



SKEGNESS ACADEMY

**A Day in the Life of a Year 7
Student at SKA**

Transition 2024

Year 7 is the beginning of your child's secondary stage in education. The transition period is where we support your child to learn the skills to be independent learners, organised individuals and resilient young adults.

To do this, students take responsibility of their own progression and monitor their attendance every week. Furthermore, literacy and numeracy sessions during tutor time allow your child to transfer new and existing skills. Moreover, we also provide careers advice and skill building in readiness for them to make positive contributions in the own communities.

The Year 7 Team consistently encourage tolerance towards others' beliefs and appearances through regular assemblies and activities based on worldwide issues. As a team we also believe in building up every child's confidence and self-belief. With this, every child is regularly praised and celebrate for transferring their new skills, retained knowledge to support progression and becoming more ambitious. Scan the QR code below to go to the Transition page on our website.



Students can be entered into several draws that happen every half-term. They can also take part in various celebration trips for excelling in all lessons and attending school regularly. For more information on our extensive rewards programme, please see the Expectations at SKA section.

We have a well-stocked library on site, which can also be accessed online in the comfort of your child's own home. Furthermore, we provide a variety of clubs like dance, sport, STEM, drama, music and many more.

All admissions forms will be handed out during our primary school visits and must be completed and handed to Main Reception in early July each year. We do also accept mid-year admissions.

To find out more about the Transition process, scan the code below.



Year 7 Testimonials

Here are some words of advice from members of our current Year 7 cohort.



Name: Constança

Primary School: St. Helena's, Willoughby

Why I chose SKA: I heard and saw how friendly everyone is, plus I live in Skegness so I can walk to school with my friends.

What I enjoy about SKA: Every lesson is really exciting, and I look forward to coming every day.

My words of advice to prospective Year 7s: You will really enjoy coming here – I look forward to welcoming you!

My favourite lesson is Textiles because we are learning how to use a sewing machine and I have never used one before!



Name: Kacie-May

Primary School: Richmond Primary School, Skegness

Why I chose SKA: I have found everyone to be really friendly and welcoming.

What I enjoy about SKA: I have enjoyed making new friends and getting to know my teachers.

My words of advice to prospective Year 7s: Try not to be too nervous, there are so many people here to help you. You will love it!

My favourite lesson is PE because you get to try out lots of new sports!





Name: Zac

Primary School: Chapel St. Leonards Primary School

Why I chose SKA: I chose this school because it is near where I live and my friends all come here too.

What I enjoy about SKA: I enjoy the lessons and learning new things.

My words of advice to prospective Year 7s: You don't need to be worried, try your hardest and the teachers will always help you.

My favourite lesson is PE because I love playing football!



Name: Noah

Primary School: St. Helena's C of E Primary School, Willoughby

Why I chose SKA: My cousin comes here and likes it.

What I enjoy about SKA: All the teachers are nice.

My words of advice to prospective Year 7s: Try not to be nervous, everyone is really nice and you will soon get to know your way around!

My favourite lesson is PE because I love sport!