



St Peter's C.E. Primary School

Love, Challenge, Inspire!

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16

Weekly Newsletter

4th October 2024



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Happy Friday!

Special Visitors in Reception

On Friday Reception were joined with some very special visitors. Miss Walsh visited with her two boys and Mrs Davies visited with her little boy. The purpose of the visit was to allow the children to learn about the different stages of life and how we change as we grow. The children thoroughly enjoyed having visitors and asking questions.



Phonics

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who kindly attended the Phonics Evening on Tuesday for the children in Year One. If you were unable to attend the meeting please speak to the class teachers for more information.

Rivers in Year 3 and 4

In Hawthorn the children have been learning about rivers and the journey they take.

In groups on Monday, they created a 3D model of rivers and labelled the parts of the river including the source, tributary, meander, delta and the mouth.



Debating Team



We are very proud of Lyle, Alasdair, Liam, Eva and Lola, who have entered the Great Lancashire Debate competition. They prepared and delivered a five minute presentation on the theme of what Lancashire could look like in 50 years' time and the changes they would like to see that would have a positive impact on their environment. The children did a marvellous job delivering their presentation and we have now submitted our entry to the judging panel.

Reception

On Wednesday 8th October – Reception parents and family members are invited into school for a Reading Breakfast at 8:55am.

Hello Yellow Day

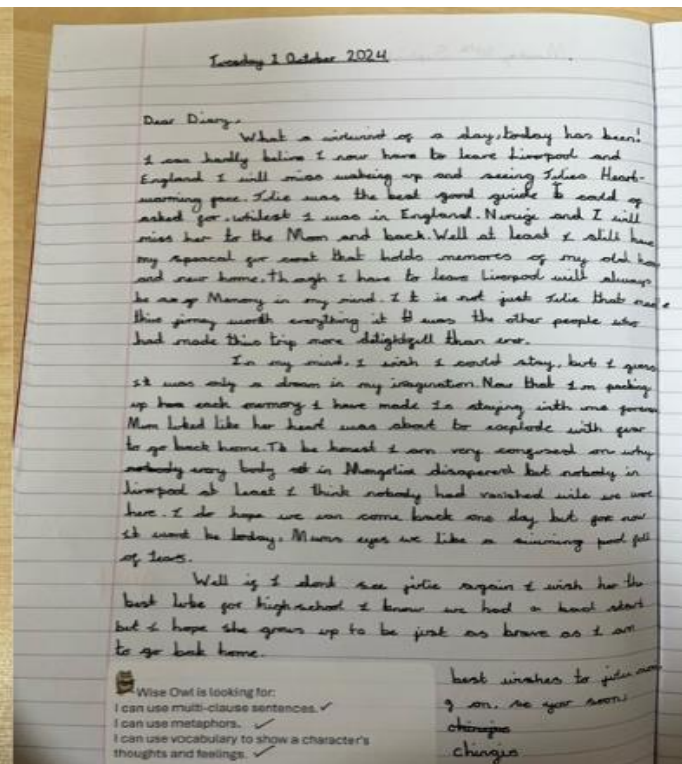
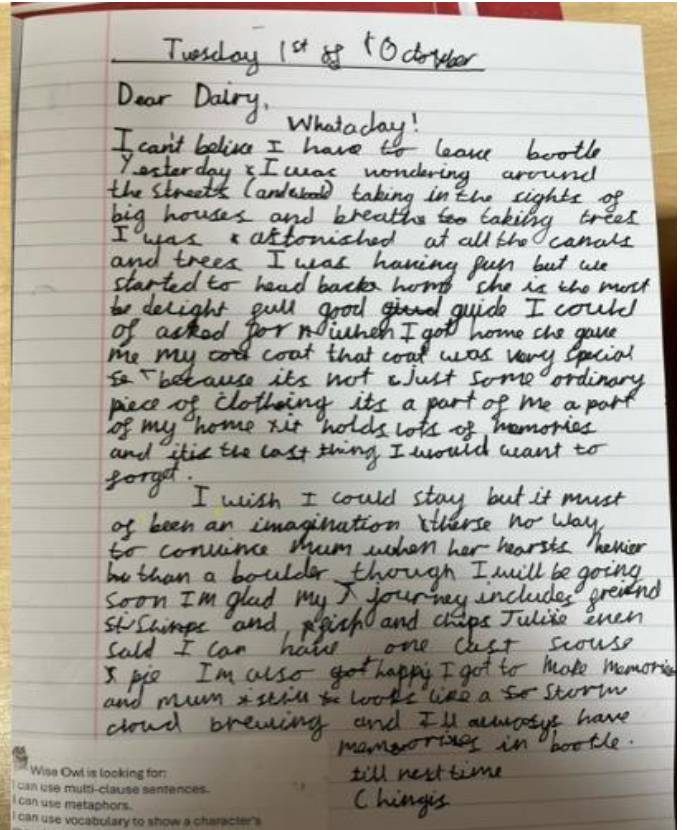
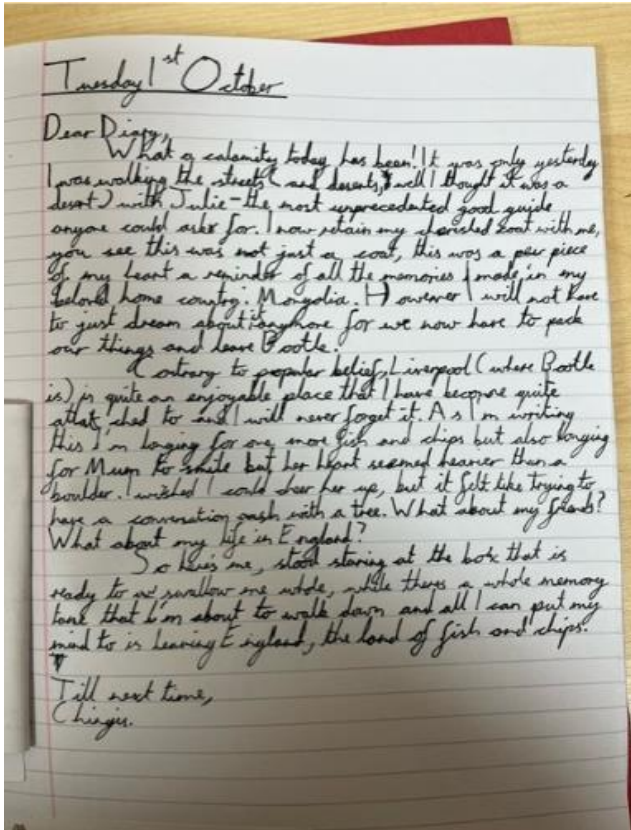
Thursday 10th October 2024 is World Mental Health Day and we invite our children to wear something yellow to celebrate Hello Yellow Day.

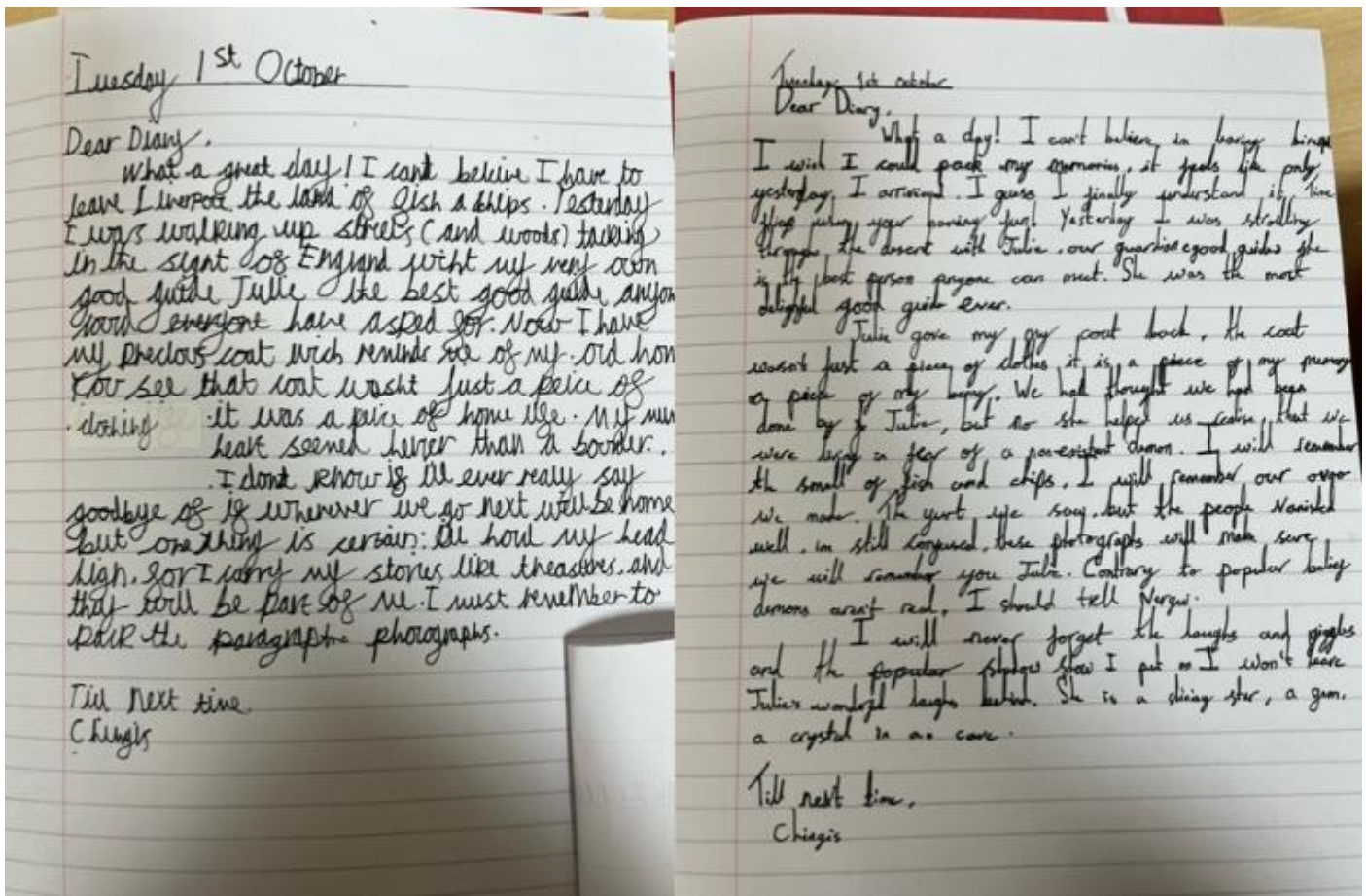
The whole outfit doesn't need to be yellow just a little hint of yellow. **The day will be a non-uniform day.**



Writing for an audience

Year 6 have been working really hard on writing this week and had an important audience for their work. This term Year 6 have been reading the text 'The Unforgotten Coat' by Frank Cottrell Boyce. Year 6 decided to share their amazing writing with the author of the text after his superb book inspired their writing. We are hoping that Frank Cottrell Boyce sees our social media post! Fingers crossed! Well done Year 6 for your superb writing!





Parents Evening

It is nearly time for our Parents Evening you can book a slot on the system by following this link:

<https://stpeterschorley.parentseveningsystem.co.uk> on either Tuesday 15th or Wednesday 16th October 2024. You can book either a face to face or a telephone appointment.



If you select a call as close to your allocated time as possible you will receive a call from a withheld number/unknown number. Please enter the number you wish to be called on in the notes section when you book an appointment. Your child's class teacher will contact you please don't contact the school. If you miss the call you will be required to re-organise a call with your child's class teacher via class dojo.

The teacher will take the time to discuss with you how your child has settled into their new class, how they did on their initial assessments and what their current targets are in class. **Bookings will close on Friday 11th October 2024.**

Important Church Notice

St Peter's Church PCC are hosting a Vision Day for the future of St Peter's Church on Saturday 5th October at St. Gregory's Church, Chorley from 9:30am until 2pm. It will be facilitated by Canon Mark Soady who is part of the Diocesan Vision Partners Team. The PCC invite you to be present at the Vision Day as they would love to have input and suggestions from all those who have any formal/informal contact with St. Peter's – all those who long to see St. Peter's grow and flourish.



Harvest



At a time when it's needed most, we are doing a whole school harvest appeal. As a whole school we are on a mission to support our local charities in helping to support our local community.

We would appreciate it if you could send a tin of food into school to support our collection.

All food will be taken to church on Wednesday 9th October 2024. Thank you to families who have already supported our appeal!

Christmas Movie Nights

EYFS and KS1 (Infants) movie night will be on Tuesday 3rd December 2024 after school until 4:30pm. The Infants will be watching 'The Grinch'.

KS2 movie night will be on Thursday 5th December 2024 after school until 5:00pm. KS2 will be watching Elf it is a PG rated film.

The school council would like to raise funds for additional visitors into school. Therefore, the movie night will cost £3:00 and will also include popcorn and a drink. .

If your child attends Stay Late Club on this evening, then they can either attend Stay Late Club or attend the movie night. If you pay for Stay Late Club you will not need to pay any additional money however, please inform Mrs Jones that your child wishes to go to their movie night by Monday 25th November 2024.

Bookings will close on Monday 25th November 2024. Please book on Parent Pay.



School Website

Currently no updates are going on our school website as a web team is working hard to make our school a new website. Fingers crossed it will be ready very soon and we apologise for any inconvenience.

💚ASDA CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS!💚

Parentkind have teamed up with Asda to bring us a fantastic offer.

Simply go onto your ASDA Rewards App (or download it if you haven't already done so), click on the Cashpot for Schools banner and select St Peter's Primary School, Eaves Lane, PR6 ODX as your chosen school.

Asda will add £1 to your chosen school's Cashpot for everyone who just opts in, they don't have to do a shop at Asda to receive this donation (so why not get all your friends and family signed up).

Once the first person has shopped and scanned their Rewards app, Asda will donate £50 to the school's Cashpot – our school has already achieved this milestone!

Asda will continue to donate 0.5% of the value of all future shops to our school so all you have to do is opt in, shop and scan!

All schools are in need of support for vital equipment to help make your children's education as fruitful as possible so any support which you can give is always extremely welcome!

Cashpot for Schools is our mission to support primary schools across the UK.

Every time you shop with Asda Rewards from 2nd September to 30th November, we will donate 0.5% of your total spend to a primary school of your choice. Plus, Asda will pop £1 into your school's Cashpot every time someone opts in.

Even more, Asda will get your school started with a further £50. To redeem this, make sure to shop & scan and remind your school to sign up with Parentkind.

For more info, please see our [Terms & Conditions](#).

You won't give up any of your own earnings, and your Cashpot will continue to grow! **Shop. Scan. We donate!**

Admissions

We are just saying hello to our new starters and it is time to think about September 2025! Admissions for next year is now open via the LCC website. If you are interested in a place for your 4-year-old for next September, please do get in touch with us with any questions or to arrange a visit and a tour of school with Miss Brown.

Please follow the link to apply: [Apply for a school place - Lancashire County Council](#)



St Peter's C.E. Primary School

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS 2025

About Us

At St Peter's we believe that all our children can shine as we strive for every member of our family to succeed and flourish through our values centred curriculum.

Book a visit

Call us on 01257 262625 or email us office@stpeters.lancs.sch.uk and we would love to show you around our wonderful school or answer any of your questions.

The poster features a red background with a white grid pattern. It includes a logo for St Peter's C.E. Primary School, a paper airplane, and several small photographs of children in school settings. At the bottom, there are colorful letters 'A', 'B', and 'C'.

High School Open Evenings

High School Open Events are currently advertised as follows:

St Michael's – Thursday 10th October 9:30am-12noon

Holy Cross - Thursday 10th October from 6pm



Reading Rucksack *"I'm wondering what to read next."*

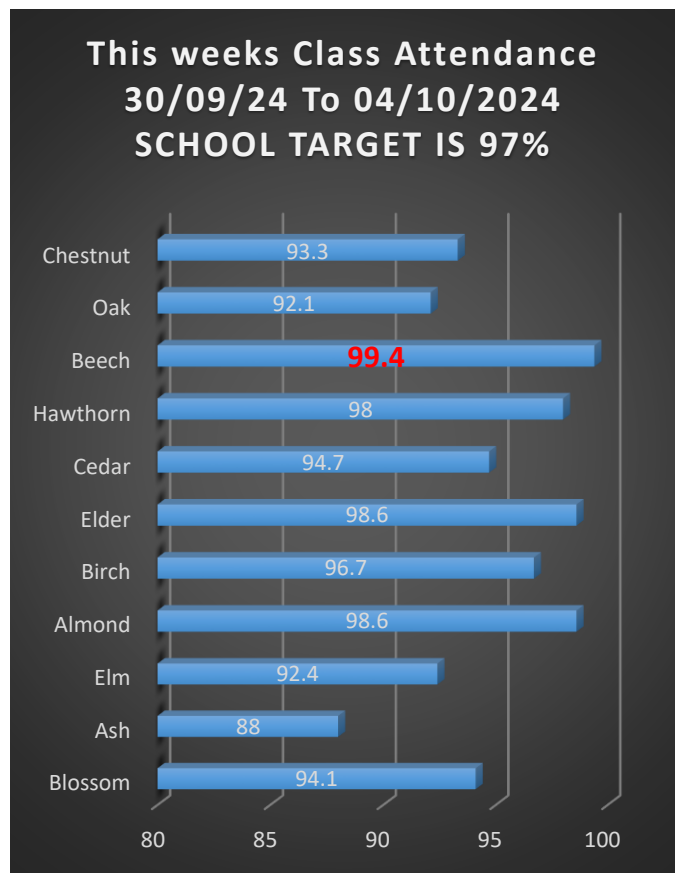
Matilda, Roald Dahl

The Reading Bears are looking forward to going on new adventures. Don't forget to share a photograph with us.



Merit Winners

Every week one child from each class gets their name in the 'Golden Book' for excellent effort and hard work. This week, the children who received a merit certificate are:



Reflection Time

Our reflection this week has been focussed on our value of thankfulness; We often think of thankfulness as thanking God when good things happen, yet it is at the times that are the most difficult that we should offer our thankfulness. It is then that we feel the love of God around us even though we might not feel it.

Jesus shared in his teaching that God would be there for everyone even in the hardest of times and it would be his love that surround us.

“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus”

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend!

Take care and stay safe and remember you are always in my thoughts and prayers.

Kind regards

Miss Brown

'Let your light shine'



October 2024

8th Oct – Reception Reading Breakfast

9th Oct – Beech Class visiting Church

11th Oct – M & M Productions in School

15th Oct – Parents Evening

16th Oct – Parents Evening

17th Oct – Year 6 to visit Kirkham Grammar School for a Production

18th Oct – Dojo Tea Party

18th Oct – House Winners non-uniform day

18th Oct – School breaks up for Half Term

29th Oct – School Re-opens after Half Term

November 2024

6th Nov – Elder Class visiting Church

12th Nov – Reception Number Morning

14th Nov – Beech, Chestnut, Oak – Chester Roman Trip

21st Nov – KS2 SATS Evening for Parents – 5pm

27th Nov – Hawthorn Class visiting Church

December 2024

2nd Dec – Bring to school homemade Christmas tree decoration

4th Dec – Cedar Class visiting Church

4th Dec – Resilience TriKidz for Years 4, 5 and 6

11th Dec – KS1 Nativity to Parents – 2pm and 6pm

13th Dec – Elf Run – Donations to the Homeless

16th Dec – Christingle Service – Years 2,3,4,5 and 6 to attend at 2pm

17th Dec – Infant Christmas Lunch

18th Dec – Junior Christmas Lunch

18th Dec – Reception Singalong to Parents – 2pm

18th Dec - Oak and Chestnut Year 6 visiting Church

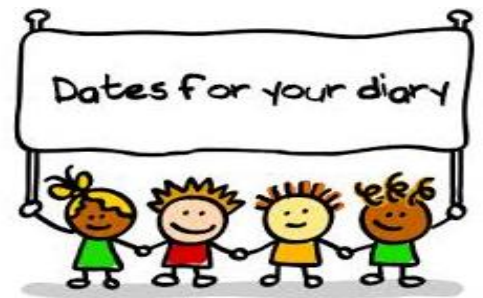
19th Dec – St Peter's Penny

19th Dec – Dojo Tea Party

19th Dec – House Winners non-uniform day

20th Dec – Christmas Party Day

20th Dec – School Closes for Christmas Holidays at 2:30pm - 20th Dec – Stay Late Club Closes at 4:30pm



Chorley Football Development



At Southlands High School (Sports Hall)
Clover Road, Chorley, PR7 2NJ

Starting on Thursday 26th September 2024

In association with First Kick Football

School years - Rec & Year 1

5:45pm - 6:30pm

School years - Year 2 and Year 3

6:30pm - 7:30pm

School years - Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

7:30pm - 8:30pm

Dear Parents,

Places are now available to join a new 12-week football course every Thursday at Southlands High School, starting 26th September, which is open to both boys and girls.

Our courses teach children correct football techniques by FA qualified coaches who have full DBS (CRB) clearance to work with children. The structure for the course is 'FUN through Football,' building confidence for total beginners and moving onto more complex sessions for experienced players.

We provide a **ball per player** for the majority of our drills ensuring children get more touches of the ball and improve quicker than conventional coaching where children are waiting around to have a turn. The sessions are held in the fantastic sports hall so trainers should be worn. Players are also advised to bring a still drink for the session.

The club has links to local junior teams of which players will be able to play for at the weekend. Players who show advanced ability on the course will be recommended for trials at professional academies. Players who have previously attended courses are currently playing for Blackburn Rovers, Preston North End, Manchester United, Liverpool, Blackpool, Everton, Burnley, Bolton, Oldham, Rochdale and Wigan.

The cost of the course is just £6.25 per week, which is payable in two instalments. The first payment of £25 is due when booking your child on and the second payment of £50 due at the first session. Parents are encouraged to watch the sessions but are welcome to leave children, as every session is fully supervised.

****NEW TOURNAMENT FORMAT****

Every four weeks we have a tournament in order for the children to put their new-found skills into practice with medals and trophies awarded for various categories.

ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY & A MEDAL at the presentation, which is held on the final week of the course. Additional trophies will also be awarded in each group from categories including; Best Attitude, Star Player, Most Improved Player, Most Promising Player and Hardest Working Player.

To book a place for your child please telephone the number below as soon as possible as a high response is expected.



Dan

TO BOOK PLEASE TELEPHONE

01772 428 086 or 07514 316 534



We cannot guarantee that the course will run in consecutive weeks.
Please note we have a strict no refund policy once the course has been booked.



FIRST KICK HOLIDAY CLUB

Southlands Secondary School,
Clover Road, Chorley PR7 2NJ



MONDAY 21st OCT - FRIDAY 25th OCT

FOOTBALL CAMP

Football Development Sessions
Penalty Shootouts & Tournaments
NERF Wars
Bouncy Castles & Fifa Tournaments

MULTI-SPORT CAMP

Dodgeball
Cricket
Sports Day
Dance & Gymnastics
Hockey
Netball
& many more...

BOOK THE FULL WEEK FOR JUST £80!

We are pleased to announce that we are offering our October Holiday club for just £80 for the full week.

Single day prices are also available at £18 and any three days in the week are just £50.

DROP OFF
8:00am - 9:30am
PICK UP
4:00pm - 5:00pm

1 day - £18
2 days - £36
3 days - £50
4 days - £68
Full week - £80
10% sibling discount

Government Tax-Free Childcare scheme
accepted - Check eligibility
URN - 2799706



View more on our social media:

Facebook: First Kick Football
 Instagram: firstkickfootball_



Each day medals and trophies are awarded for good teamwork, best attitude, hard work and star player.

Additional Activities: Bouncy Castles, Slides, Dodgeball, Football, Penalty Shootouts, Mini Tournaments, Jenga, XBOX FIFA, WII MARIO KART, Badminton, Toys, Lego, Hockey, Netball, Rugby, Basketball, Parachute Games, Hula Hoops, Multi-Skills Activities, Sports Day, Colouring, Street Dance and Rainy Day Activities.



To Book Please Call
01772 428 086 or 07514 316 534

We cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to property or clothing.
Please note we have a strict no refund policy once a place has been booked.





Making Sense of Special Needs

A FREE 6-week course for parents or carers of children and young people with special educational needs or disabilities [SEND]

Does your child struggle at school?

Do you know what help may be available for them?

Are you confused by the words and abbreviations that are used in meetings?

Do you know how to find information, advice and support for your yourself?

Would you like to know more?

Lancashire SENDIAS have a 6-week course for parents and carers to help them understand more about the special needs process in Lancashire.

This course is run by Trinity Special Needs Advice Partnership and will start in the Chorley and South Ribble area in October 2024.

There will be a limit on numbers on each course, so you will need to book a place. For more details please email trinitysnap17@gmail.com