

## Standard Chartered renews LFC partnership

Bank to appear on the front of shirt until end of 2026/27 season

Partnership covers both LFC and LFC Women

**14 July 2022** – Liverpool Football Club, Liverpool Football Club Women and Standard Chartered Bank are pleased to announce a four-year extension to their main sponsor agreement, taking the Bank's partnership with the Club through to the end of the 2026/27 season, including improved investment in LFC Women.

The Bank first signed up as the Club's main sponsor in July 2010, making the partnership one of the longest in the Premier League, and has been at a time in which Liverpool FC has enjoyed tremendous success.

Bill Winters, Group Chief Executive, Standard Chartered, said: "When we partnered with Liverpool FC in 2010, we could not have imagined the success of both the sponsorship and of the Club. With more than 770 million Liverpool FC followers across the world – many in Standard Chartered's markets in Asia, Africa and the Middle East – the Club brings excitement and joy to so many of our colleagues, clients and their communities, and we're proud to continue to be associated with

"We're also excited to be able to recommit and increase our investment with Liverpool FC Women, who had a fantastic 2021/22 season, and have now been promoted back to the Women's Super League. We look forward to seeing their continued success, and partnering with them to support

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the Bank's Futuremakers initiative and our commitment to lifting participation by unleashing the

potential of women in our markets."

Billy Hogan, Chief Executive Officer, Liverpool Football Club, said: "This is a hugely significant

partnership for LFC and I could not be prouder to confirm a four-year extension to our already

long and successful partnership with Standard Chartered. We have been on an incredible journey

together and Standard Chartered's support has been a key driver in our most recent successes,

both on and off the pitch, with their loyalty and commitment to Liverpool Football Club.

"Our partnership has been able to thrive because of our shared values and we look forward to

continuing to work together to help and support our communities and supporters around the

world."

For a decade, Standard Chartered and Liverpool FC have used their partnership to support a

number of the Bank's global sustainability and community investment programmes, including

Futuremakers by Standard Chartered, which focuses on empowering young people from

disadvantaged backgrounds to learn, earn and grow.

Since 2019, Futuremakers has raised over USD 64 million and reached over 670,000 young

people, mainly girls and women, supporting them with education, employability and

entrepreneurship skills. The Bank aims to raise USD 75 million by the end of 2023 and, with the

support of LFC, to raise aspirations of young people across its markets.

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## **Liverpool Football Club**

Founded in 1892, Liverpool FC is one of the world's most historic and famous football clubs, having won 19 League Titles, including the Premier League, eight FA Cups, nine League Cups, six European Cups, three UEFA Cups, four European Super Cups and 15 Charity Shields.

As a socially responsible Club, Liverpool FC is proud of its heritage and plays a proactive role in its communities through its official charity, Liverpool FC Foundation, which aims to create life changing opportunities for children and young people in Merseyside and beyond, and the Red Neighbours programme, which creates events and experiences specifically aimed at improving the lives of those living in and around the Anfield area (L4, L5 and L6).