

Parent & Carer Newsletter

September 2025

Welcome back to a new academic year! A particularly warm welcome to our Year 7 students and all new families who have joined our school community this September - as we said at the Year Ahead meetings, we are delighted to have you join us! It's been excellent to see students return with such positive attitudes to their learning and determination to succeed. Our Year 7s have made a fantastic start to secondary school life and it's clear that our returning students are focused and ready to build on last year's successes. We are excited to see what opportunities this year will bring, both in and out of the classroom, as we encourage boys to 'Carpe Diem!' Here's a taste of what's



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Milly's Smile Sponsored Walk

Bobby in Year 8 (sporting the cow costume) organised a sponsored walk from School to Manchester Children's Hospital earlier this

month to raise money for Millie's Smile, a charity who have supported a classmate who has been undergoing treatment at Manchester Children's Hospital. Not even the very heavy rain on a Saturday morning could dampen their spirits and they had a great time; they showed incredible resilience given the weather conditions! The boys have raised a phenomenal £2,250 so far for this very good cause.

Dovestones Trip

Some of Year 7s had a fabulous time this month on their very first Audenshaw School trip to Dovestones



Reservoir in Greenfield- they even had some sun!



Open Evening
We are looking
forward to welcoming
prospective students





UK University Apprenticeships Search event

Here at Audenshaw School, we encourage our boys to be bold in their aspirations, and so it was great to see some Year 11s making the most of an informative morning at the UK University

Search event at Old Trafford. This will help them as they consider the options for their post-16 and post-18 progression.

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Macmillan Coffee Morning

Our annual coffee morning in aid of Macmillan took place last week. Thank you to all those who baked, brought or bought cakes and sweet treats! The senior prefects did an amazing job at organising the event, and collecting cash throughout the day. We managed to raise over an eye-watering £1,100 for this wonderful cause. This is the largest amount raised yet!



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Science

Year 7 Scientists have been busy learning how to safely use Science equipment such as Bunsen burners and microscopes in their lessons as they make the transition from primary to secondary school.







Wonderful Art work

We've already seen some impressive artwork from students across all year groups. Below are some examples from Year 7 & Year 9 students.





Summer Bookmark Competition

Well done to the winners of the Summer Bookmark competition. Your designs will soon be in use as bookmarks in the Library.



Saturday morning Rugby is back! We've had some great results already this year and we look forward to a wonderful season.





Extra-Curricular offer

Our extra-curricular offer is now back up and running with lots of exciting clubs to suit all interests at lunchtime and after school. Allotment club have been busy harvesting the fruits of their labours from last year with a crop of potatoes, carrots, rhubarb, purple beans and strawberries.





Thank you as always to parents and carers for their continued support. Strong partnerships between home and school are vital to student success, and we look forward to working with you throughout the year. If you would like to get in touch, please don't hesitate to contact your son's Form Leader, Year Leader, or Pastoral Support Manager, or alternatively the school office.

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Principal



