



Lowerhouse Junior School Newsletter

Friday 25th April 2025



At Lowerhouse Junior School, we build everything we do around our four key values of **Aspiration, Integrity, Resilience** and **Respect**
Our School Motto is *'Inspiring a lifelong love for learning.'*

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you had a refreshing break over Easter. The summer term promises to be a whirlwind of activities and learning adventures for our students. With a spring in our step, we are diving headfirst into a busy and exciting half term filled with activities, challenges and opportunities. Be sure to check the newsletter for our "Dates for the Diary", detailing all the upcoming events and important dates you won't want to miss. Let's make this term one to remember!



Mr G Lloyd

Headteacher

The School's Attendance

Target is 96%

Class	Attendance
Elm	88.8%
Willow	93%
Maple	90%
Rowan	93.8%
Chestnut	94%
Oak	86.7%
Ash	85.9%
Sycamore	87.6%

This week's winners are...
Rowan and Chestnut

Headteacher's Value of the of the Week - Integrity

Y3 Elm	Y5 Chestnut
Isabella	Oakley
Y3 Willow	Y5 Oak
Louis	Riley
Y4 Maple	Y6 Ash
Akifa	Charlie
Y4 Rowan	Y6 Sycamore
Max	Euan
Class Dojo Winners	
Lower Juniors	Upper Juniors
Willow	Ash

Stars of the Week	
Y3 Elm	Y5 Chestnut
Ruby	William
Y3 Willow	Y5 Oak
Yasmin	Henry H
Y4 Maple	Y6 Ash
Louie	Oscar
Y4 Rowan	Y6 Sycamore
Ocean	Luiza
Maple Winner	
Jacob	
Rowan Winner	
Haley	

Welcome Mr Pope, Miss Stevenson and Miss Hartley!

We are delighted to announce that Mr Pope, Miss Stevenson and Miss Hartley have joined our school family! Mr Pope will be teaching PE across school with Miss Stevenson and Miss Hartley supporting children in Yr3. Let's all give them a warm welcome as they settle into their new role. We encourage everyone – staff, children, and parents – to say hello and help them feel at home!

WELCOME TO



Exciting News About Our Outdoor Space!

During the Easter break, work started on improving our Environmental area and Willow space! As we look forward to the summer term, we're excited to see this space in action. Just this week, Year 6 used it for their orienteering course! It was great to see them working together and having fun. We can't wait to see how our students will learn and play in this lovely area!



Exciting New Installations at Our School!

We are excited to share that we have just installed a brand new History Timeline and Geography Map of Burnley! The History Timeline highlights important events from our history curriculum, while the Geography Map showcases famous places in Burnley, including Turf Moor, Townley Hall, and Lowerhouse Junior School.



Curriculum In Action: Art – Tie Dye (Yr6 – Ash)

This week, Year 6 have dived into the colourful world of tie dye! They learned about the amazing work of artists Hugo Pineda, Courtney Pollock, and Michael Phelan. After gathering inspiration, each student created their own unique tie-dye designs and expressed their thoughts in their sketchbooks.



Attendance



Dates for The Diary

- 29th April** – Yr6 Girls Dynamo Cricket Festival
- 29th April** – Yr5/6 Netball Skills Festival
- 30th April** – Yr3 Trip – Gawthorpe Hall
- 5th May** – May Day (School Closed)
- 7th May** – Yr3 Trip – Burnley Youth Theatre (Linking Schools)
- 8th May** – VE Day Picnic Lunch
- 12th May to 15th May** – Yr6 SATS Week
- 19th May** – Yr5.6 Netball Team Practice Competition
- 23rd May** – School Closes for half-term break
- 2nd June** – School Opens for Summer 2 half-term



Online Safety Tip

What Parents and Carers Need to Know about Shopping Apps

For people looking to make purchases on their phones, several shopping apps – such as Temu – allow users to buy goods at reduced prices. Others, like Vinted and Depop, let you sell items you no longer want. As internet shopping grows, however, so does the risk of scammers, hackers and breaches of privacy.



Picture News & British Value!



Mutual Respect and Tolerance

We understand that people have different preferences and opinions in relation to art. It is important to respect the opinions and preferences of others.



Staff Shout Out

Each week we like to celebrate our amazing staff and the hard work they put in for everybody at school. Our winner this week is.....



Mrs Sutcliffe

because she always finds time for children who need her.

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