PGL residential

Term 2

Thursday 6th November – Penguins Class Assembly (9:00am)
Tuesday 11th November – Odd Socks Day
Thursday 13th November – Seahorse Class Assembly (9:00am)
Friday 14th November – Children in Need (non-uniform / £1 donation)
Wednesday 19th November – New Reception Parents Open Day (9:30am and 5:00pm)
Thursday 20th November – Dolphins Class Assembly (9:00am)
Friday 21st November – FADS Christmas Fair
Wednesday 26th November – Whales Class Assembly (9:00am)
Wednesday 3rd December – Reception & Nursery Nativity
Wednesday 10th December – Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance
Friday 12th December – Key Stage 2 Christmas Performance
Friday 12th December – Christmas Jumper Day (£1 donation)

Term Dates (2025 – 2026)

Term 1: Wednesday 3rd September – Friday 24th October

October half term: Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October

Term 2: Monday 3rd November – Friday 19th December

Christmas Holidays: Monday 22nd December – Friday 2nd January

Term 3: Monday 5th January – Friday 13th February

February half term: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February

Term 4: Monday 23rd February – Friday 27th March

Easter Holidays: Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April

Term 5: Monday 13th April – Friday 22nd May

May half term: Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May

Term 6: Monday 1st June – Friday 22nd July

Please note not all INSET days have been set



OPEN EVENING 2025

THURSDAY 25 SEPT

5 - 8pm

- * Talks with senior leadership & pupils @ 5.15, 6.15 & 7.15pm
- * School tours available all evening
- * No booking required!
- * admissions@priory.e-sussex.sch.uk
- * There is limited parking on site. Please consider public transport or parking at Mountfield Road Car Park.



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YEAR 6 OPEN EVENING

**Thursday 25th
September
5 - 7:30pm**

**Principal presentations
5:15pm and 7:00pm**

Seaford Head School

Achieving Excellence Together



We are looking forward to seeing you at our Open Evening, where we will offer visitors the opportunity to tour our school, visit a variety of departments, meet staff and see the numerous resources and facilities we have available at Seaford Head School.

We will be making three presentations through the course of the evening; at 5.00pm, 6.00pm, and 7.00pm. This allows parents/carers to have a tour of the school and visit the different departments before or after the presentations.

We would like to remind you that, in order to ensure everyone is able to attend, we request a maximum of 3 individuals to attend per family (including your child).

If you are unable to attend our Open Evening, we would like to invite you to book in to one of our additional Open Mornings that take place on our Steyne Road site from Monday 22 September to Friday 3 October from 9.15am - 10.45am. To book please call reception on 01323 891623. (Open Evening does not need to be booked).



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