



## Lowerhouse Junior School

### Pupil Conferencing (SLT) – October 2025



<b>Year 4 – Rowan</b>	
<p><b>Do you enjoy lessons in Year 4? Tell me why.</b></p> <p><b>What are the key expectations set by adults in your class around attitudes to learning and your work?</b></p>	<p>– Yes, I enjoy lessons in Year 4 with Miss Parker, but I don't know why. They are just fun, and we learn. Miss Parker and Miss Baxendale expect "One Voice" in class for when somebody is talking.</p> <p>– Yes because both teachers are really nice in class and make the lessons fun. Miss Parker expects that we try our best and not to give up.</p> <p>– I like the lessons in Year 4 because we learn lots of different fun topics. Miss Parker cares more about how we got to the answer instead of just what the answer is. She wants to know how we work it out.</p>
<p><b>How does school keep you and children safe and around expectations around school?</b></p>	<p>– The staff in school are first aid trained so they are able to help us when we get hurt in school.</p> <p>– We learn lots of different things around staying safe. For example, we learn about Bike Ability and staying safe on our bikes.</p> <p>– We sometimes practice how to leave the school sensibly if there was a fire. We leave the classroom calmly and line up at the end of the playground.</p>
<p><b>In Science you have been covering Electricity. Can you talk me through what you have learnt?</b> <i>(In Science we have been learning about electricity. Did you know .....?)</i></p>	<p>– In Science we have been learning about electricity. Did you know a circuit needs a cell for power to move electricity around the circuit?</p> <p>– In Science we have been learning about electricity. Did you know if a fork was put in a socket, it would electrocute the person because metal lets electricity run through it?</p> <p>– In Science we have been learning about electricity. Did you know water can let electricity run through it, but I can also break a circuit if poured onto it?</p>
<p><b>In Geography you have been learning about Mountains and Volcanoes. Can you talk me through what you have learnt?</b> <i>(In Geography we have been learning about mountains. Did you know .....?)</i></p>	<p>– In Geography we have been learning about earthquakes. Did you know that earthquakes are made when tectonic plates rub together? This makes friction.</p> <p>– In Geography we have been learning about mountains. Did you know tectonic plates sometimes push together and move up which makes the mountain push up?</p> <p>– In Geography we have been learning about tsunamis. Did you know there are made when plates push together under the ocean and make the sea move back and then forward? They are a huge wave.</p>
<p><b>Think of a topic you have covered in Maths during Year 4. Can you share what you have learnt?</b> <i>(In Maths we have been learning about ..... Did you know .....?)</i></p>	<p>– In Maths we have been learning about column subtraction. Did you know if there is a 0 in the tens and we need to exchange we have to exchange from the hundreds which makes the tens a ten and then we exchange from there to the ones? (Solved <math>2,602 - 1,579 = 1,023</math> with clear explanation of method)</p> <p>– In Maths we have been learning about our 12 timetables. Did you know <math>12 \times 12 = 144</math>? There are ways to learn your 12s like <math>\times 10</math> and <math>\times 2</math> but I have just learnt them.</p> <p>– In Maths we have been learning about column addition. Did you know if the addition of the digits is larger than 10, we have to exchange the tens to the column to the left? (Solved <math>3,476 + 1,384 = 4,860</math> with clear exchange method)</p>