



Lowerhouse Junior School Newsletter

Friday 19th September 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,

We have had a wonderful first couple of weeks back at school! The children and staff have settled into our routine remarkably well, filling our classrooms with an atmosphere of excitement and positivity. Just a friendly reminder that next week, **Thursday 25th September**, is our **non-uniform day**, where children can wear their own clothes in **exchange for cake donations** towards the **Macmillan Coffee Morning Cake Sale on Friday 26th March**. We're also thrilled to announce the **"Great Lowerhouse Bake Off"** for our talented parent bakers to bring in their amazing cakes to be judged by our School Council.



Mr G Lloyd

Headteacher

Headteacher's Value of the Week – RESPECT	
<u>Y3 Elm</u>	<u>Y3 Willow</u>
Harris	Reggie
<u>Y4 Maple</u>	<u>Y4 Rowan</u>
Harrison M	Ava
<u>Y5 Chestnut</u>	<u>Y5 Oak</u>
Rhea	Ava
<u>Y6 Ash</u>	<u>Y6 Sycamore</u>
Rio	Lily
Class Dojo Winners	
<u>Lower Juniors</u>	<u>Upper Juniors</u>
Elm	Oak

★ Stars of the Week ★	
<u>Y3 Elm</u>	<u>Y3 Willow</u>
Maddie	Lincoln
<u>Y4 Maple</u>	<u>Y4 Rowan</u>
Elektra	Alesha
<u>Y5 Chestnut</u>	<u>Y5 Oak</u>
Tommy	Victoria
<u>Y6 Ash</u>	<u>Y6 Sycamore</u>
Emily	Jude
Maple Winner	
Toby	
Rowan Winner	
Leo	

The School's Attendance	
Target is 95%	
Class	Attendance
Elm	97.1%
Willow	94.1%
Maple	99.1%
Rowan	93.3%
Chestnut	92.7%
Oak	95.3%
Ash	93.3%
Sycamore	93.7%
This week's winners are... Maple and Oak	

Yr5 and Yr6 Football Festival

Well done to our Year 5 and Year 6 footballers for representing our school with pride at the Burnley School Sport Partnership event today! They demonstrated our school value of **Resilience** throughout their matches, achieving a 2-0 win and two draws. Special thanks to all the parents and families for your support! A huge shout-out to Mr Cosgrove for his hard work and dedication in organising the team.



Forest Schools Starts for the Year 6

Last week, Year 6 students kicked off their Forest School sessions with the amazing Miss Walker! They took their science learning into our beautiful environmental area, making the most of our superb outdoor space. We can't wait for all our children to enjoy the fantastic experiences this year!



An Exciting Morning with Mad Science!

We had a fantastic assembly this week with the amazing **Mad Science!** We watched a variety of thrilling experiments that sparked our curiosity! We're delighted to announce that Mad Science will be hosting an after school club on Thursdays for our budding scientists! Keep an eye out for further information on dates and sign-up details later this week! Don't miss this chance to be inspired in the wonderful world of science!



Curriculum In Action: Science – Insulator & Conductor Materials (Y5 Oak)

Year 5 Oak has been exploring electrical insulators! They kicked off their investigation by recalling their Year 4 learning and constructing their own circuits. The students tested a variety of materials to identify which were conductors and which served as insulators. The teamwork and enthusiasm on display were truly commendable! Well done, Year 5 Oak!



Attendance



Dates for The Diary

25th September – Non-uniform Day (Cake donations)

26th September – Macmillan Cake Sale and Bake off! (School Council)

7th October – Yr5 Chestnut Guardian Angel afternoon @ Rosegrove Infants

7th October - Yr5/6 Masses Cross-Country @ Towneley Park

8th October – Yr5 Oak Guardian Angel afternoon @ Rosegrove Infants

10th October – Hello Yellow Day supporting mental health.

14th October – Yr3/Yr4 Target Festival @ Unity College

16th October - Yr5/6 Glow Bench ball Festival @ Spirit of Sport

22nd October – Yr6/7 Tag Rugby @ Prairie Sports Village

23rd & 24th October – INSET – School Closed



Online Safety Tip

What Parents and Carers Need to Know about WhatsApp

WhatsApp is the world's most popular messaging service. Its end-to-end encryption only allows messages to be viewed by the sender and any recipient; not even WhatsApp itself can read them. This privacy issue has been in the spotlight, as the UK's Online Safety Bill proposes to end such encryption on private messaging; WhatsApp is unwilling to do so and has reportedly considered withdrawing.



Picture News & British Value!



Mutual Respect and Tolerance

Everyone is different, with different talents. We can respect and celebrate the achievements of others and be thankful for the people in our lives who do the same for us.



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.....



Miss Baxendale

because she always makes herself available to help others in school.



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